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Bible Thought and Prayer

THE GOLDEN RULE—As ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them.—Luke 6:31.

PRAYER—Lord, help us to make Thee the standard of our life, and then we ever will love aright and serve aright everyone else.

We desire to call the attention of readers to the article on the front page under the caption, "Paying Teachers Upon a Production Basis." If some teachers were paid upon that basis and charged up with spoiled material, they would not only draw no salary at all, but would be found in debt to the school board. Everybody else receives an income upon the basis of efficiency; the North Carolina teacher upon the basis of units of preparation plus experience, regardless of whether that experience indicates a real aptitude for teaching, and regardless of whether the years of preparation were based upon a natural talent for the profession. The present scheme is unjust to everybody concerned. The writer, for instance, would guarantee to get three times the results from a Latin class as the ordinary Latin teacher is getting, yet if he should seek a place in a North Carolina high school to teach Latin he would have to be satisfied with the same salary that the average Latin teacher gets for murdering the child's potential interest in the language. The same is true of many teachers of English, of mathematics, etc., but who discovers who is really getting results when the superintendents know scarcely half the subjects taught in their schools?

Elsewhere in the paper is found an article on poisoning the boll weevil, but there is nothing like citing definite cases. And here is one that should reach the intelligence of every cotton grower in the county. Mr. J. A. Johnson of Hickory Mountain township had seven acres in a field last year. He dusted three acres of the cotton four times. Those three acres, despite unfavorable seasons, made 400 pounds of lint to the acre. The other four acres in the same field made only 200 pounds of lint to the acre, or just half the yield of the dusted acreage. Mr. Johnson states definitely that he made \$31 profit per acre by dusting at the price the cotton was sold at. His machine cost \$12.50, and it puts the dust on two rows at a time. Of course, if this should be a dry year, the profit from dusting will not be so great, but clearly it will not pay a man to risk losing his crop or even a small part of it through failure to poison. If you actually cannot buy the dusting machine, you can use the molasses mixture, simply cheap molasses with calcium arsenate in it, mopped on the small cotton in order to kill the mother weevils. The writer has seen the mop fastened to the plow and merely dragging across the cotton as the cotton is sided. Chatham, as a whole, has a fair start this year, and if the farmers will make a real yield on their acreages of corn and cotton, times should change much for the better. Poison for the cotton and nitrate dressing for the cotton right away and for the corn when it is knee high will mean, probably, that a farmer will not have tended a field just for the sake of being busy.

Pete Dowdy, here Monday, with Hoover "prosperity" in mind, remarked that when the first little Hoover bills came out they looked mighty little, but that they now begin to look as big as bed quilts. That brings the Hoover dollar bill on a par with the silver dollars of the Harrison-Cleveland-McKinley period, which are generally thought of as being as big as cart wheels.

DO THEY THREATEN?

Why do the Simmons advocates assert that the nomination of Bailey would divide the Democratic party? Is this not a covert threat that the supporters of Senator Simmons will leave the party if they do not have their way? What else can it mean? And if it means that, as it must, isn't it laughable to consider their effrontery? The tail threatens the dog that it will secede unless the dog allows itself to be wagged by it. But they say the defeat of Simmons would be a rebuke to the Democrats who voted for Hoover, and the equivalent of reading them out of the party. But what an excuse! Because a candidate is beaten, his partisans are read out of the party! Why the writer seems to recall that he was defeated once or twice, and doubtless by the help of Senator Simmons, but he has never once considered his defeat as an invitation to desert the party. Now, we grant you if Senator Simmons has a life-estate in the senatorship, defeating him might mean something like that. On the contrary, we conceive Mr. Simmons as having no more title to the next term than anybody else, and his defeat will simply mean that the majority of the Democratic voters of the state have exercised their inherent prerogative to give what belongs to them to whomsoever they choose.

Isn't it impudence, and the height of it, then, for the senator and his partisans to threaten to revolt if the Democrats of the state exercise that right? Will they not suffer majority rule? If they will not, they are not really Democrats and the sooner they find their proper alignment, the better for the party. But if they are Democrats, as we believe the majority of them are, and will acquiesce in the decision of the majority, it is certain that no Bailey supporter desires to see them leave the party. In fact, that is the difference between the treatment rendered Mr. Simmons for his default and that rendered by the Senator to the Alliance Democrats of 1892.

