

A PLEA FOR LIVING OF CLEAN LIFE

Rev. J. T. Riddick Preached Sermon on Higher Standard of Morals—The Value of Clean Heart and Clean Associates Shows in Clean Business and Life's Relations.

Using the subject "The White Life; or A Plea for a Higher Standard of Morals," Rev. J. T. Riddick preached a great sermon last night to a packed house at the Second Baptist Church, Durham. It was a great plea for the living of a clean life, or a more beautiful life in this world.

The preacher began by asking two questions. The first was, "In what does living the white life consist?" He said that a man cannot live a white life and have a dirty mind and heart. The first thing then is to rid the mind of evil thoughts and keep the heart set upon clean things for "As a man thinketh so he is." And then if your mind and heart is cleansed one must also have a clean conversation. It is utterly impossible for a man to have a clean heart and mind and a rotten conversation. "Out of the heart are the issues of life." A white life means a white heart and a white brain. And then living the white life means that one can practice only the life the white things. A person cannot be clean in his life and do foul, mean and ugly things. He mentioned and drove home forcibly that fearful evil of self-abuse or sinning against the body. Those things he said were utterly out of the question for a man that claimed to be leading a clean life regardless if no one else saw you. It must be remembered that God's eye is constantly upon you. And then further, a white life means a clean business. A man's business is always in keeping with himself. A man's business in an index to his life. And then further one must have good and clean associates. An innocent dove will not associate with a buzzard. Neither will a man with a clean life be found constantly associating with evil companions. There is no communication between a white life and a black life.

And then he put forth his second question. "Does it pay to live the white life?" and the preacher contended that it does. Regardless of what little temporary pleasure one may get out of sin, yet it does not and cannot pay any one to lead any other than a clean life. The Bible says a wicked man shall not live out half his life. And further, the white life is the only life that will be helpful in the world in which we live. And when one is old, it is the only life you can look back upon with joy, and feel that your life has been well spent. And then again, it is the only life with which you will not be ashamed when you meet God. Every soul, sooner or later, must meet God. What will your record be with Him? The white life is the only one we can leave as an inheritance to our family of which they will not be ashamed. Regardless of how successful a man may be so far as the world measures men, if your life is one that is unclean, then long after you are gone, your family will blush when your very name is mentioned.

All told, the sermon represented Mr. Riddick at his best. It was a masterly plea for a better life and one of the greatest and most practical sermons his congregation has ever heard him preach. This series of sermons will be continued on Sunday nights up till the first of April. His subject for next time is "Think."

EARNING THEIR PAY.

The rural free delivery carriers and their horses have been, and still are having a hard time in making their trips. In addition to the cold and the rains, the roads are almost impassable, and it is hard work for a horse to pull himself along. Our mail carriers are surely earning all that they are now paid.—Chatham Record.

We suppose it will soon be presumptuous for a poor man to look at a biscuit; but as long as the cracklin' bread holds out, we should worry.

If there were a half-dozen men in the legislature determined on a change we would expect to see something come of it.

THE LONG NEEDED REST.

Agitators sowing the seeds of discontent among the operatives—that is the keynote of the situation. The agitators are very busy. They are paid for their agitation and they keep steadily and enthusiastically on the job.

The children at the mills around this town are getting better education, wearing better clothes, living happier and developing better from all standpoints than the children on the farms, from which they came, because the mill men have built schoolhouses; they have introduced methods which make for the betterment of the mill child. The same obtains over the entire State, with, of course, the exceptions which obtain in all things.

The child labor problem has been woefully over-worked. We do not blame the professionals who thus secure their daily bread; who are employed to find something, and who find now and then an isolated case and make believe that a Dismal Swamp of Horrors exist in each mill town.

Children should labor. For proper development they must labor. For information and experience to fight their world battle which must come to them and they need to know how to grapple with the things that are. The city kid, reared in a hot-house is never the child the country kid is found to be—the one that plays in the dirt; that does chores early and late and plows the field if need be. The hours at the mills are not too long. The hours at the mills are not as long and profitless as on the farm and that is why the mill people leave the farm and go to the mills.

We do not want to see infant life crushed. We want it to enjoy the short sweet-song of childhood. We want it to have hours of play and hours of work. But we would like this eternal agitation about mill people stopped. We hear no mill people complaining. It is like the railroad problem. Always some politician who never shipped a pound of freight out with Mr. Bei I. Ake telling the "peepul" what terrible instruments of destruction the railroads are—when they are not.

