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 "I swear—it was dead at least 3 months," said James Sykes, butcher, Westfield, N. J. "We saw this rat every day. Put a cake of RAT-SNAP behind a barrel. Months later my wife asked about the rats. Remembered the barrel, looked behind it. There was the rat—dead, not the slightest odor." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Company and Cline's Pharmacy.

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Saturday, December 1st

On Saturday, December 1st, we will sell at public auction at our stables in Salisbury, N. C., beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., seventy-five head of horses, mares and mules. This stock was bought off the farms in Tennessee and Virginia and are broke. We have mules ranging in weight from 750 to 1350 lbs. and some as good as can be bought. Also some extra good horses and mares weighing from 800 to 1400 pounds. Also a few good saddle horses. This stock will absolutely be sold for the High Dollar and regardless of price! If you are in the market for a horse, mule or mare don't fail to attend this sale. Remember the date and Place: Salisbury, N. C., Saturday, December 1st, at 10 O'clock, A. M. HENKEL-CRAIG LIVE STOCK COMPANY Salisbury, N. C.

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

Mr. Charles S. Barry, of New Orleans, has arrived in Concord and will be associated in business here with Mr. Joe W. Hendrix, public accountant.

Mrs. L. D. Coltrane, Jr., and son, are spending several days in Charlotte where the child is undergoing treatment in a hospital.

The condition of Chief L. A. Talbirt, who is undergoing treatment in a Charlotte hospital, is reported as improving. He probably will return to his home here this week.

Mr. W. A. Foil returned Monday night from Charlotte, where he underwent an operation for appendicitis several days ago. His condition continues to show improvement, and he stood the trip home in good shape.

Miss Laney Miller, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Concord Hospital, Tuesday was carried to the home of her mother on South Union Street. The condition of Miss Miller has shown daily improvement following the operation.

There will be services at the West Concord Baptist Church on Thanksgiving night. The Woman's Missionary Society will present a missionary program, "Making Missions Real." The service will begin at 7:30 o'clock and the public is invited.

Union Thanksgiving services will be held by practically all of the downtown churches this year. The service will be held on Thanksgiving morning at eleven o'clock in Central Methodist Church, and the sermon will be delivered by Rev. W. C. Lyerly, pastor of Trinity Reformed Church.

Members of the county chain gang are at work now on the Poplar Tent road. This highway is to be put in fine condition and the material used on the road is of the best. When completed the road will be one of the best in the State, according to members of the county highway commission.

George L. Deaton, of San Marcus, Texas, died Monday at the home of relatives in Mooresville, and was buried there Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock. Mr. Deaton was 80 years of age and was born in this county, having moved to Texas when a youth. He has visited here on numerous occasions and has a number of relatives in this county.

The funeral of Mrs. R. A. Gourley, who died Sunday at her home at Harrisburg, was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Rocky River Presbyterian Church. The service, which was attended by a large number of relatives and friends of Mrs. Gourley, was conducted by Rev. T. N. Spence. Interment was made in the church cemetery.

The funeral of Mr. Joseph White, who died here Sunday afternoon, was held Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at

the First Presbyterian Church. The services were conducted by Rev. J. C. Rowan and interment was made in the Rocky Ridge cemetery. The pall bearers were H. S. Williams, D. B. Morrison, C. C. Stonestreet, J. F. Harris, H. W. Caldwell and G. Ed. Kestler.

The Light Brigade of St. James Lutheran Church on Sunday evening will render a pageant, "Signs of Grateful Hearts." This will be given in place of the usual Vesper service at 7 o'clock. At this time little Miss Rebecca Norman will render a song in Japanese, and her father, the Rev. Clarence E. Norman, returned missionary from Japan, will deliver an address.

A number of defendants paid \$177.50 in fines in recorder's court Monday. The largest fine, \$50 was paid by a man charged with operating a car while intoxicated. Six persons charged with gambling were fined \$10 each, one man charged with having liquor was fined \$25, another charged with intoxication paid \$20 and another charged with being intoxicated and disorderly paid a fine of \$12.50.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Foy, who died recently in Cincinnati at the age of 101 years, was attended by 18 grandchildren, 42 great grandchildren, and two great great grandchildren.