In 1892, the Senator as chairman of the state executive committee did not even wait for the Alliance Democrats to offend by voting for Cleveland, but upon the mere threat of it, he hurled a papal bull to the effect that they were already out of the party till they swore to support Cleveland. Now, this is history and not fiction, and it is a fact that Simmons and his committee drove, say, 50,000 North Carolina yeomen from the Democratic party, which injustice meant the organization of the Populist party and, joined with the bitter denunciation of the seceders during the campaign, prepared them for fusion with the Republicans. The fifty thousand men driven out have now multiplied to nearly 200,000 voters, counting sons and daughters, and surviving words. In other words, Mr. Simmons created the Republican party as a going institution in North Carolina, and then when it had become strong through his injustice, he joins with it in 1928 and helps to give the electoral vote of North Carolina to Hoover and to stand-patism.

For 38 years Marion Butler and his seceding followers have been cursed by Simmons and his henchmen for leaving the party when they had already been kicked out of the door. And now when Simmons and his Hooverite saints have helped foist the tribulations of this rotten administration upon the country, the true Democrats do not even threaten to read them out of the party. They are welcomed back, though given to understand that the welcome does not imply a quit title to the control of the party. They may have their voice along with the rest of us, but the loyal Democrats of 1928 are not fools enough to lie down and submit themselves to be trampled upon by the returning prodigals. We loyals have not even killed a fatted calf,

but the prodigals are welcome to the common fare. They are only forbidden to hog the whole table.

But he who has browbeaten the secedents of 1892 for nearly forty years, feels it an impiety for the loyal Democrats of 1928 to even think of denying him to continue at the head of the table, controlling the distribution of the pabulum to his minions as in years ago. It is sacrilege to hint at his disposition! And if he is disposed, to his followers will secede from the party!

No; there is no danger of splitting the party by the nomination of Bailey unless the Simmonsites prove traitors. It is a fair fight. Nothing indicates greater generosity as compared with the cited behavior of Senator Simmons 38 years ago, and many years following, than that he should even be allowed to be a candidate. But nobody has objected, and so far as this writer is concerned, if the majority of the long-time Democrats nominate him, we shall submit as gracefully as we can to the will of the majority. And this, though the writer's own father, after voting the Democratic ticket fifty years, was read out of the party by Mr. Simmons for not half the reason that the loyal Democrats of 1928 would have had for forbidding Simmons to be a candidate to succeed himself. That father had merely indicated that he would vote for Weaver, who stood for what he wanted and what the majority of the Democrats of the South and the West wanted. Out he went. Simmons helped give the electoral vote of the state to a party that stands for everything the Democrats of the state do not want. And he wants to dominate the party and return to the senate for the sixth term! Men, do you imagine how we feel as we draw this contrast!

Yet the biggest Republican in the state may participate in the primary if he professes to be a Democrat now, and as the present state and not the former should govern a living party, we offer to submit gracefully to the will of the majority, including the disloyalists. If we can do so, should any sensible Hooverite, allowed by the grace of the party to participate as of old, threaten that he will secede if his little god Simmons should not be nominated? Shame upon any one that does make such a threat, open, covert, or implied!