The child labor problem has been happily settled in this State. The mill people settled it, and the ones who toil are happy, contented—and doing better in the mills, physically better, morally better and financially better, than they can hope to do elsewhere. It is a God send that the mills came to the South and thus gave employment to those who were not prepared to give their children an education. The mill men are educating the children and paying the parents for their toil. And when the children work they are paid and no one of them is bound to remain. There is no slavery. There is no string tied to the engagement. Every mill hand can hike tomorrow—and he knows it. They why weep for those who voluntarily and cheerfully accept the condition in which we find them happy and contented?—Fairbrothers Everything.

ONE KISS AT \$180 TOO HIGH FOR HIM.

San Francisco, Feb. 3.—"I didn't mind being called a square-headed Swede," Oscar E. Smith told Judge Van Nostrand, "but it did make me sore to think that the only kiss she ever gave me was when the Judge told me to kiss her after he finished marrying us. "Also it made me sore when she left me two days after the marriage when we had spent my savings, amounting to \$180."

"Didn't you have a good time spending the \$180?" queried the Court.

"I did, but it wasn't worth that much money," said Smith.

"Divorce to plaintiff on ground of defendant's cruelty," said the Judge.

And some there will be to call the Legislature blessed if it does no more than it had done.

While we do not like the idea of having the city manager bossed by the aldermen, there seems no way around it.

There are 1,500,000 automobiles in use in this country and one-half of them are owned by farmers. But we have a perfectly good pair of legs and are not a bit envious.

NO OTHER SALE CAN COMPETE WITH THE GOODMAN CLEARANCE

Sale Starts at 9:00 O'clock

Thurs. Morning, Feb. 11th.

No matter what the price inducement—no matter what the alleged reason—there cannot be an equal of the Goodman values. Here you are assured Goodman Clothes—the clothes best dressed men have been buying for years. Those expensive models—that perfect tailoring—that complete satisfaction for which our garments have won a decided reputation. With us clearance is policy—with a definite purpose.

Every Suit or Overcoat for Man or Boy is a Garment of this season, and every Suit and Overcoat is included.

This is not one of the ordinary common class or type of bargains or sensational sales—it is a sale for a bona fide, legitimate purpose. The stock must be turned into cash.

Come and avail yourself of the opportunity. During sale everything will be sold for cash; nothing sent on approval.

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- \$10.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price \$7.00
- \$12.50 Men's Suits, Sale Price \$8.50
- \$15.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price \$9.00
- \$20.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price \$12.50
- \$25.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price \$16.50
- \$ 2.50 Men's Pants, Sale Price \$1.00
- \$ 3.00 Men's Pants, Sale Price \$1.25
- \$ 3.50 Men's Pants, Sale Price \$1.50
- \$ 4.00 Men's Pants, Sale Price \$1.75

Men's Furnishings.

- 50c. Shirts, Sale Price 35c.
- \$1.00 Shirts, Sale Price 75c.
- Men's Underwear 50c. at 35c.
- Men's Hose 50c. at 35c.
- Men's Hose 25c. at 17c.
- Men's Hose 15c. at 12c.
- Men's Hose 10c. at 7c.
- Men's Ties 50c. at 35c.
- Men's Ties 25c. at 15c.
- Men's Belts 50c. at 35c.
- Men's Belts 25c. at 17c.
- Men's Handkerchiefs 5c. at 02c.
- Men's Handkerchiefs 10c. at 06c.
- Men's Collars 15c. at 10c.
- Men's Suspenders 25c. at 15c.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs.

- 10c. Handkerchiefs 5c.
- 5c. Handkerchiefs 2c.

Big lot Suit Cases and Handbags at a Bargain.

Dry Goods

- \$1.00 Wool Dress Goods at 75c.
- 75c. Wool Dress Goods at 55c.
- 50c. Wool Dress Goods at 35c.
- 10c. Bleaching at 7 1/2c.
- 12 1/2c. Bleaching at 10c.
- 15c. Lonsdale at 12c.
- 10c. Gingham at 7 1/2c.
- 7 1/2c. Gingham at 5c.
- 12 1/2c. Percale at 10c.
- 10c. Percale at 7 1/2c.
- 25c. Oil Cloth at 15c.
- 20c. Oil Cloth at 12 1/2c.

