## **A Ford Feature**

No feature of the new Ford car has been the subject of more enthusiastic approval than its riding light or medium weight class, the degree to which the Model A absorbs lititle short of unbelievable.

a simple, non-technical way.

transverse, semi-elliptic springs of the Model A are heavier, role in the Civil war, and many of stronger, and more flexible than

One of the chief essentials in riding comfort is a high proportion of sprung weight and a low proportion war; and without their advice to is all the weight suspended by the flexible ends, of the springs; unroad shocks delivered against the and greatly worried. One mother, frame, body, and motor of the car, however, seemed very cheerful and and the more difficult to absorb.

their middle, or heaviest and thick- was approached and asked why she est portions, below the line of was not worried as she knew her sprung weight. Thus, the weightiest son was in the battle. She stated form part of the unsprung weight, knew it was the battle of Seven adding to the size of the "hammer" Pines, but even if there was only and the power of the blows dealt by one pine there she felt certain the highway against the body, frame Charlie was behind it. Later on. and motor of the car.

weight.

Aside from the question of weight, the transverse spring contributes again to the comfettable riding qualities of the Model A.

ward by way of the rear axle and The Republic of France awarded the rear springs-the rear springs him practically everything except. actually serve as driving members! the Eiffel Tower. His monument The front halves of these sprins must stands at the west side of the courttherefore be made stiff enough to house square. serve this purpose, and their flexibility, which enables them to per- court bench in North Carolina toform their cushioning function, is day, is a resident of Carthage. The Moreover, in order to be efficient at the last election, but being on the driving members, their front ends Republican ticket in North Carolina must be fastened firmly to the frame is equal to the same thing as being of the car. This means that the on the Democratic ticket in Pennlengthening of the spring as shocks sylvania. Although Hoover jarree are encountered must be entirely to- the faith of the fathers there reward the rear, for only the rear end mains three fundamental beliefs of of the spring can have a shackled a North Carolinian and particularly and hinged mounting. As the spring a Carthagenian, Namely: Hell, Calo-Alexes, therefore, the rear wheels are mel and the Democratic Party. moved backward and forward, and meither a constant nor a uniform much history attached to it, withwheelbase can be maintained.

ston wrote his big book about him, people are beginning to realize that he was truly a great president.

Cornwallis was passing through Carthage one evening, trying to enforce stamp acts and other outrages, qualities. To prisons accustomed and decided to spend the night. He te ride in a car in the so-called camped at Colonel Glasscock's house, just beyond the town cemetery. Colonel Glasscock was a first cousin of George Washington and several road shocks and resists side sway is families in Carthage are direct descendants of the Colonel, and many It is possible to explain the new of the old timers in all sincerity and car's efficiency in theses respects in seriousness often refer to our first president as "Cousin George."

This town also played a leading our old soldiers today will tell you those used on any previous Ford car. if it hadn't been for their personal guard over Stonewall Jackson he'd have been killed the first year of the of unsprung weight. Sprung weight to General Lee, Richmond would have been captured in less than three weeks. it ways during the sprung weight is the dead weight Civil war that many of the Carthage below those flexible ends. It fol-lows that the higher the propor-Seven Pines. The next day mothers tion of unsprung weight, the more were getting the news of the killed powerful and violent will be the and wounded and many were in tears attended her household duties sing-Some semi-elliptic springs rest on ing and going her way rejoicing. She sections of the springs themselves that she had no fear at all; that she Sherman passed near Carthage, and In Ford design, the traverse out of pure meanness and just for springs rest on their flexible ends, devilment, he moved the old land with their heavy mid-portions upper- | corner stone and the "Capital" of most, in which position they form Moore has been swamped with lawpart of the sprung, or cushioned suits to quiet title to land even unto

### this day. Heroic Jim McConnell

James Rogers McConnell, of the LaFayette Escadrille, was a resi-The ordinary car is pushed for-ard by way of the rear axle and him practically everything except stually serve as driving members, the Fiffel Tower. His reaccept

The best judge on the supreme

So if the county seat has this out even mentioning the "house in cally, mentally, spiritually.