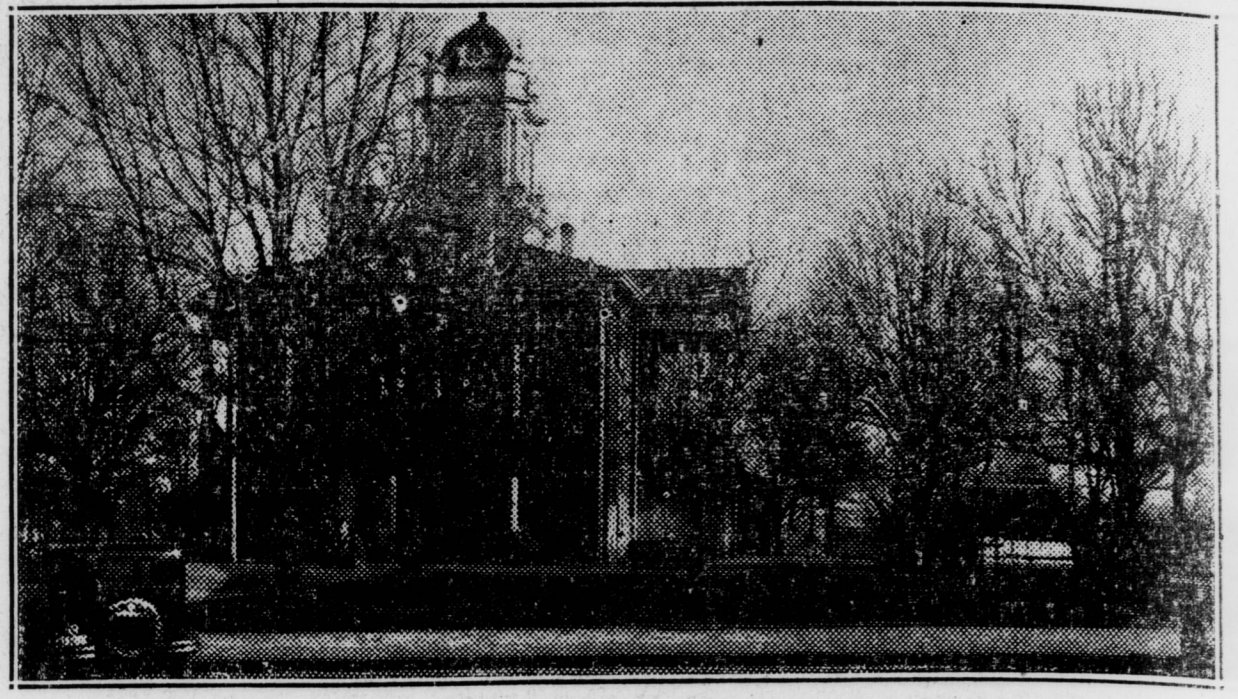
Mr. G. L. Nisbet, who for some years has done the editorial work on the sprightly Hamlet News-Messenger, has resigned his position down at Hamlet and has joined forces with Stacey Brewer, who won considerable distinction as the publisher of the Vass Pilot, and, backed by some Raleigh business men, has bought the Apex paper, moved it to Fuquay Springs, and with his partner has set about to make a first-rate country paper for southwestern Wake. They are both excellent newspaper men and we shall look for the Courier-Journal with expectation of seeing something fine in both mechanical make-up and contents. Also we shall read the editorial columns of The News-Messenger with interest to see how J. Neal Cade is producing as editorial writer.

Connie Mack says: "Old Man Booze has put more men out of the game of baseball than all the umpires in the world put together." Yea, Verily; Old Man Booze is the greatest putter in and putter out on record. He frequently puts a fellow out of a job and into jail; out of the road and into the ditch; the family out of house and home and into the streets; the drinker out of his mind and into the insane asylum. O he is a putter all right.

Some folk, it is certain, are going to be surprised next Saturday night, and we have a suspicion as to who they are.

CAROLINIANS--Know Your State!

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MORGANTON COURTHOUSE, WHERE JOHN SEVIER ESCAPED TRIAL

In 1784 the Legislature gave Congress 29,000,000 acres of land between the Alleghany Mountains and the Mississippi River to help pay the Revolutionary War debts. This included the Watauga settlement in what is now Tennessee. The settlers being dissatisfied with this arrangement talked of forming a new state. A few months later the Legislature withdrew its gift and again took charge of the land. John Sevier was appointed to command a brigade of soldiers to enforce the law. Nevertheless, these settlers set up a new state which they called Franklin, with John Sevier as Governor. The new state lasted only three years. Colonel Sevier was arrested on charges of treason against North Carolina and was taken to Morganton for trial. By the aid of his two sons and friends, he escaped from the Courthouse and fled on horseback over the mountains. Later, although not pardoned, he was elected a member of the North Carolina Legislature and was allowed to take his seat because of his bravery as a Revolutionary soldier.

In 1790 North Carolina deeded the western lands to the United States Government and in 1796 the State of Tennessee was formed with John Sevier as its first Governor.

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The KITCHEN CABINET

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Be strong!
Say not, "The days are evil. Who's to blame?"
And fold the hands and acquiesce—oh, shame!
Stand up, speak out, and bravely, in God's name.
—M. D. Babcock.

COOLING DISHES

During the summer weather desserts should be light, easy of digestion, as well as simple to prepare.



Creme Orient.—Take a package of lemon gelatin, dissolve in a cupful of boiling water and a cupful of pineapple juice. Let stand until thick but not set; whip with an egg beater until frothy, add one-fourth cupful of diced pineapple and the same of diced preserved ginger and one cupful of cream, whipped. Pile into a mold and chill.

Frozen Tomato Salad.—Dissolve a package of lemon gelatin, add one cupful of boiling tomato juice, one and one-half teaspoonfuls of salt, a few dashes of paprika, one teaspoonful of onion juice and one-eighth of a teaspoonful of cloves. Add three more cupfuls of tomato juice and two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice and place in a freezer. Freeze for ten minutes, then place in molds; pack in ice and salt for a half hour. Serve on lettuce or water cress.