Ladies' Shoes

- \$2.50 Oxfords at \$2.00
- \$3.25 Oxfords at \$2.25
- \$3.00 Oxfords at \$2.00
- \$2.75 Oxfords at \$1.65

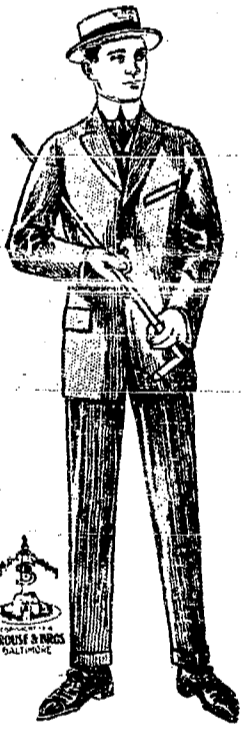
Men's Shoes

- \$4.00 Men's Shoes, Sale Price . . . \$3.25
- \$3.50 Men's Shoes, Sale Price . . . \$2.75
- \$3.00 Men's Shoes, Sale Price . . . \$2.25
- \$3.50 Heavy Shoes at \$2.50

Men's Hats

- Big Lot of Men's Hats at 35c.
- \$1.50 Hats, Sale Price 90c.
- \$2.50 Hats, Sale Price \$1.75
- \$3.00 Hats, Sale Price \$2.25

Big lot Boys' Suits to Close Out



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have drafter a bill amending the act of the Legislature above referred to, placing the officers of Alamance County on salaries as follows: 1st. So that provision may be made for a clerk in the office of the clerk of the superior court of Alamance County at a salary of six hundred (\$600.00) dollars per year.

So that there shall be provided for clerk hire, for clerks and book-keepers, in the offices of the register of deeds for Alamance County, the sum of eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars in addition to the six hundred (\$600.00) dollars already provided, making the total sum allowed for clerk hire in the office of the register of deeds fourteen hundred (\$1,400.00) dollars, of this sum six hundred is to provide a clerk to the register of deeds and eight hundred (\$800.00) dollars is to provide a book-keeper and audit clerk in said office and to pay for the making out of the tax books of the county, annually.

3rd. So that there shall be provided for clerk hire, for clerks, book-keepers and deputies, in the office of the sheriff of Alamance County five hundred (\$500.00) dollar; in addition to the one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars already provided by law for clerks and deputies in said office, making the total amount for clerks and deputies in connection with this office as fixed by the law the sum of fifteen hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars. This extra five hundred dollars is to pay for an office made necessary by the provisions of deputy or book-keeper in said office the salary bill.

4th. So that provision shall be made that the sheriff shall not be called upon to account for fees for serving papers issued by justices of the Peace or mayors within the county, or any officers from without the county, unless such papers shall be served by said sheriff, personally, but these fees not to be accounted for shall not belong to the sheriff, but shall go to and belong to the deputy serving such papers.

5th. So that the amount paid by way of salary and clerk hire to any officer of Alamance County and in regard to any office in Alamance in any one year shall under no circumstances exceed the amount of fees and commissions collected in and through said office in any one year, and in the event such salary and clerk hire shall exceed said amount, then the deficiency shall be made up by deducting the amount which said fees and commissions fall short from the salary provided for the officer in filling said office. In making the calculations concerning the fees and commissions received, the salaries and clerk hire paid, the year shall be deemed to have started the First Monday in December, 1914, and shall start on the First Monday of each December thereafter. After discussion, this resolution was unanimously adopted.

A KIND WORD.

"Mr. J. O. Foy returns to the editorship and control of the Mebane Leader, having temporarily withdrawn for a much needed rest and recuperation. As a friend as well as a former citizen. The Republican wishes him a speedy recovery to wanted health and vigor."—Union Republican, Winston, N. C.

THE SUN'S PRESENT SIZE.

The Christian Sun was reduced to its present size last week not from choice, but from necessity. The paper has no subsidy upon which to fall in a time like this. That is all. The printing trade has been dull for some months. Other trades have to some extent. Usually when people begin to economize they cut off their subscription to their church paper and their contribution to church and charity first. It ought not to be so; but it is.

The Sun, depending upon its subscription list and small advertising account for maintenance, was not receiving a revenue sufficient to support it. There were no grounds for choice. The profits from other printing by the house were not sufficient to overbalance the loss on The Sun, and so it was to reduce cost now, or allow finally expense to consume the whole output. The latter was not to be thought of.

The many letters of deep regret that the paper had to go to smaller size for the present are greatly appreciated. All we ask is co-operation of the brotherhood, and the interest in the paper that should have prevailed all the while.

(We can appreciate The Sun's position. We are hit the same way.—Ed)

IN ONE MINUTE YOU CAN—

- Propose to a girl. Fall overboard. Miss the boat to Europe. Be hanged. Lose a fortune in the market. Kiss a girl from one to sixty times. Be kissed as many. Acquire a fatal disease. Drop from a ten-story building. Take a cold bath. Run a hundred yards. Lose your job. Have your pockets picked. Write a check for a million. Make a good after-dinner speech. Make a bad one. See the point of a joke. Be born. Die. Have a tooth pulled. Say the Wrong Thing. Say the Lord's Prayer. Be led into words with your wife. Be run over at a grade crossing. Swear a blue streak. Buy a gold brick. Sell one. Subscribe to The Dispatch.

