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DEFECT IN OUR SCHOOLS.

We are prone to brag about our educational advancements, and the improvements in our schools, but we sometimes think our schools have gone ahead too fast in at least some respects. There are too many text books and too many distracting activities in our schools today.

Children in the schools a generation ago did not use as many textbooks as the children use now. They were not taught so many things, but what they did learn they learned thoroughly. The result was that when they grew up they were well grounded in the things they had been studying.

Children in school today learn a little about many things but they do not learn a great deal about anything. Much of their so-called learning is superficial, and when they get to be men and women they will be inefficient in whatever they try to do. This is bound to be the result.

This defect in our present day school system, which has been growing for several years, has now reached the point where a halt is demanded. Fortunately, the situation is being recognized by many school authorities, and we may look for a change in the right direction before very long.

It is going to take longer to put the peace resolution into effect than it took to put the war resolution into effect. And more's the pity.

The shipyard workers who made \$20 and \$30 a day during the war are not asking for a bonus—yet.

The disarmament conference will, at any rate, enable the nations to tell each other how hard up they are.

AS TO BALD HEADS.

The statement is going the rounds of the press that some scientist has said that baldness is caused by undue work, but we don't take much stock in it. If any scientist made such a statement he probably is not in good standing with the Scientists' Union.

Baldness is caused by a disease of the scalp or of the blood rather than by fatigue or strain of the brain. Some of our heaviest thinkers have well thached heads.

But the statement suggests this idea: Baldheaded men should bear in mind that a reputation for wisdom has been thrust upon them and they should try to live up to it. They should be slow to speak and when they do speak they should choose their words carefully.

WASTE.

Ragpickers salvage two billion dollars worth of stuff a year, thrown away by Americans, we are told by the Waste Trade Journal.

The salvage includes 290,000 tons of brass and 200,000 tons of automobile tires, inner tubes and other junk rubber.

Fifty thousand people are kept busy picking up what we throw away. This is a salvage amounting to \$40,000 each.

There is an old saying: "Eu rope could live on what America throws away."

We are a wasteful people, because normally we are the most prosperous in the world.

Look in the garbage can or around the back lot for proof of your own wastefulness.

LOW ROUND TRIP FARES TO TARBORO ON ACCOUNT OF THE COASTAL PLAIN FAIR.

For the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell round trip tickets to Tarboro at reduced fares for all trains on October 31st to November 3rd, inclusive, and for trains scheduled to arrive Tarboro by noon on November 4th, limited returning to reach original starting point prior to midnight of November 6, 1921.

The reduced fares will apply from Selma, Wilson, Rocky Mount, Spring Hope, Weldon, Ahmskie, Plymouth, Washington, Greenville and all agency stations intermediate thereto and Tarboro, but only where tickets are purchased before boarding trains.

Fare from Weldon, \$2.52. For schedules and further information, call on D. L. HORNADAY, Ticket Agent, A. C. L., Weldon, N. C.

MR. FORD'S flivver sets the price of other autos, and sometimes sets the pace.

CONGRESSWOMAN Alice Robertson, of Oklahoma, says the most members of Congress talk too much. And there you are.

STILL another definition of an optimist, says the Roanoke Times, is a man who can see the bright side of the other fellow's misfortunes.

ARE YOU

Looking "Through a Glass Darkly?"

It is a great reflection upon man's intelligence, that it ever becomes necessary to persuade him to seek his eternal welfare.

"Self preservation, being the first law of nature" it seems he would naturally seek aid from the source assuring everlasting protection.

Now, the question arises, why does not the human race voluntarily seek salvation? It is because "being born in sin" it yields to the influence of Satan, who is ever exerting his power to keep it in a worldly channel, and it is only when it stops, and brings its reasoning powers into play, that the path of duty opens up before it, then the wise will fall into line with Heaven's Hosts, and get the happiness from this life, and that to come, with which our Master rewards the faithful.

"When we profess religion" it is dishonest toward God and ourselves, unless the profession is based upon a change of heart which must be experienced through "Divine Grace" in the absence of this, the profession is merely formal—injures the cause, and proves a great "stumbling block" to the world.

One not genuinely converted, cannot live up to those high principles of religion, unknown to him.

The truly converted person, is like a train equipped with "markers" that designate its class.

My Christian friends are you carrying the "markers" by which your class may be known?

J. B. T.

MANY sins are committed in the name of Sinn Fein.

THE greatest asset of all political parties is prejudice.

THE world has had just about enough of the Irish stew.

AND you see what disarmament has done for West Virginia.

AN ex-kinged did the other day, but we have forgotten his name.

A public service is called because if you don't get the service you have plenty of company.

THE nations should disarm, and the nations' leaders should quit talking so much.

OHIO is planning to build a \$27,000,000 penitentiary. And no doubt some people will wonder if it will be big enough.

YOU are going to wake up some morning before long and find that President Harding has issued a Thanksgiving proclamation.

A correspondent wants to know if a Democrat who tries to land an office under a Republican administration isn't an optimist. No; he is just a plain fool.

