

WORST AMONG EVIL SPIRITS

Among Other Misdeds, Asmodeus is Said to Have Usurped the Throne of Solomon for a Time.

In Jewish demonology Asmodeus was an evil spirit who was said to have possessed what today would be called an X-ray eye.

According to the testament of Solomon, Asmodeus brought to Solomon a service the magic worm Shinar, whose touch split stones.

TO QUENCH AMERICAN THIRST

Veritable Sea of Soft Drinks Consumed by Thirsty in This Country in a Single Year.

The soft drinks consumed in this country in a single year make up a quantity of soft drinks which is large that it is hard to conceive of such a volume of soft drinks and various flavored waters.

The soft drinks consumption in this country is a rapidly increasing development and is one of the most important factors in the economic life of the country.

Manners and the Motor. The automobile has undoubtedly had its finger in the passing which the world will be better to retain.

The other afternoon, three elegantly dressed young gentlemen driving up Woodland avenue in a large open automobile, called a young lady of their acquaintance being taken northward in a street car.

For Sale: A 75 Light Acetylene Gas Plant, cheap for cash.

For Sale: One Horse, Seven years old, Good Saddle, work anywhere. Apply.

Church Will Conduct Clinic. A clinic will be held at the discretion of the members of the church.

Queen Establishes Rest Cure. Queen Victoria of Sweden has begun the establishment of a rest cure for women as her investment of the \$45,000 which she received on her sixtieth birthday last year.

Outlawed Meth Baggage. Empty grain bags have been outlawed in Guatemala, their importation being prohibited by presidential decree.

Eight-hundred and sixty-one head of hogs were inoculated by farmers in Halifax county in one week at the suggestion of Farm Agent C. E. Littleton.

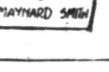
AW, WHAT'S THE USE



I'M GETTING SICK & TIRED OF THIS BOARDING HOUSE LIFE - THE BIRD IN THE NEXT ROOM COMES STAMPIN' IN, AT 1 O'CLOCK EVERY NIGHT OR ELSE HE'S HEAVING ROCKS AT MY WINDOW TO COME DOWN AN' LET HIM IN!



Love Song by PAYNARD SMITH



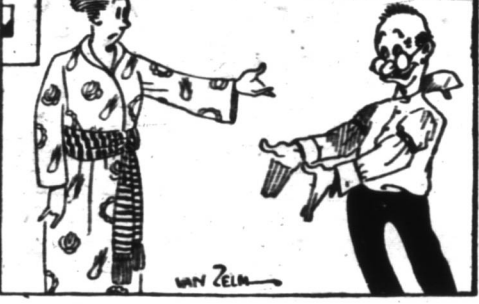
THE SMOKE ON THE OTHER SIDE SETS HIS ALARM FOR 6 EVERY MORNING - AND THEN MURDERS SOME LONG SONG WHILE HIS WASHY' UP IN THE BATH ROOM!



BE-LIEVE ME! I'M OFF THIS KINDA LIFE!



WELL ALL RIGHT - TELL THEM ABOUT IT - DON'T TAKE IT OUT ON ME!



Local Items

W. H. Wilms, S. Levy, R. P. Scott, L. Patterson, D. Kramer, G. T. Lewis, H. E. Lowen and S. C. Sutton are registered at the Britt Hotel today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bandy and little daughter Miss Alice visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Harrison, Sunday. They were enroute from Wilmington to Elizabeth City where they will visit friends and relatives for some time.

Miss Julie Harris and Mr. Paul

Jones visited friends in Tarboro and Scotland Neck Sunday.

Miss Mary King Ellison, of Belhaven, is visiting Misses Hattie Thrower and Clyde Hassell for several days.

Mrs. J. B. H. Knight left yesterday for New York City where she will visit for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mangum and little daughter after returned from Durham where they spent the week end with friends.

Messrs. L. Pascoe and J. W. Manning spent the week end in Norfolk.

Mr. E. E. Boney, of the State Highway commission, was in town yesterday.

Chief A. K. Haxton, of Edenton, spent Sunday here with friends.

Miss Carrie Dell White returned yesterday from Greenville where she visited Mrs. E. T. Forbes for the past week.

Mrs. J. E. Doney is visiting in Bethel this week.