We see no use for the much talked of "child labor law" if the Democrats are going to continue to run this government. There is not half work enough now for the able bodied men, to say nothing about children. When the government is again placed in the hands of the Republicans, labor will be in such demand that it will be alright to enact "child labor laws" then, but now it would be a dead letter on our statutes.—The children are now like the grown folks they can't get jobs.—The News Dispatch.

WOMAN HAS SCORED AGAIN.

Woman has scored another point. The legislature of two years ago gave her the right to be a member of school boards. The legislature of 1915 has gone a step further and has given her the right to be a notary public. It's coming. The time will soon be here when woman, lovely woman, will have the ballot in North Carolina.—Smithfield Herald.

"How is your little boy doing at school?"

"He get a good mark in the tooth-brush drill and stands first in the breathing class, but he doesn't seem able to learn arithmetic."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

If the thing keeps up those who advised the farmers to hold their cotton will have the chance to say "I told you so."

We have a couple more months of winter weather, no matter what the groundhog says about it.

Certainly the railroads should be regulated, yet those undertaking the job should know something of it.

It is a pity that there is not some way of getting those responsible for the war in front of the firing line.

CORSETT REVISIT.

Misses Lillian and Emma Fuqua, Ida and Adelle Harvelson and Ida Finnix; Messrs. Sidney and Clyde Fuqua, John Smith and Clyde Standfield, attended the Baptist Memorial Church Sunday.

We are glad to say our new Sunday School at the Barnwell School House is moving on in quite a successful manner under the management of Mr. E. A. Hooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Corbett visited Mrs. Ellen Warren's recently.

Miss Daisy Miles is spending some time visiting Mr. M. B. Miles, in Mebane.

Mr. Clayton Murphy cut feed at Mr. J. E. Murphy's Thursday.

Our clever friend, Mr. Sidney Standfield accepted a position in eastern North Carolina. Sidney is quite a clever young man.

Mr. Felix Riggs and wife were pleasant callers at B. E. Norris' last week.

Mr. Julius Miles has been visiting his niece Mrs. Mollie Warren for the past few days.

Mr. J. W. Hooper, who was hurt by a falling tree at A. L. Fitzgerald's chopping some time ago, is improving slowly. We hope he will soon make a complete recovery.

Mrs. Mollie Smith is visiting Mrs. B. B. Vaughan on Watson No. 1, this week. F. S.

THEN HE BOUGHT THE RING.

Affable Widow—"Do you know, Mr.

Old Boy, my daughter Maud has set her eyes most lovingly on you?"

Mr. Oldboy (Much flattered—"Has she, really? I always considered her a sweet girl."

Affable Widow—"Yes, only" today she said 'that's the sort of gentleman I should like for my papa.'"

"I do wish" observed Mildred, "that Santa Claus had brought me a new doll for Christmas."

"But your old doll," her mother answered, "is as good as ever."

"So am I as good as ever," the little girl retorted, "but the doctor brought you a new baby."—New York World.

A French writer has announced that American women are "well constructed." But there are architects in this country who have known that for a long time.

The Independent advises young men, who want to hire out as City Managers first to take a try at some miscellaneous city. We'd like to recommend Terre Haute, Ind.

Babies may look very much alike but you can never convince the mothers of the fact.

An eccentric woman is one who dresses for comfort regardless of the style.

The world hasn't any use for the man with a yellow streak—unless the streak is pure gold.

DOWN ON THE FARM.

Little Brother—Why do they call that corn "bachelor corn," sis?

Big Sister—Because it won't pop.—Philadelphia Ledger.

OF LOCAL INTEREST.

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event. It took place in Burlington.

Not in some faraway place. You are asked to investigate it.

Asked to believe a citizen's word: To confirm a citizen's statement.

Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence.

