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COLONEL ROOSEVELT is as harmless as a sueking duck these days, if we may judge from his Chicago speech.

THE increased postage on magazines is such a rotten measure that it cannot be brought in the open, so it is smuggled into an appropriation bill.

Champ Clark's determination to annex Canada as created quite an international disturbance; but other nations do not know Champ as well as we do.

THE passing of the Goulds is either a case of too much Wall Street instead of good management of railroads, or too much Rockefeller—perhaps both.

THE Bathtub Trust is being investigated by the Department of Justice; but the question of the public paying interest on the watered stock of railroads receives no attention.

THE "pauper labor" cry of the protectionists cannot be applied to the products of Canada, where wages average as high as in the United States, and in the lumber industry they are higher.

THE old hardshell standpatters are getting a good deal of comfortable terror out of their fears that reciprocity is the opening wedge for free trade and the death and burial of the protective system.

THE Boston Spiritualists say that they have heard from Professor James who is now residing on a higher plane, and that all is well We wish that we could say as much about Congress from the legislative plane at Washington.

UPWARDS of 5000 mill operatives in Waltham and Watertown, Massachusetts are idle, although the protective tariff is in full blast, and there is no reciprocity or free trade in effect, which the Republicans claim would bring about this calamity.

UNIVERSITIES run on modern plans and paying salaries to match the high cost of living are expensive institutions. Harvard finds itself with a deficit of $50,000 for the past year, and the professors of political economy are more than ever in favor of tariff reform in consequence.

AN extraordinary session of Congress? To be or not to be that's the question!. President Taft, who is the only power that can force Congress to meet whether it wants to or not, does not want Congress on his hands after March 4th, for it seems, he has already lost 20 pounds in weight since December 7th.

THE Province of Quebec intends to adhere to the policy of restricting the exportation of pulp wood, hoping thereby to become the center of the pulp and paper industry of the world. Quebec will find that the world is a rather extensive territory, and there are some lively competitors for the paper industry in the United States.

THE charge made by F. J. Lowe, who represents the export merchants of New York City, that the export figures of the United States Bureau of Statistics are systemtaically padded, is no news to those who keep in touch with such matters. The export figures are not the only ones that have been monkeyed with.

POSTAL REFORMS.

Whether it is true or not, the general impression is that Hitchcock's attempts to increase the postage on the advertising pages of the magazines from one cent to four cents per pound is a partisan plan to punish the progressive magazines and kill off the Insurgent movement. Postmaster-General Hitchcock is the head of the partisan Republican machine and is expected to deliver "the goods" at the national convention which will renominate President Taft, and the postage plan is one of the means used to do it. As the stalwart and old guard members of Congress are all united for President Taft's renomination and are bitterly opposed to the Insurgents, they are willing to see the Hitchcock plan carried out and will aid in doing so.

As Mr. Hitchcock is so keen to reform the affairs of the Postoffice Department, why does he aid and abet the continuation of the contract for "return cards" on envelopes, which it is claimed nets the contractor about one million dollars a year in profits That is really a discount to large users of stamped envelopes which the Government pays. The contract for the printing of the return cards expires June 30, but although the printers and newspapers are asking that this graft be discontinued by which the department could save a vast sum, yet Boss Penrose, chairman of the Senate committee on postal affairs and Postmaster-General Hitchcock act as though they have a financial interest in the renewal of the contract. Have they?

Valuable Prize For Bible Study.

We call the attention of our readers to the "Suggestive Lesson" in this issue. They only need to be read to be appreciated, and if read carefully, comparing the questions with the Scripture upon which they are based, they will not fail to impress the reader with their great significance.

These questions are inspiring sermons, addresses, and newspaper articles in hundreds of towns; they are a stimulus and help thousands of Bible Class Teachers and students. The man on the streets reads and discusses them with his chum; they are read in the homes of the people and afford interesting subjects for profitable discussion. Almost any one question will suggest as much thought to the average reader; as would take a newspape column to express, and the thought will be his own.

The questions are not dry tomes; they are fresh, interesting, and suggestive, and one can learn from them, by way of suggestion, more than by reading an entire magazine devoted to the philosophy of everyday.