In the Model A the rar seprings the horseshoe," and all these events serve a cushioning function only. and misdemeanors having taken "The care is pushed forward through place around our "Capital" city, it The torque tube and radius rods, seems fitting that the stranger who which carry the thrust to a point is within our gates should have some well forward on the chassis. Both means of apprehendiing his whereends of the springs, therefore, are abouts and realize that he's walkhinged, and all leaves ing around near something besides are as flexible as their efficiency good sunshine, fresh air and poor and cushioning members require. sandhill land. While Paul Revere The flexing of the springs has no ef- didn't ride through this little town in fect on the length of the wheelbase the small hours of the morning and wake us out of the usual Carthage En addition to the special spring snore. David Fannin of Revolutiondesign, the Model A Ford has as ary fame, or someone he was after, standard equipment a very fine type did iump a horse over a sixty foot of hydraulic shock absorbers which precipice into Deep river and we add materially to the smooth riding believe it was a better trick. So, if it pleases you, Mr. Editor, we hope you will give us a little space every week to tell a few anecdotes, let the general public in on some large reports and detail a few incidents which have taken place in your "Capital city." We'll start about the year 1620 and come on down to 1929, for, as the Rev. Billy Sunday would say, "the half has never been told."



Girl Friends

Catherine Wing, 24, were arrested at Los Angeles suspected of violating the Mann Act. Federal agents said Miss Wing had posed as the busband of Stella Harper for four years. The girls said Catherine made more money disguised as a m.

described i nthe Bible were not in- harmless, yet works with surprising teresting because of their social position or anything of the kind but power to digest 3,000 times its own because of the decision they made. Young people are interesting and successful or unsuccessful because reduced in a corresponding degree. town had a candidate for governor of the decisions they make. "Some of you boy and girls, boys especialy, are standing idle, merely drift-

> Mr. Waters showed by concrete example that idleness and inactivity mean physical ruin and mental stagnation. The principal in a few forceful sentences tried to carry home to the boys and girls the fact that proper decisions will mean as much to them as it did to the lepers. "Why sit we here until we die?"-physi-

#### **DR. FRANK CRANE SAYS**

#### The Art of Pleasing

Now that we are learning to do all sorts of things it might be well to devote a little attention to that most important art of all arts, the

Science you may learn out of a book. HUNTERS An Art takes practice.

ATTA CHIPTITICAL INDUCIND

It is not a sin or moral something / Hunters of North Carolina up unwe are talking about, but just com- til Jan. 10 had paid \$166,000 in limon sense and expediency. You cense fees, Wade H. Phillips, direc- up till the middle of February. The want people to please you; then tor of the Department of Conservalearn how to please them. Permit, therefore, a few hunches Total collections for the current

for inquiring minds on this matter. year, the director said, are running LEE 1. Beware of egotism. In some about the same as for last season form or other, that is what we dis- when there was about \$162,000 at like about everybody. Do not praise the end of the year.

ter. Nine things out of ten that are already expired, others have until served as Lee-Jackson day. It was threatening disappear when you March 1 to run. laugh at them. It is very disheartening to live with one who is perpet- bear expires on January. 15. The here was the closing of Page Trust ually tragic.

3. Cultivate a pleasant voice. Do not talk too loud, nor mumble so words.

4. Be neat. Clothe yourself as well as you can afofrd. Do not have dark fingernails, frayed cuffs, towseled hair, nor unclean shoes. Keeping clean is not egotism, it is a due regard for other people's feelings. Clean your teeth. Beware of halitosis.

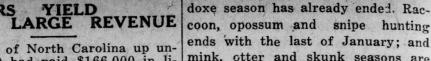
5. Write plainly, one letter at a time with comfortable spaces b2tween.

6. Do not be argumentative. Why argue? Most things do not matter. 7. Observe the little politenesses. Say, "I thank you" and "If you please." Get up when a lady en-ters the room. Take off your hat when you meet a woman.

8. When you are slandered or abused, say nothing, as a rule. People can respond to anything you say, but it's hard to answer silence.

### **Stomach Sufferers**

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ends with the last of January; and mink, otter and skunk seasons are season for Turkey, quail and grouse tion and Development, announced. runs until the first of March.