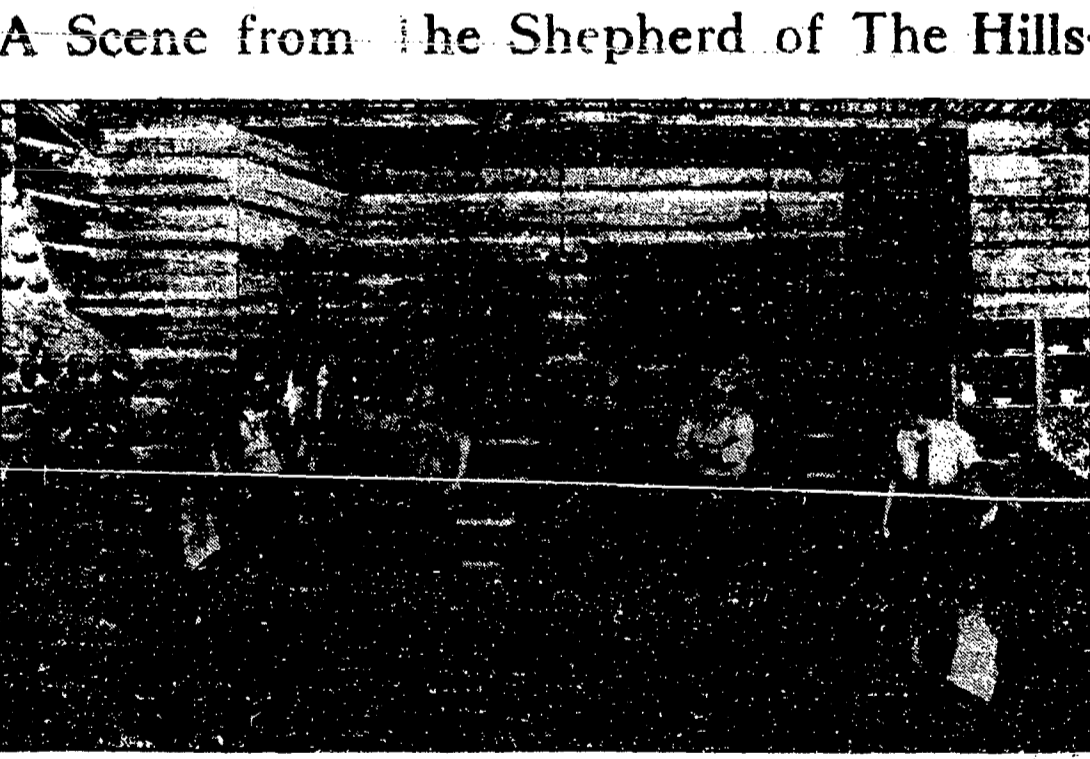
Than one you know nothing about, Endorsed by unknown people.

C. B. Ellis, music dealer, Front street, Burlington, Says, "I can never speak too highly of Doan's Kidney Pills for I have always found them a medicine of merit. Whenever my kidneys get out of order, a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Freeman's Drug Store, give me quick relief."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Ellis had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

See the Last Episode of The Trey O' Hearts MONDAY, FEB. 15. Which Does Allen Marry, Rose or Judith? Come and see at Crystal Theater The Same Place The Same Price

"Interest" --- The Magic Multiplier Events of the year 1894 are fresh in the minds of many who are still young. If you had saved from that time \$5 a week at 4 per cent. compound interest, you could now enjoy an income equal to \$6 a week and still keep your principal intact. For all-around productivity and safety the owner of a modest sum of money can find few investments equivalent to a savings bank account. An instance at Lowell, Mass., demonstrates the truth of the statement. On September 18, 1858, some person deposited \$100 in the bank and on July 16, 1859, another \$100. These are the only deposits ever made. On October 17, 1898, the account, let alone for 40 years, had grown, through interest, to \$1,400. The depositor then drew \$100 and a week later \$300 more. He thus took out twice as much as he ever put in and still had \$1,000 on deposit to his credit. This sum was allowed to remain in and by November of 1911 had become \$1,592. In June of 1912 the account was finally closed and the amount drawn was \$1,624. The depositor had put in only \$200, but he received it back and nearly \$1,900 more. His money always was ready for him. It could any day be paid in full. It was at work for its owner day and night, month after month, year after year, and growing for nearly two generations. Without risk worth mentioning it had multiplied itself over nine times. The rate of increase at first was slow, but in the end nothing grows much faster than interest compounded. Another interesting case was that of a real estate deal in New York State recently, which involved the satisfaction of a mortgage that had run for 51 years without any payment except the interest. The mortgage was given for \$1,000 in 1863. For thirty-three years interest was paid at the rate of seven per cent. and for the past 18 years the rate was six per cent. The total interest paid on the mortgage was \$2,330 and the principal of \$1,000 was still due. Nearly three and a half times the principal was paid, and that, too, without reducing the original debt. The moral is obvious. Save your money and become a lender.—I. D. MacGregor.