These questions cover the all-round needs of human nature, while they are a wonderful help in elucidating, and enforcing the Bible lesson which they are based.

Don't fail to read them from now on, and be ready to start in the easy Bible contest which is to commence in a few weeks, and thus you may hope to win one of the beautiful gold medals.

See our announcement last week and those that are to follow. Subscribe for the TIMES today, using the attached coupon and get in line with this popular Bible study movement.

Cut Out and Send to this Office.

Send the FRANKLIN TIMES from now to .....19 the close of the Bible Question Club Contest, for the price of $1.50 enclosed. Count me a member of the Local Club

Name .....

Address .....

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express, through the columns of the TIMES our heart-felt thanks to our friends for their kind nesses during our wifes and mothers illness and death. No words can express our thanks and appreciations for the favors and tender thoughtfulness rendered.

A. W. JACKSON.
LOLA JACKSON.

John W. Sickelsmith, Greensboro, Pa., has three children, and like most children they frequently take cold. "We have tried several kinds of cough medicine," he says, 'but have never found any yet that did them as much good as much good as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy." For sale by all dealers.

Bunn News Items.

The Bunn Drug Company has opened for business. The building, which is a small one, is nicely fitted up and the drug store presents a very attractive appearance. A complete line, together with first rate soda fountain, makes this a very desirable addition to the business enterprise of the place.

Several new residences are being erected and the place is taking in the dimensions of a town. Among those preparing to build are Robt. White, John R. Alford, J. G. Bunn and B. C. Montgomery.

Rev. J. W. Patton, Masonic lecturer, has just completed a two weeks stay with the Evening Star Lodge. A most enjoyable sermon was preached at the school by Mr. Patton during his visit.

Miss Eva Spruill, of Asbury Park, N. J., is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Robt. Wheless.

The school has been recently visited by Prof. N. W. Walker, State High School Inspector, Mr. Walker expressed himself as highly pleased with the condition of the school and suggested that the school has grown to such an extent that a new and modern building is a necessity. As a result of Mr. Walker's suggestions there has been considerable talk of the advisability of erecting such a building, and it now seems highly probable that a definite move in that direction will be started this spring. Already there have been received several offers of land and money for this purpose.

The Woman's Betterment Association gave a very delightful social affair a few nights ago. An excellent speech was made by President Madison, of the Cullowhee Normal Institute on "Education and Wealth." The music was of a high order, several songs and instrumental pieces being rendered. Miss Buell, of Buffaloe, N. Y., sister of Mr. Guy Buell, sang several beautiful songs with a charm that has rarely been heard here.

A considerable sum of money was raised by the Betterment Association and will be used in improvement of the school.

DON'T EXPERIMENT.

You Will Make No Mistake if You follow This Advice.

Never neglect your kidneys.

If you have pain in the back, urinary disorders, dizziness and nervousness, it's time to act and no time to experiment. These are all symptoms of kidney trouble, and you should seek a remedy which is known to cure the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use. No need to experiment. It has cured many stubborn cases in this vicinity.

Can Louisburg residents demand further proof than that contained in the following testimonial?

Mrs. Robert Williams, 323 S. Franklin St., Rocky Mount, N. C., says: "I take pleasure in confirming the public statement I gave in July 1908 in which I told of my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills, as the relief they gave me has been lasting. I suffered severely from dull, nagging backaches and I had distressing pains in my kidneys, arms and limbs. I was quite restless at night and the remedies that I took did not seem to have any effect at all. Finally I was induced to get Doan's Kidney Pills and it did not take them long to restore me to good health."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
DIAMOND BRAND
Beware of Counterfeits
Refuse all Substitutes.
LADIES! Ask your Druggist for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. TAKE NO OTHER. Buy of your Druggist and ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for twenty-five years regarded as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.
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If you earn $10,000 a year and spend $11,000 you will fall behind. If you earn ten dollars a week and save part of it you will get ahead—and there is no other way to do so. Get out of the tread mill

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UNDER SUPERVISION OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

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Is ready for business. We are busy receiving our stock of drugs, medicines and sundries. We are prepared to fill any prescription you may bring us All of our medicines are fresh, the very kind you will want to take or use if you are ill, right from the manufacturers. We also have a full stock of garden seeds and irish potatoes. Our Mr. G. L. Aycock is authority on the seed business here and has selected the best and most popular varieties known. Your old friend, Gaston Aycock and Sam Boddie are in charge and wish to see you all at our store. We are not through arranging the building yet.