Messrs. Val Teel, J. H. Roebuck, and J. L. Tyndal went to Everetts this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, of Baltimore are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. Era Cobb and sons Dillon and Marion have returned from Louisburg where they visited relatives for the past several weeks.

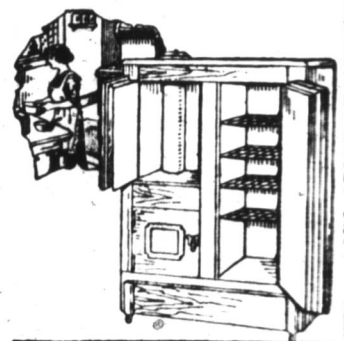
J. C. Carter, J. C. Keris, L. D. Griffin, H. D. Eicheleberger, W. J. Lucas, Jr. Joe Mathias, M. S. Turner, W. C. Lamon, J. P. Jield, C. B. Brown

are registered at the Atlantic Hotel today.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldstein, of Windsor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Orleans Sunday.

Misses Mary and Fadia Goldstein, Miss Bessie Goldstein, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Orleans, Mr. and Mrs. B. Goldstein, and Messrs. Frank and Irving Margolis, Solomon Orleans, Raleigh Orleans and Miss Laura Orleans motored to Rea's Beach Sunday.

Miss Bessie Goldstein visited Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Orleans here Sunday.



Special Prices on REFRIGERATORS

Something you will not every summer. It has a few left and I am selling at a cost price.

BUY NOW WHILE YOU NEED ONE

The saving you will affect in your ice bill and the food you will save this summer will almost pay the cost of one of our refrigerators at the special price we are now offering.

B. S. Courtney

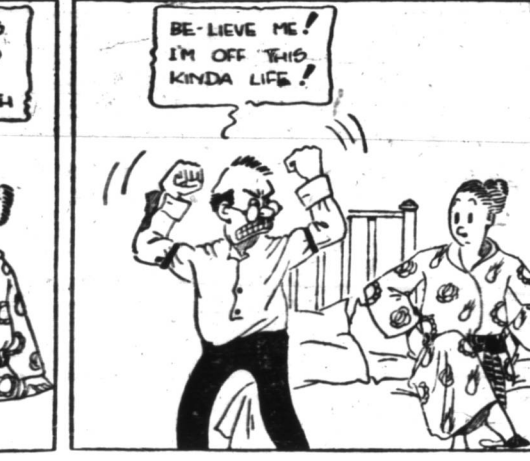


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By L. F. Van Zeln

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WANTS

STRICTLY FANCY - SELECTED Rosebloom Brand Peaches, Crates six baskets - \$3.50 F. O. B. Shipments day order received to any address. Send remittance with order. Add express if desired prepaid. ROSENLOOM ORCHARD CO. Aberdeen, N. C.

LOST - PARKER DUFOUR FOUND - \$1000.00. Reward to finder if returned to Merck and Brooks, 371-373 W. 14th St., N. C.

PAIR OF GOLD RIM SPECTACLES found at Skewarkey. Owner may get them from J. L. Hassell.

NOTICE - NOTICE

WANTED: A SUPERINTENDENT of Public Schools for Martin County, North Carolina. Election will be on the first Monday in August, 1923. Address all communications to K. E. Grayson, Chairman, Williamston, N. C. 7-13-6

HOW QUICKLY RELIEVES CONSTIPATION, HEADACHES, EPILEPSY, NEURITIS, COLDS AND LAGRIFFE.

FOR SALE: A 75 LIGHT ACETYLENE Gas Plant, cheap for cash.

FOR SALE: ONE HORSE, SEVEN years old, Good saddle, work anywhere. Apply.

Report of the condition of the BANK OF OAK CITY At Oak City in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 30th, 1923.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Demand loans, Overdrafts, United States bonds, Liberty bonds, Furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies.

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Report of the condition of the BANK OF OAK CITY At Oak City in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, July 12th, 1923.

I, B. M. Worsley, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of July, 1923.

F. H. JOHNSON, Notary Public, Com. expires March 15, 1924.

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR EYES DR. HOWARD SMITH Eyesight Specialist, of Monroe, N. C., will be here again on THURSDAY, JULY 18

If you are troubled in any way with your Eyes consult with him and get the facts about them.

We know his work and not only recommend but guarantee it. Examination free & glasses furnished at a reasonable price. Don't forget the date.