Piedmont Opera House Tuesday Night February 16th. A policeman, whose evidence was taken on commission, deposed: "The prisoner sat upon me, calling me an ass, a precocious dolt, a scarecrow, a ragamuffin and an idiot." And this being the conclusion of his deposition, his signature was preceded by the formal ending, "All of which I swear to be true." Speaking of the weather—but there are some things that are absolutely unspeakable. "What are we to do for fashions if the war in France continues?" "Wear as little as we can and wait."—Cleveland Plain Dealer. Mr. Underwood has been sent to the Senate but it is to be seen whether he will be worth as much to the country there as he was in the House. Few of us will be disappointed if the Legislature should leave things about as it found them. Considering that the legislature meets at eleven o'clock and usually adjourns before one, it is having an easy time of it unless crowded with committee work. Every now and then a philosophical contemporary indulges in an academic discussion of the dangers attendant upon sudden and gross prosperity, but we would enthusiastically welcome an opportunity to give the matter practical and personal test.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. John M. Cook was called to Beaufort yesterday on business.

Miss Vivian Hoffman, of Elon College, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. Lawrence Waddell, of Carthage, is in town for a few days.

Mr. Charles C. Vestal spent Wednesday in Greensboro on business.

Mrs. J. H. Holt is the guest of friends and relatives in Baltimore for a number of weeks.

Miss Winifred Hall arrived this week from Washington to be the guest of Mrs. E. May.

Mrs. Joseph Gant, of Ossipee, spent several days recently in Greensboro.

Mr. Thomas S. Moser, ad man of The Dispatch, is helping The Mobano Leader this week.

Runaway June, at The Grotto is drawing a good crowd. Each episode is better.

Miss Beulah Foster left today to visit her aunt at Prospect Hill for a few days.

Mrs. M. C. Price returned Wednesday from a two weeks' visit to relatives at Morganton.

Be sure to see "Peg O' My Heart" at the Graded School. Tickets on sale at Freeman's Drug Store.

Read B. Goodman's ad on Page 3. He is offering some good bargains for the next twelve days. Everything as advertised.

The Chamber of Commerce Banquet at The Piedmont Hotel tonight should be attended by all the business men.

Mrs. H. A. Whitener and little daughter, of Hickory, are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Hatch, in West Burlington.

Mrs. P. H. Fleming, of Greensboro, is here with her daughter, Miss Nellie, who has been very sick for the past few days at the home of Mr. John R. Foster.

Mrs. W. F. Farrell and son returned to the city yesterday after spending several days with relatives in Burlington. She was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Daisy Hoffman, who will spend several days here visiting relatives.

"The Shepherd of the Hills," Harold Bell Wright's novel, which has been accorded the largest sale in the history of publishing in America, has been made into a play by Mr. Wright with the assistance of Elsbey W. Reynolds. It will be seen for the second time in this city at the Piedmont Park Casino, Tuesday night, Feb. 16th.

It tells a beautiful story of the Ozark mountains, a story that holds the auditor by its thrills from the beginning to the end. It is unique in character-drawing, giving to the stage a somewhat new atmosphere. The beauty of the Ozark mountain region lends itself to some very effective stage pictures, and Gaskill &

MacVitty, the producers, are said to have given the play an exceptionally beautiful mounting.

THERE'S PLENTY OF TIME.

National Magazine.

There's plenty of time for everything good.

There's time to laugh when you're in the mood, Time to labor and time to sleep, But not a minute of time to weep.

There's time enough to do your best, There's time to run and time to rest, There's plenty of time to strive and try,

But not a moment of time to sigh, There's time another's burden to share, Time for praise and time for prayer; Time for doing a kindly deed, But not a moment for grasping greed.

There's time enough to gather sweet flowers, Time to improve the passing hour; Time to be sure you're on the right track,

But not a moment for looking back.

There's time to do all you need to do; Time to be brave and strong and true, But no time to spare for sniffs and sneers, And not a minute to waste in fears.

There's time to work for the kingdom of God, Time for shedding His love abroad, Time to hope and patiently wait, But not a minute to spend in hate.

There's time to try to understand, Time to enjoy the beauties at hand; Time to live without making haste, But not a minute of time to waste.

After all the bragging we have done about it we should not talk before an opportunity to get real prohibition.

If there is evidence of cold feet at Raleigh it is time the leaders of the anti-saloon league were getting busy.

The advance in the price of cotton will mean much to the South even if it does not go as high as we could wish.

Those Mexicans who do not want to leave the country had better be careful about accepting the presidency.

People in vehicles or on foot cannot be too careful in moving about in a town with much traffic and narrow streets.

If Mrs. Aycock is defeated for the Raleigh postoffice she will have to thank those politicians who pulled her into the fight.

Some of us will have more faith in the good intentions of the Republicans of the State when they get together and fail to claim everything in sight.

If the city manager plan for this town is defeated it will be because the people care nothing about it one way or the other.