We are prepared to serve your needs,

In Drugs, Medicines and Garden Seeds.

We are in the store recently vacated by the W. E. White Furniture Company, on Market Street, opposite court house. Watch our adds in every issue of the Times, it will pay you to read them.

Respectfully your friends,
AYCOCK DRUG CO.

Remember I am getting in new goods every day and will sell cheaper than anybody, give me a trial.
J. W. KING.

The damaged goods are going right along. Come quick and get some of these rare bargains.
J. W. KING.

FOR SALE.

A selected lot of Sodga, or Soy, beans for sale cheap. Only a limited quantity left. Makes fine feed for stock.
McKINNE BROS. CO.

FOR SALE OR RENT

The Taylor residence on Cedar street, apply to J. W. WEAVER.
R. F. D. No. 4. Louisburg, N. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Marina Perry, deceased, late of Franklin county, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to exhibit the same to me on or before February 17th 1912 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment This February 17th, 1911.

J. R. COLLIE, Adm'r
of Marina Perry Dec'd
W. H. Yarborough, Jr, Att'y.

NOTICE

By virtue of the power conferred upon me in a certain mortgage deed made and executed by Mrs. Bettie Fuller to W. A. Benton, on the 20th, day of February 1906, which is recorded in the Registry of Franklin county in book 142 at page 365, I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in the town of Louisburg, on Monday the 3rd, day of April, 1911, at 12 o'clock, m, for cash, the following described tract or parcel of land situate in Dunn's township, Franklin county, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Martha Patterson, Nannie Alford and others and more particularly described in said deed of mortgage, it being the tract of land on which the late Mrs. Bettie Fuller resided during her life time, containing 50 acres as per commissioners report and surveyors report recorded orders and decrees No. 3 at page 181 in Clerk of the Superior Court's office Franklin county. This the 3rd day of March, 1911.

W. A. BENTON, Mortgagee.

FOR RENT

Desirable 5 room cottage adjoining F N Egerton and B G Hicks residence, city water furnished free. Rent cheap. Apply to
MRS R Z EGERTON

J. P. Winston

Has moved his stock to the Alston building, my old stand, next to the Beasley-Alston Drug Co. I have bought out the entire stock of W. P. Neal & Co, and in the lot there is more shoes than you can shake a stick at, going way down in price. I have two many different articles to mention so come on and see

Really,
J. P. WINSTON

Here I Am Again

Badly Disfigured But Still in the Ring

The big fire in my store on last Wednesday morning, necessitate my selling good many things way below cost, so there will be a

Great reduction on all damaged goods for the next ten days

Come Quick If You Want a Bargain.

I will sell for spot cash all goods that got wet the night of the fire at greatly reduced price. I am selling shoes at and below cost, dry goods the same, ladies hose worth 15c at 8c, Granulated sugar at 4 and 5 cents 10c bladder of Snuff at 5c, 2 plugs of tobacco 5c. I have about 300 collars worth 15c I will sell at 5c each just to move them, so come at once if you want a bargain. Dunlop Flour at $4 75, Excelsior flour at $4 25. Remember every thing is cash when sold at reduced price.

J. W. KING

All parties owing me will please settle same at once, as my loss by fire is heavy.

NOTICE, MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

By virtue of authority conferred in a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed to me on January, 20th 1910, by A M Brantley and wife Ida Brantley, and duly registered, I shall sell at public auction at the court house door in Louisburg, Franklin county; on Monday, March, 20th 1911, at twelve o'clock, m that certain tract of land situate in Towns township, Franklin county, and bounded on the North by the land of S. C. Hopkins on the west by the land of B H Murray, on the south by the land of R T Batchelor and on the east by the land of G T Taylor, containing twenty-five acres, more or less Terms of sale cash This February, 11th 1911

J. R. J. FINCH, Mortgagee.
J. D. Bardin, Atty.

SPRING - GOODS

Mrs. Hall Has Just Returned From the North With a Nice Line of

You Can Get Some Special Bargains. Come and See Them.