BELL JEWELRY CO. WASHINGTON - N. C.

WANTED!

We have an exceptionally attractive proposition for an energetic man who is well acquainted with folks in Martin County.

Must furnish high-grade references, small cash bond, and must have an automobile.

We are distributors of Delco-Light, the Dependable Light and Power Plant for farms and country homes.

If you are interested in securing the Dealership for Martin County, write us stating whether you are married or single, and giving your age, business experience, and references.

HOME LIGHT & POWER CO., INC. RICHMOND, VA.

Misses Fadia Goldstein and Mary Goldstein of Baltimore are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Orleans at their home on Church street.

Mr. S. C. Peel leaves tomorrow for Virginia Beach.

Mr. T. C. Cook, of Rocky Mount spent the week end here with his family.

Report of the condition of THE PLANTERS & MERCHANTS BANK At Everetts, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 30, 1923.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Demand loans, Overdrafts, United States bonds, Liberty bonds, Banking houses, Furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies.

Capital stock paid in \$150,000.00 Surplus fund 750,000.00 Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid 1,250,999.99 Dividends unpaid 91.50 Bills payable 12,000.00 Deposits subject to check due in less than 30 days 57,524.00 Time certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days 50,000.00 Cashier's checks outstanding 61,100.00

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1923.

Correct - attest: J. H. D. PEEL, J. S. AYERS, V. R. TAYLOR, Directors.

State of North Carolina - County of Martin July 11th, 1923. I, V. G. Taylor, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of July, 1923.

Correct - attest: J. H. D. PEEL, J. S. AYERS, V. R. TAYLOR, Directors.

State of North Carolina - County of Martin July 12, 1923. I, Marion C. Jackson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1923.

Correct - attest: R. O. MARTIN, L. W. MIZELLE, E. H. ANGE, Directors.

Clark-Bennett Drug Co. Successor to Fowden Drug Store. PHONE 53 Complete Line of Drugs, Toilet Articles, Sundries, Sodas, Cigars, Etc. QUALITY SERVICE PROMPT DELIVERY C. B. CLARK L. C. BENNETT

Report of the condition of THE BANK OF JAMESVILLE At Jamesville in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 30, 1923.

Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Demand loans, Overdrafts, United States bonds, Liberty bonds, Banking houses, Furniture and fixtures, Cash in vault and net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies.

Capital stock paid in \$10,000.00 Surplus fund 3,500.00 Bills payable, War Finance Corporation 22,183.72 Bills payable 50,000.00 Deposits subject to check 50,000.00 Cashier's checks outstanding 441.05 Certified checks 280.00 Time certificates of deposit due on or after 30 days 45,464.59 Savings deposits 547.24 Certificates issued for bonds borrowed 750.00

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1923.

Correct - attest: I, Marion C. Jackson, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1923.

Correct - attest: W. W. WALTERS, Notary Public.

Correct - attest: R. O. MARTIN, L. W. MIZELLE, E. H. ANGE, Directors.

BITES-STINGS Apply wet baking soda or household ammonia, followed by VICKS VAPORUB Over 17 Millions Jars Used Yearly

WRIGLEYS After Every Meal. Have a packet in your pocket for ever-ready refreshment. Aids digestion. Always thirst. Soothes the throat. For Quality, Flavor and the Social Package.

GULBRANSEN Player-Piano. Easy to Play. \$420.00 to \$1,000.00. \$500.00 to \$700.00. -THREE YEARS TO PAY- "Terms to Suit" SOLD BY F. F. Cozzen WASHINGTON, N. C.

INSURANCE and building materials. PERMANENT types of construction naturally reduce insurance rates. But their real value is in the insurance they themselves give - insurance not only against fire, but against deterioration, upkeep and replacement expense. Your building material dealer's experience is an insurance policy that costs you no premiums, but instead saves them. Follow his advice as to types of building and building materials. ATLAS PORTLAND CEMENT. "The Standard by which all other makes are measured"

PURE ICE IS A MOST IMPORTANT THING, FOR YOU OFTEN TIMES WANT TO PUT IT RIGHT IN YOUR FOOD OR DRINK. A SATISFIED CUSTOMER IS OUR FOREMOST AIM. A TRIUMPH IS ALL THAT IS NECESSARY. Lindsley Ice Co. WILLIAMSTON, N. C.