If the legislature would vote their real sentiments there is good reason to doubt that the anti-saloon league measures would pass.

The machine will withdraw its opposition to the primary when it sees that the thing is coming anyway. The machine is not looking for losing fights.

Those who have been advising the farmers as to the marketing of their cotton crop might now attempt to tell them how high it will go before it stops.

If our manufacturers cannot compete with the manufacturers of other countries on foreign markets it would seem that a merchant marine is unnecessary.

There cannot be a great deal of work in a cotton mill that can be done by a twelve-year-old child, and the chances are that the few employed need the work.

While we knew the strength of the real prohibition sentiment in this State, we were thinking that the pro-ward from a Democratic Legislature.

We were under the impression that the report of that board criticized the system rather than the State Treasurer, and if his is the case he will make a mistake if he rushes into print in defense of the system.

What has become of the old-fashioned woman who had one black dress known as her good dress that she wore to funerals, weddings, shows and to church.

See Us,
Before Buying Your Groceries.

We are new equipped with a Complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries. Everything new fresh and clean.

We specialize in Fresh Fish, Oysters, Game Dressed Poultry, Fruit, and Vegetables of all kinds.

Fresh Fish and Oysters every day in the week.

GIVE US A TRIAL. Prompt Delivery.

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THE SANITARY GROCERY STORE.
Phone 96. Burlington, N. C.

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For man or beast, will be offered by new customers holding a rebate card.

50c Bottle for 25c

Now is your chance to save a quarter on a standard article.

CITY DRUG CO.

It might not be a safe plan to leave the anti-saloon measure to a vote of the people. They might find what they think is a reasonable excuse for voting against them.

The pardoning proclivities of Governor Blease cannot have a tendency to help the good roads movement in South Carolina.

The Democrats had better postpone action on the pork barrel measure until they see how the stamp tax is going to work.

The rivers and harbors bill was cut down last session but in the end those manipulating that affair will get about what they want.

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ELON EXTENSION LECTURES.

Elon College, Feb. 11.—The College has just issued a neat folder giving the titles of addresses and lectures that have been delivered from time to time by the members of its faculty. This folder was issued at the request of high school and other officials who are interested in them in connection with their public lecture courses.

The introductory words of the pamphlet read as follows:

"The members of the Elon College faculty are frequently called upon to deliver lectures and addresses at various places, and they are always glad to accept such obligations when they do not conflict too seriously with their regular work. They feel that colleges owe it to the age to do more than instruct the select few who are fortunate enough to frequent their walls and pursue courses leading to degrees. It has therefore seemed wise to print in this little folder for the convenience of those interested a list of the lectures and addresses which they are prepared to give. It will be observed that these addresses are suitable for commencement occasions, community rallies, and celebrations as well as for instruction to members of institutions of learning. Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.'s have found them helpful, as also have Churches, Sunday schools and Young People's Societies. It should be added in conclusion that no charge is made for these lectures and that all communication respecting them should be addressed to the President of the College, or to the individual lecturers."

The subjects of the lectures and addresses indicate a wide range of themes, some of them technical, others popular, others practical. They are as follows:

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- The Life and Educational Work of Pestalozzi.
 - Fifty Years of Education in the United States.
 - The Higher Education of Woman.
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 - The Monastic System in Europe.
 - The United States as a World Power.
 - The Rise and Development of the Early Universities.
 - Rome as a World Power.
 - Peter Abelard.
 - The Opportunities of the Southern Boy.
 - Living the Heroic Life.
 - An Open Door to a Fuller Life.
 - Opportunities for Education and Culture.
 - The Worth and Inspiration of a Vision.
 - The Crises of Life and What Depends Upon Them.
- DR. J. O. ATKINSON.**
- "Going East by Sailing West."
 - Literature, Loyalty and Life.
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"Yo' dunruh! Yo' comes yah to git mar'd and den dunruh what you wants. Has yo' done lost yo' mind?"
"No, sah; but I'se sawtuh lost yo' "No, sah; but I's sawtuh lost muh 'thusiasm."—Judge.

Finally we may have to whip Mexico, but the longer we put it off the easier the task should be.

When they try to make Mr. Bryan out a grafter there is where their case falls down.

Sunday passed calmly without a new accession to the Mexican presidency.

Let them reduce the size of the loaf if they dare. The friend chicken season is not far off.

ELON COLLEGE NO. 1 ITEMS.