A Lady in Chicago Telegraphs for Rat-Snap.

Read Mrs. Phillips' wire: "Yonell's Exterminator Co., Westfield, N. J. Rush \$3 worth of RAT-SNAP." Later received the following letter: "RAT-SNAP arrived. It rid our house of rats in no time. Just moved here from Pa., where I used RAT-SNAP with great results." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Death of "Aunt Mariah" Cruise.
 Mrs. Caleb Cruise, better known as "Aunt Mariah," died Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her home in No. 6 township.

She was possibly the oldest woman that was living in this county. She would have celebrated her 97th birthday in February. She is survived by an aged husband, Mr. Caleb Cruise, who is a Confederate veteran. Her funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Organ Church, where she was a faithful and active member. She will be missed by many. She was a great friend of every one.

Mr. P. LaDuke, Farmer, Says, "You Bet Rats Can Bite Through Metal."
 "I had feed bins lined with zinc last year, rats got through 'em soon. Was out \$18. A \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP killed so many rats that I've never been without it since. Our collie dog never touched RAT-SNAP." You try it. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

MORRISON SAYS HE HAS NO POWER TO PARDON M'BRAYER

Declares the General Assembly of the State Says He Shall Not. Raleigh, Nov. 26—Governor Morrison lacks the power to pardon Dr. L. B. McBrayer because the judgment vacating his office as superintendent of Sanatorium was written into the law by the legislature, so he declared in a statement this afternoon after he had informed Dr. T. W. M. Long and Senator W. E. Harrison, of the Sanatorium board of trustees, that he could not modify his attitude toward the affair.

"I have the right to pardon men from the judgment of the courts for fines, imprisonment, etc., for violation of the criminal law, but I have no earthly right to say a public official shall not be removed from office under circumstances where the general assembly of the state says he shall be," the statement declared, adding: "This seems to be a hard case, but the law is a good one and ought to warn every officer in North Carolina that the matter of trading where self interest is involved is a high offense and cannot be tolerated in this state."

In commenting on the case, the Governor emphasized that he has no personal interest whatsoever. He thinks the state will find insurmountable difficulties in replacing Dr. McBrayer, for he considers him one of the greatest men in tuberculosis work in America. But the legislature wrote into the law the judgment that vacates the office and Dr. McBrayer's plea of guilty places him under that judgment, the Governor feels.

DON'T MISTAKE THE CAUSE

Many Concord People Have Kidney Trouble and Do Not Know It.

Do you have backache? Are you tired and worn out? Feel dizzy, nervous and depressed? Are the kidney secretions irregular? Highly colored, contain sediment? Likely your kidneys are at fault. Weak kidneys give warning of distress. Heed the warning; don't delay—Use a tested kidney remedy. Read this Concord testimony. G. F. Kinley, carpenter, 114 Franklin Ave., says: "I had a dull, bearing down pain in my back, which hurt me to bend over and often sharp, knife-like pains shot through me and I could hardly move. Morning I was lame and sore and could hardly go. My kidneys didn't act properly, either and the secretions were highly colored and painful in passage. I could get no relief until I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Gibson's Drug Store. Doan's made me feel like myself again and entirely cured me." Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Kinley had. Foster-Milburn Co. Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

O. T. C. STUDENTS MAY GET ADDITIONAL PAY FROM U. S.

Ruling May Give Them Difference Between \$100 and Their Pay While in Training School. Former soldiers who served in army training camps in 1918 may get additional pay from the United States. This fact is brought out in a recent ruling of the war department which has been given much publicity and which is causing interest among former service men who served in training camps.

Several Concord men have written to the Chief Finance Officer of the War Department asking for information and he has furnished them with blanks which are to be filled out and sent in. The following from The American Legion Weekly gives some facts in regard to the matter:

Immediately following the announcement of Comptroller General McCarl's ruling that enlisted men who attended officers' training camps during 1918 were entitled to the difference between their army rate of pay and \$100 per month, the Weekly received letter from Legionnaires containing in general the following: "I have just received from an attorney (giving the name of an attorney) of Washington, D. C., a request that I appoint him to proceed to collect for me pay and allowances due for time spent in officers' training camp in 1918. When was the legislation granting this extra pay passed? Is it necessary to proceed through an attorney in order to collect? Is it advisable to appoint someone to handle the case?"

