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AS TO VALUES.

A one-cent stamp, printed by the government of British Guinea in 1856, sold the other day in Paris for \$32,077.

For that much money you could buy a diamond ring big enough to look as if a small hen had laid it. Values are usually fictitious—imaginary. So, too, are the most things in human life, especially emotions and so-called knowledge.

SQUEEZED.

In one year the 12 federal reserve banks of the country have reduced their commercial loans from \$1,224,533,000 to \$362,662,000. The reduction is more than two-thirds.

There seems to be little human interest in these figures. Back of them, though, is the greatest tragedy of our generation—the story of deflation, with its hurricane of desperation, fear, loss, despair and necessity.

MANY of the broker shops have gone broke along with their patrons.

THERE has been another large addition to the unemployed—Fatty Arbuckle.

It is pretty evident that this Col. Nutt, one of the chief prohibition officers, isn't one.

THE party in power is never as good as it says it is, nor as bad as opposition says it is.

THE call now is for red-blooded Americans. The old blue-blooded crowd are out of date.

THOSE Irishmen would get along better with each other if they would kiss the Blarney stone.

It is proposed to train reserve officers by mail. But will the future wars be fought that way.

It would help the government treasury some if Congress would put a luxury tax on divorces.

ANYBODY can view with alarm. It takes real discernment to be able to point with pride these days.

BAKE RUTH counts that day lost whose low descending sun hath not seen him sweat another home run.

A good memory is a wonderful thing, but there is many a man who would be more popular if he did not have one.

WE suppose that after the Senate has disposed of everything else it will take up the Tom Watson charges again.

THE New York zoo has a monkey that eats like a man. Wonder what he thinks of men that eat like monkeys.

PRESIDENT HARDING'S income tax was \$18,000, and one of our exchanges thinks the law may be changed soon.

WE will have to be careful how we treat those South American republics if we keep on reducing our army and navy.

A Chicago woman complains that men will trust a woman individually but not collectively. There is something in that, too.

Now some congressmen claim that they are underpaid. But they will not get much sympathy until they can show that they are overworked.

AN English lecturer who was over here not long ago says Americans have bad manners. They must have told him what they thought of him.

It takes more than "nerve" and "bravery" to enter into the marriage ceremony. It takes judgment and it takes honesty and sincerity. It requires the square deal between the two parties to the marriage contract. It means consideration for the other party.

No man or woman should enter into the marriage ceremony who does not know how to compromise on the non-essentials. Any man or woman who marries with the expectation of having it his or her own way is headed straight for the divorce court.

And this great fact might be taken under consideration by the minister in question as well as by all others. When a marriage ends in failure it is not wedlock that is at fault; it is the parties who enter into it.

DO IT RIGHT. It takes very little if any more time and trouble and expense to do a thing right than to do it half right. But many people do not realize this.

And when you do a thing well you get so much more satisfaction out of it. Nobody is ever happy over a slovenly job of any kind.

One of the main reasons why many people never succeed in life, and are continually discontented, is that they have never learned to do their work thoroughly.

GENERAL PERSHING says the army needs second lieutenants. Well, as the man remarked when he saw a woman kissing a dog, there is no accounting for issues.

Corsages and all kinds of Cut flowers sold at lowest prices. Weldon Furniture Co.

Advertisement for Weldon Coca-Cola Bottling Works, Inc. featuring an illustration of a man with a tray of Coca-Cola bottles. Text includes 'You're Next!', 'Bottled Coca-Cola Delicious and Refreshing', 'Ice-cold—just the beverage you want for wholesome, good old thirst.', and 'Telephone your grocer for a case for your home.' Price '5¢' is highlighted.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

To Authorize the Board of School Trustees of Weldon to Issue Bonds

Under Chapter 119, Public Local and Private Laws of North Carolina, Session 1921, notice is hereby given to the voters of the Weldon (graded) School District that an election will be held on TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1922, under the provisions of the act entitled "An Act to Authorize the Board of School Trustees of Weldon to Issue Bonds."

The resolution which has been passed by the Board of Commissioners for the Town of Weldon, N. C., is as follows: "Resolved, That the Board of School Trustees of Weldon to Issue Bonds" be authorized to issue bonds to the amount of \$100,000.00 for the purpose of providing for the maintenance of the Weldon (graded) School District.

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Section 1. That an election be called as provided in said Act to be held on Tuesday, May 20, 1922, and that at said election the said Act be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the Weldon (graded) School District. Section 2. That thirty days' notice of such election containing a copy of said Act and of said election be published as provided by law.

Trade At Rocky Mount

Kill two birds with one stone. Come to the baseball games at Rocky Mount and do your shopping while here. Combining business with pleasure in this way you will find that you have an excellent place to shop and a wide range of styles and articles to select from.

Merchants Association

ROCKY MOUNT, North Carolina. Under the powers conferred on the undersigned trustee in a certain deed of trust dated the 2nd day of March, 1920...

Trustee's Sale of Land.

Under the powers conferred on the undersigned trustee in a certain deed of trust dated the 2nd day of March, 1920...

Announcement.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Halifax County in the coming Democratic Primary and will appreciate the support of all Democrats.

Low Week End Round Trip Fares to WILMINGTON \$7.05

Tickets will be sold each Friday and Saturday, until September 23rd, limited returning to reach original starting point prior to midnight of the Tuesday following date of sale.

Atlantic Coast Line

The Standard Railroad of the South. Announcement. I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination by the Democratic party as a member of the next State Senate from the Fourth Senatorial District, subject to the coming primary, in Halifax County.

Trustee's Sale of Land.

Under the powers conferred on the undersigned trustee in a certain deed of trust dated the 8th day of November, 1918, from Guyton Daniel to E. J. Hale...

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Announcement.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer subject to the action of the Democratic primaries June 3rd, 1922.