Fruit Punch.—Pour a pint of water over two tablespoonfuls of black tea. Let it steep five minutes. Boil two cupfuls of water and one cupful of sugar five minutes, add the juice of three lemons and two oranges and a pint of strawberries cut into halves. Serve with cracked ice.

Canton Ginger Sandwich.—Thin cream cheese with cream and mix with an ounce or two of minced Canton ginger, two ounces of blanched and chopped almonds, one teaspoonful of lemon juice, salt and paprika to taste. Serve the sandwiches garnished with water cress.

Ice Box Pie.—Soak a tablespoonful of gelatin in one-fourth cupful of cold water for five minutes, add one pint of any berry juice or other fruit juice boiling hot, a pinch of salt. When almost set add any berries or fruit and pour into a baked pastry shell. When firm, cover with whipped cream and serve. Be sure that the mixture is very thick before putting into the shell.

Nellie Maxwell

As is the king so is the subject.
—Hindoo proverb.

A Great Discovery
When Pasteur discovered, in 1852, that the infection of wounds was caused by malignant bacteria, he performed a service of inestimable value to mankind. Since then medical science has been producing better and better antiseptics, to kill these germs that may enter the smallest cut and give us diseases such as typhoid, tuberculosis and lockjaw. Now, all you have to do to be sure that these dreadful germs will not infect a wound, is to wash that wound, however small, thoroughly with Liquid Borozone, the modern antiseptic. You can get Liquid Borozone, in a size to fit your needs and purse, from Pittsboro Drug Co. Adv.

PITTSBORO CIRCUIT

Third Quarterly Conference

The 3rd. Quarterly Conference will be held at Moncure next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Rev. W. A. Cade will bring a message at that hour, following which the Church business of the Charge will be attended to. All the Officials of all the churches on the Pittsboro Circuit are expected to attend and render their reports. The pastor would urge a full attendance. Mr. Cade will preach also in the evening at 8 o'clock. Public cordially invited.

J. A. Dailey.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON

North Carolina—Chatham county, State vs. Charlie E. Yow.
Application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of Charlie E. Yow, convicted at the October Term, 1928, in the Superior Court of Chatham County for the crime of Assault with Deadly Weapon, and sentenced to the State Prison for a period of not less than 3 nor more than 5 years.

All persons who oppose the granting of said pardon are requested to forward their protest to the Governor without delay.
This the 2nd day of June, 1930.
(Signed) Jno. D. Slawter,
Atty. for Charlie E. Yow.
June 5 & 12 pd.

Just Like An Ostrich

A medical authority says that a person who tries to cover up skin blemishes and pimples with toilet creams and powders is just as foolish as an ostrich that buries its head in the sand to avoid danger. Skin eruptions are nature's warning that constipation is throwing poisons into your blood stream and weakening your whole constitution. Remove the constipated condition and you will strengthen your system against disease and clear up your disfigured skin. The best way to do this is with a course of Herbine, the vegetable medicine that acts naturally and easily, which you can get at Pittsboro Drug Co. Adv.

Ex-Service Men Endorse Johnson

(Political Advertising)

Editor Chatham Record,

We are for Victor R. Johnson for the legislature because:

1. He is well qualified.
2. He is an all right man.
3. He is in favor of tax relief and has ability and training to help put it across.
4. He was a soldier and we promised to stand by the soldiers when they returned.
5. The Democratic Party should attract the soldiers to it. To do this it should have soldiers on the ticket. Of the about 15 candidates in the primary, Victor Johnson is the only soldier. The Republican Party has nominated 2 soldiers on their ticket.
6. He has received no office nor honor from the Democratic Party, but has worked hard for it.
7. He is entitled to and deserving of this honor.
8. At this distressing time, we need Victor Johnson to represent us in the legislature.

G. H. ANDREWS, Bennett.
C. E. JONES, Bennett.
Ex-Service Men

SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of the power vested in the undersigned by an order in the special proceedings entitled, J. R. Lasater, administrator of G. S. Williams, deceased vs. Alvin Upchurch, Linda Williams, et al, and bearing date of June the 4th 1930, I will on the 7th day of July, 1930, at twelve o'clock noon offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

One certain tract of land in Williams Township, Chatham County, North Carolina, and bounded as follows: Bounded on the North by Grover and Hendrix Johnson; on the East by Enoch Alston; on the South by Con Farrow, and on the West by John Johnson, containing twenty acres, more or less.

This the fourth day of June 1930.
F. C. UPCHURCH,
Commissioner.

NOTICE to ICE BUYERS

Ice will be delivered for cash only after June 1. Please be ready to pay on delivery. We have to pay cash for it and can not sell it on a credit at present prices.

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