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SOMETHING FOR THE CHILDREN TO DO

Now that the school has closed and the Daily Vacation Bible School is over, what is there for the children to do?
 There was a day, of course, when the boys would have chopped wood, picked up jobs and worked enough to keep out of mischief all the time, but now the style has changed.
 As to girls, they could learn to wash, sew, cook, house clean, and do a lot of things.
 This would be a fine thing for them and the town.

TOO MUCH COTTON AND WINTER WHEAT THIS YEAR

New York tells us that we are going to raise too much winter wheat this year but too little spring wheat, which means biscuits will remain the same size.
 They also tell us it looks like too much cotton again; with the big stocks on hand the prices may be expected to be low.
 These predictions, of course, come from a good source, because city life depends on country products. It is safe to say that their information has been carefully gathered; yet it does not cheer the cotton farmer to tell

him his product will be low. It may be that the boll weevil will change the price of cotton this fall. He has plenty of time to swipe the crops if the rainy season comes at the proper time to help him raise his family.

PREPARING FOR A BIG TOBACCO SEASON

The latest claim for territory by the tobacco folks comes from Greenville warehousemen, who say they will run eight warehouses this year and should sell a large percentage of the tobacco from Hertford, Beaufort, Bertie, Martin Edgecombe, Green, Craven, Lenoir, and all the surrounding counties.

If the claim is true and the crop is good, Greenville will have big sales. Other markets might take the hint and get right to brag some, too.

JOYCE HAWLEY IS ONE HURT THE MOST

Joyce Hawley, the beautiful 17-year-old Chicago girl, raised more notoriety than honor, fame or money when she stepped into a bath tub filled with wine on the stage of a prominent New York Theater at a George Washington Birthday celebration on February 22, and after bathing in the sparkling wine and while still in the

tub dished the contents of the tub out to the morbid crowd of anti-prohibitionists until most of the company reeled in drunkenness.

According to ancient history some of the lustful kings became so depraved that they held parties which may have surpassed the famous Hawley bath tub stunt, which stands at the head of American parties for degradation and shame.

Miss Hawley is the one who is to be the most pitied, because she has made the greatest sacrifice—that of honor and character which can not be regained. She has surrendered more than the morbid bunch of men who stood around and drank the champagne and its drugs of sin.

Yet there is more hope for her than for them. She was led on and vainly, though foolishly, plunged in. They led her on and were in a large measure responsible for the entire trouble.

The promise of Carroll, the proprietor of the theatre and host at the party, of \$1,000 if she would help him carry out plans for his wild party has never been fulfilled.

Unfortunately, there are many towns smaller than New York that revel in drinking parties, with the sign board pointing down the very same road that the Joyce Hawley wine bath party traveled.

VACATIONS

By James D. Taylor

Vacation time is here again. Excepting Christmas, perhaps there is no other period of the year looked forward to with as much pleasure and planning as the vacation period.

It's a great thing to lay down one's tasks and take a quiet rest or change of vocation. I have just read in the Williamston (N. C.) Enterprise, published by a Christian gentleman, Mr. W. C. Manning, of a Vacation Bible School already started in the little town of Williamston. The personnel of the faculty is composed of a number of leading Christian workers who are spending their vacations in teaching the children of that community more about the Book of books—the Bible. What a big thing it is to spend one's vacation in the service of the Master.

Plan your vacation well. Let it better your health and physical condition so that you can take up your work again with abundant health, a greater energy and an increased ambition. But, above all, do not forget that your soul needs often to be spiritualized just as your body needs to be purified. Every day during your change of vocation you can be of help to some one. If these things are on your vacation program, you are planning well.

EARLY GRAZING REDUCES MILK, HURTS PASTURE

Experiments to determine the value of pasture as a source of dairy food have revealed some startling facts, some of which is that dairy cows which permit cattle to graze on new spring grass are likely to lose at least one-third of the value of the pasture for the entire year.

As long as men have kept dairy cows they have taken advantage of nature's bounty in supplying fresh green food every year. Consequently as pastures spring into life every year, the farmers' first thought is that it is time to turn the cows out.

There is a double danger in this time-honored practice, and a double benefit from keeping dairy cows in the barn on a full grain ration at least a month longer than the appearance of spring pastures would indicate was necessary.

Field grass is harder than most farm crops, but it can't stand everything. If it is trampled on and cropped close to the roots when the first green blades are shooting up, its growth is stunted and held back, if not absolutely ruined for the rest of the season.

Thus the farmer who turns his herd out too early is killing a perfectly good crop before it has gotten well under way.

This damage in itself is serious enough, but it does not represent anywhere near so great a loss as comes from shrinking milk production if cows are forced to rely on grass for their nourishment at this season of the year.

In most dairies, cows are thinner than they should be when turned out on pasture. They have been in winter quarters for months on heavy production without a sufficient amount of feed. They need a better ration instead of a smaller one than they had in the barn.

If grass is substituted for grain at this season of the year, it may for a time show stimulated milk yield, but the cows are certain to fall rapidly off within a short time, and once they shrink in milk, it is impossible to get them back to their former level of production in the same lactation period.

The safest and most profitable method of grazing can follow is to keep cows in the barn, on a winter ration, at least a month before turning them out on pasture. This extra investment in feed will be more than repaid in milk yields, both during the winter and through the coming season.

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NOTICE

Having this day qualified as executor of Sophia Cratt, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before May 3, 1927, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt payment of the same.

This May 3rd, 1926.
 W. R. CRATT,
 my4 6tw Executor of Sophia Cratt.

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 KEEP A BOTTLE ALWAYS ON HAND!



PALE & PEAKED

Texas Lady Was Advised by Her Mother To Take Cardui, Which She Did With Good Results.

Hamilton, Texas.—Mrs. Gladys Foltz, of this city, says: "At times I suffered awfully with pains across my back and through my sides. I would have to go to bed and stay two or three days at a time. It was very worrisome. I managed to keep going, but ... did not enjoy myself at all."
 "One day my mother remarked on how pale I looked. She said: 'You look so pale and peaked, why don't you take a bottle of Cardui?' She had taken it herself a number of times, and it had always improved her health, so she thought I had better try it."
 "I got the Cardui and began taking it, and from the first dose or two I could see a change for the better. The first thing I noticed was that my appetite was improved. I began to be hungry and I enjoyed my meals. I slept better at night. My rest was so much quieter that I got the benefit from it. I kept on with the Cardui and took it for several months. The pains in my back and sides grew less until they finally quit bothering me."
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NOTICE

Delinquent Tax Payers

You are hereby notified that your personal property will be seized and sold for the payment of taxes due the town of Williamston on all your real and personal property if said taxes are not paid on or before June 1, 1926.

By order of the board of commissioners at their regular meeting held May 3, 1926.

M. S. MOORE
 CITY TAX COLLECTOR.

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Friday, June 4th
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John W. Green
 At John A. Manning's Old Stand

A word to the wise
Is Sufficient - It Is Hail
Insurance Time
 In 1925 we had a hail storm in Martin County June 8th, another June 11th, and another June 25th. There was \$250,000.00 worth of tobacco destroyed in the fields. Who knows but what we will have hail storms this year; and in May instead of June? At any rate it costs you no more to insure your tobacco the day you plant it than it does a month later. The minute you are ready for hail insurance call—
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