TAGE FOUR

## AND JACKSON HONORED BY SOUTH

Last Saturday, January 19, birthvourself, nor dispraise yourself, nor, in fact, talk of yourself at all. Hab-months for hunting, largely due to ly observed as a holiday throughitual dispraise is a common form the influx of non-resident hunters out the South. Stonewall Jackson's of disagreeable egotism. the influx of North Carolina in large birthday came on Monday, January 2. Do not be tragic. Have a sense numbers during this month. Although 21, but as had been the custom for of humor. Most things do not mat- some of the hunting seasons have some years past the 19th was oba legal holiday in North Carolina.

The season for squirel, deer and About the only evidence of the fact dove season expires Jan. 15. The Company.

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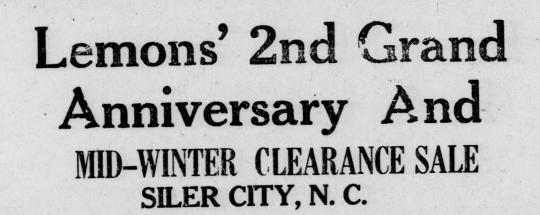
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INTERESTING OLD LORE RELATED BY HERBERT SEAWEL

General Sherman Charged With Removing Carthage Corner Stone and Disrupting Land Titles.

#### PRAISE FOR JUDGE ADAMS

By H. F. SEAWELL, Jr.

miles long and approximately 100 drews, of Siler City; also Morris wards wide. Going east and west Foushee and Mozelle Farrington, you might recognize the fact that colored, of Bynum. you were in a municipality, but if you went too fast north and south you might miss it. Since quite a few tourists and oth-

er "foreigners" from "up north" congregate in Moore county to recongregate in Moore county to re-from 11 Kings, "Why sit we here ax and have a good time, it would until we die?" He developed the seem appropriate that they should "hear a little "inside report" now and then concerning the "Capital."

Carthage has value. Not cash walue, however. It is on the order | of Dean Gulley's reference to Chatham County. North Carolina's foremost instructor in the law used to say: "Chatham county is a good but a poor county." Carthage is a good town but a poor town. Not too poor but just poor enough. The real value of the town is its historical value; and for old-time charactvers, real honest wit and good old Southern humor, it is rich beyond Comparison. If Will Rogers knew Carthage and the stories attached thereto, he'd build a permanent residence on the banks of the old Mc-Lendon's Creek and get a copyright! on the entire situation, and if the D. A. R. had in their possession all the facts and circumstances in regard to this little town's part in the Revolution, they'd buy out Tyson & Jones Buggy Factory and move enational headquarters here.

A Famous British Visitor A former president of the United States used to live in Carthage and operate a tailoring business here, and probably in connection there-At first he was considered nothing the brag about, but since Judge Win-

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE

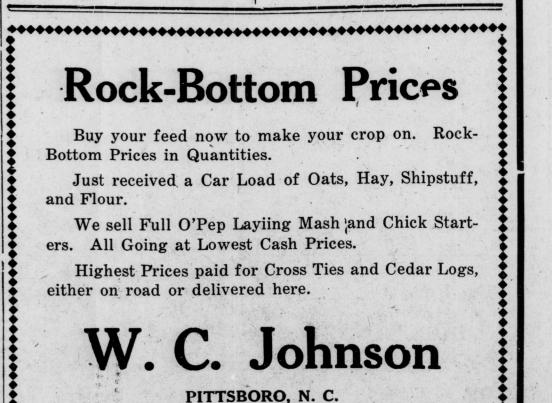
The following couples have secured marriage license here recent-

Henry Branson and Myrtle Dixon, both of Bennett; James L. Reynolds, Merry Oaks, and Clara May Cotten,

Few people know the real facts of Truth, J. H. Smith and Callie about the county seat of Mclore Harris. both of Siler City, R. 1.; county. Carthage is a town three John B. Turner and Oma M. An-

#### **GOOD CHAPEL TALK**

The excellent chapel talk by Mr. Waters Monday morning was taken



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