IT is a fine thing to be able to make an excuse, but it is a much finer thing not to have to make it.

CLOGGED BLOOD WITHERS THE BODY

Workers Sick and Weak From Exertion Take Gude's Pepto-Mangan.

Men and women who toil, either physically or mentally, use up energy. When they overwork they use up more energy, and sometimes the blood gets in a run-down condition. Without rest the blood cannot get back to normal, so that it becomes clogged with waste matter from over exertion.

The clogged blood virtually withers the body. The strained looks on pale faces, the thin, bloodless arms, the sunken cheeks and necks, the dead-tired feeling, are the results of stale blood depriving the system of life-giving oxygen.

Workers go to the drug store and get Gude's Pepto-Mangan when they feel weak and run-down. They take it in either the liquid or the tablet form. That makes the blood rich and red and drives out the poisons. Life giving oxygen, carried by the little cells, renews the strength and builds up the entire system. Look for the name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" on the package.—Advertisement.

WHENEVER you get to feeling blue, just think how much worse off you would be if you lived in Ireland.

WILL the world reach the point where it will be the League of Nations against the Association of Nations?

AND now China proposes to try cotton growing. Another nation that doesn't know when it is well off.

NEXT DOSE CALOMEL MAY SALIVATE YOU

It is Mercury, Quicksilver, Shocks Liver and Attacks Your Bones

Calomel salivation is horrible. It swells the tongue, loosens the teeth and stasis rheumatism. There's no reason why a person should take sickening, salivating calomel when a few cents buys a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone—a perfect substitute for calomel. It is a pleasant vegetable liquid which will start your liver just as surely as calomel, but it doesn't make you sick and can not salivate.

Calomel is a dangerous drug, besides it may make you feel weak and nauseated tomorrow. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone instead and you will wake up feeling great. No salts necessary. Your druggist says if you don't find Dodson's Liver Tone acts better than treacherous calomel your money is waiting for you.

GOVERNOR SMALL, of Illinois, says he will run for re-election. This sounds like a challenge to the prosecuting attorney and the jury.

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NOVEMBER 1, 2, 3, 4, 1921.

ARMISTICE DAY.

All Roads Leading to Weldon November the 11th—American Legion Planning The Biggest Celebration The County Has Ever Seen.

WELDON

has already started to dress up for the big Armistice Day Celebration and by the time the big day, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH, has rolled around the busy city will team with the holiday atmosphere and the ex-service men will once more come to the front and bring to the minds of the people that the good old Stars and Stripes still fly proudly at its peak. Three years ago November 11th victory was theirs. Today peace reigns and there is something to celebrate.


The American Legion men of Halifax county ARE GOING TO CELEBRATE and they want every person in the whole world to come to Weldon ARMISTICE DAY to help them make it the biggest day the county has ever known.

The celebration begins with a monstrous parade which will start at 11 o'clock in the morning to be headed by the ex-service men and band, followed by floats depicting "The Discovery of America" by the Book Club of Littleton; "American Freedom 1776" by D. A. R. Chapter, of Halifax; "Victory" by the Thursday Afternoon Club of Weldon; "Education," by the Roanoke Rapids Schools; "Health" by Dr. Paul C. Carter, County Health Officer; "Welfare," by the Rosemary Study Club; "Boy Scouts" by the Weldon Troop; "Federated Clubs," by the Weldon Book Club and many others. Advertising floats will follow the first section of this division.

Mr. A. E. Akers, county superintendent, has declared November 11th a holiday for all schools throughout the county, that the school children may attend the celebration in Weldon. Congressman Steagall, of Alabama, will speak at the Opera House immediately after the parade, after which a turkey and oyster dinner will be served free to all ex-service men. At 2 o'clock a big football game will be staged between the University of North Carolina and A. and E. College (Freshman teams) which promises to be a battle royal. At night a big minstrel will be given at the Opera House in which fifty people will take part. The production will be under the direction of "Deep C." Green, a minstrel producer of many years' experience, and will run through two hours of real wholesome comedy, song, dance and novelties galore.

AN EIGHT PAGE PAPER TO BE PRINTED BY LEGION POST.

The American Legion Post of Weldon will get out an eight page paper in conjunction with the Armistice Day celebration and will distribute same all over Halifax county. The sheet will contain advertisements from merchants in every town in the county and will be one of the best advertising mediums. The local ex-service men are not asking for contributions from any merchant or individual but ask the co-operation of every merchant in the county and guarantee that any advertisement given will bring real results.



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Plate Meat, lb	Cheese, lb	29c	Maxwell House, lb
Rib Side,			Lord Calvert, lb
Cured Bacon,			Levering's, lb
SUGAR, lb	6 1/2c	Mackerel, nice large fish	7c.
Oat Meal, package	10c	Canned Fruits	Maine Style Corn, reg. size
Cornflakes and Post Toasties	10c	No. 3 Can Hanto Peaches	2 for
Package	10c	No. 3 Can Gold Seal "	Beets, small rose brand,
Shredded Wheat,	17c.	A good desert peach, heavy	large can
Cream of Wheat,	29c	syrup	20c
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