It is not necessary to proceed through an attorney or to appoint someone to handle applications for this additional pay. This is a matter that the individual can handle as well and probably more expensively himself.

A paragraph in the army appropriation act of June 15, 1917, set aside \$226,822,560 "for pay of enlisted men of all grades, including recruits, and pay at \$100 a month for enlisted men in training for officers of the Reserve Corps."

The Comptroller ruled as follows: "It is evident that the purpose of the legislation authorizing pay 'not exceeding \$100 a month' for civilians in the act of May 12, 1917, and 'pay of \$100 a month' for enlisted men in the act of June 15, 1917, was to provide pay for the training period and provide trained officers for the army, and not for the purpose of building up Officers' Reserve Corps."

"It is apparent that the designation of enlisted men of the line for training under the revised regulation of January 5, 1918, was for the purpose of training them as 'officers of the army' and that they were accordingly entitled to the pay fixed by the act of June 15, 1917. The adjutant general, U. S. A., reported January 30, 1923, that claimant's status was that of an enlisted man on detached service in training for a commission . . . and he is accordingly entitled to the difference between \$33 and \$100 a month for such period."

This ruling affects hundreds of men who attended the officers' training camps during 1918. A man coming under this ruling may make application to the Chief of Finance, War Department, Washington, D. C., for this difference in pay. In his application he should show when he was ordered into service, where and when he attended an officers' training camp and what his status and pay were while in attendance. And it is not necessary to engage an attorney to handle these claims.

Jos. Walton Says, "I'll Never Forget When Father's Hogs Got Cholera."
 "One morning he found 20 hogs dead and several sick. He called in the Vet, who after dissecting a rat caught on the premises, decided that the rodents had conveyed germs. Since then I am never without RAT-SNAP. It's the surest, quickest rat destroyer I know." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Ritchie Hardware Co., Cline's Pharmacy.

Funeral of Child.
 The funeral services of little Eula Florine Kinley, the two-months-old of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kinley, of Faith, were held here from the home of Mr. M. W. Kinley on Ann Street last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, the services being conducted by Rev. Lee A. Falls, and interment was made in Oakwood cemetery. The little child had been sick only a few hours, as it was well when its parents retired Friday night. About 2 o'clock it had been given some attention and about 4 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Kinley got up to give it some further attention if it was needed, and found that it had died sometime after 2 o'clock.

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ALLEGED ROBBER OF THE MANESS HOME ARRESTED

Lee Babers, of Union, S. C., Held on a Charge of Entering and Robbing Home Sunday. Lee Babers, 20-year old youth from Union, S. C., is in the Cabarrus County jail here awaiting trial on charges of feloniously entering a building and larceny in two counts. The arrest of Babers followed the robbery here Sunday of the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Maness, on South Union street, the arrest being made by a Charlotte detective.

According to police officers Babers admitted that he entered and robbed the Maness home, declaring that he had a confederate with him on the job. So far no confederate has been found and as all of the stolen articles were found when Babers was arrested it is believed he committed the robbery without the help of any confederate.

Babers, according to the story told to Concord officers by Charlotte officers, was arrested after he had confessed to a Charlotte detective that he had robbed the home here. The detective, it is said, spotted Babers as a suspicious character and soon got in with him. They exchanged confidences and during this heart to heart talk Babers is alleged to have told the detective of his work here Sunday afternoon. The arrest followed and Concord officers were notified. They went to Charlotte for the prisoner Tuesday and lodged him in the county jail here.



GOOD COOK STOVES
\$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 \$15, \$20

During our Big Range Sale, we traded in several good Cook Stoves, and as we will move into our new store January 1st, we have decided to close these stoves out at a price. While these stoves are second hand some of them are practically as good as new, and will be sold on a guarantee to do good work, or your money refunded. Hardwick, Carolina, Star Leader, Oak Ridge, Borden, and Blue Ridge. All Go in this sale at less than Half Price. First Come First Served.

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and I decided to try it, for, as I say, I had tried others for two or more years without any improvement in my health. I soon found the Black-Draught was acting on my liver and easing the terrible pain.

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