Sunshine, blessed sunshine, seems like we will have another day of sunshine.
Mr. Yancey Lowe had the misfortune to be kicked by a horse Sunday morning, breaking one rib and spraining his ankle, besides being pretty badly bruised other ways. Hope he will soon be up again.
Mr. Daniel Christman and family moved near Gibsonville last week. Sorry to lose our good neighbor and friend.
Miss Willie Gibbs is sick at this writing with diphtheria. We all wish her a speedy recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wyrick and children visited at W. J. Diamond's Sunday evening.
Mr. Isaac Brown, of Thompsonville, visited his uncle, Mr. I. W. Fargis, on this route Saturday night and Sunday.
There will be preaching at Fairview the Second Sunday.

The Country Life Club of Ossipee Graded School will hold its meeting Saturday night the 13th.
Miss Stella Patterson visited Misses Lulu and Ora Jones Sunday evening. We are listening for the wedding bells on this route before long. Ask Mr. Huston Saunders about it.
Miss Ada Shepard and brother, Claude, and Mr. Tillmond Fargis visited at W. J. Diamond's Sunday evening.

Messrs. W. J. Dimont and J. R. Lowe visited Mr. J. W. Somers Sunday morning.
The following is the honor roll for January, of Ossipee Graded School:
First Grade, Miss Cora Jeffcoat, teacher: Hurley Williams, Kenneth Williams, Beatrice Wagoner, Minnie Jones, Ruby Sutton, Ruby Sotuhard, Effie Merritt, James Merritt, Gertrude Michael, Leona Michael, Elsie Barber, Charlie Jones, Ellis Jones.

Second and Third Grades, Miss Florence Looman, teacher: Ethel Joens, Thelma Simpson, Stello Sutton, Thelma Thompson, Beulah Wrenn, Kenneth Stout, Hugh Winn, Robert Wrenn, Daniel Waynick.
Third Grade, Corl Anderson, Glenn Winn, Weldon Barber, Irvin Waynick, Alma Jones, Violet Wrenn.
Fourth and Fifth Grades, Miss Leanna Stuart, teacher: Lawrence Anderson, Margie Coble, Furnie Somers, Glenn Somers, Lake Stout, Armenias Williams, Vance Smith, Lacy Wagoner, Harley Shepard.

Fifth Grade, Barbara Anderson.
Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Grades, Miss Myrtle Nicholson, teacher: Hugh Wagoner, Mintie Somers, Willie Hughes, Heenan Barber, Seventh Grade, Willie Jones. Eighth Grade, Annie Somers.
Messrs. James Stout and Ernest Anderson visited at J. N. Jones, Sunday.

GOLDEN WEDDING OF MR. AND MRS. FOUST.

Fiftieth Anniversary of Marriage Was Celebrated at Home Near Graham—Enjoying Good Health.
The golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Foust, of near Graham, was held Tuesday at their home where members of their distinguished family and a large number of relatives and friends gathered from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. It was 50 years ago Tuesday that they were married, and the anniversary of that date, Feb. 9, 1865, was held in the old home where they have been living ever since.
Mr. and Mrs. Foust appeared in perfect health and happiness and received their friends at the front door with a warm welcome. Mr. Foust is

in his 83rd year and his wife is in her 77th. They received many congratulations and a large number of presents.
Young Eugene Foust, a grandson, and son of Thomas R. Foust, presented his grandfather a handsome gold headed cane in the name of his grandchildren. The aged, but strong man said he did not know what to do with this, that he had always been used to a hickory stick when such a thing was necessary.
A visitor at the anniversary described the host as a man of tremendous size, thoroughly progressive, and fully acquainted with the subjects of the times, widely read and an interesting conversationalist. "He is a man of a strong and rugged character and with one of the strongest intellects I have ever known in a man of his age."
The visitor was impressed, too, by the appearance of the house and surroundings, an old building set picturesquely in a large grove, everything old in appearance "and so attractive."

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Now who must hold the standard, It's banner to unfurl; For its' hero has fallen, Gone to another world. Paul Fry has dropped his mantle, On whom shall it fall We'll present it our Charley In Raleigh's Senate hall.
Hold up your banner, Charley, To the aged and youth, The emblem of liberty And the assembly of truth.
Don't flinch from their hisses Nor their sarcastic grin; But give them Hail Columbia And be sure to rub it in.
If they get warin enough to bliste And frown without a smile, Let them hike a street parade And fan themselves awhile.
Gird on your sword, Charley, Take firm hold on the hilt, Where we look for jewels We often find a jilt.
Judge Clark must be weak-kneed present. If the papers quote him right; Perhaps he has a mistress And can't put up a fight.
He has opened one eye to Peter, Closed both eyes to Paul, And tried to frame a fabric To save him from a fall.
He quotes a little from Peter (While the very chief was Paul); Don't know the dodge he'll make When Gabriel's trumpets shall call.
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