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POEM OF LIFE

By GEORGE SMITH, Dardens, N. C.

The biggest kind of liars sometimes are believed And judging from appearance you often get deceived For the poorest kind of people often act the proudest And the biggest kind of coward is the one who boasts the loudest.

For the softest kind of tongue you often find the illest And the poisonous kind of serpent is the one who lies the stillest We get the sweetest kind of honey from the smallest kind of bee You catch the smallest varment from the largest kind of tree.

You find the purest water in the poorest kind of places You find the noblest hearts with the ugliest kind of faces The blackest die of harlot in the midst of fashion room You find the whitest virtue in the backwoods country home.

You find the best of reading in the dingiest kind of books No never judge a man by the way his trouser looks

THE REPUBLICAN "CIVIL SERVICE" IN THE SOUTH

For eighteen months a republican has been acting as postmaster at Bedford, Trimble county, Kentucky. On August 13, 1921, a civil service examination was held for this office and the highest three ratings were all obtained by democrats.

Under President Wilson the appointment of a postmaster went to the person with the highest rating regardless of parties. Under an executive order issued by President Harding one of the highest three was made eligible for appointment.

After eighteen months a republican continues to act as postmaster at Bedford, Ky. Bedford is in the district of Representative Arthur Rouse, the chairman of the democratic congressional campaign committee. Representative Rouse has written a letter of protest to Postmaster General Work concerning his failure to appoint one of the three eligibles on the civil service list. At last reports he was still waiting for a reply. This is a typical case of how the civil service is administered by the republican party in the southern states.

You will probably find something in your paper that you can not endorse. Even the Bible is rather plain and hits some hard licks. If you were to get mad and burn up your Bible, the hundreds of presses would still go on printing them. Call the editor all sorts of names, the paper will still be published. And what is more, you sneak around and borrow a copy from your neighbor. It is much better to keep your vest pulled down and your subscription paid up.

SMOOT'S ESTIMATE OF INCREASED EXPORTS REFUTED BY ACTUAL FIGURES

One of the common practices of republican spokesmen and reactionary republican newspapers, by which they attempt to deceive the public is to quote estimate rather than actual figures, and tell what they hope or expect to do rather than what they have done.

pect to do rather than what they have done. An illustration of this was recently furnished in the senate when Senator Smoot, (rep., Utah), asserted that "we exported more goods in 1922 than we did in 1921." This would not have been such a remarkable thing even if the senator could have confirmed it by actual figures, because our foreign exports for 1921 and 1922 were only about one half of what they were in 1920, the last year of the Wilson administration. The only proof Senator Smoot offered was the figures for eleven months of 1922, plus estimates for December of that year.

ROAD BILL GOES THROUGH HOUSE WITHOUT CHANGE

TWO HOURS OF ARGUMENT ON PROPOSED AMENDMENTS PROVE FULLE

RALEIGH, Jan. 27.—Sweeping every amendment offered under an avalanche of negative votes, the house yesterday morning passed the Moore road bill on its third reading by a vote of 85 to 9 without the alteration of a single provision originally written into it. The measure was immediately sent to the senate where it was taken before the senate road committee yesterday afternoon and reported out favorably.

Three amendments were offered and debated at a length by their opponents. Burgwyn of North Carolina proposed to give the first district an additional appropriation of \$100,000 to equalize the road program to all and by providing that the entire fund be distributed by counties on the ratio of their contribution to the income of the highway commission. Governor Jackson, proposed that an equalization fund of \$3,000,000 be set up to help needy districts.

Most of the two hours taken up in the discussion was in advocacy of the three amendments. Only one speech was made in reply to the general movement to amend the bill, and that was made by Representative H. G. Connor, who devoted himself primarily to the Quirkel amendment and by a two sentence speech by Wright of Guilford, whose county pays more of the road income than any other and who declared that Guilford didn't want any of it back.

Republicans in the house repudiated their leader, when they joined with Cowles of Wilkes, in declaring that he did not speak for the minority in the house, or the minority in the state when he spoke against and voted against the road building program. Minority Leader Owens had just completed his second speech against the bill, in which he declared that he had been led astray by statements made by Representative Doughton in the debate Tuesday.

PRICE OF SOFT COAL ON DOWN GRADE AGAIN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—Bituminous coal prices which have shown a strong advancing tendency in recent weeks are now turning downward, according to complaints given out by F. R. Dadeigh, federal fuel distributor. During the week ending January 22, available statistics indicate the average price of the product at the mine was \$4.33 per ton, as compared with \$4.42 the previous week, and \$4.54, the average price reported for the week ending January 8.

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