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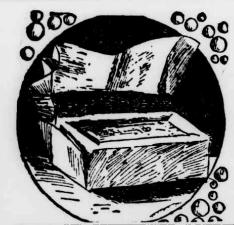
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BREVARD NEWS, BREVARD, N. C.

SIX MONTHS SCHOOL HAVE QUEER PETS AMENDMENT Lonely Men in Signal Tower Welcome All Sorts. CHAPTER 192

An Act to amend the Constitution of North Carolina so as to insure a six months term.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That section three, article nine of the Constitution of North Carolina be and the same is hereby amended by striikng out therefrom the words "four months" and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'six months."

Sec. 2. That this amendment shall be submitted at the next general elec- the inkwell; just about that time I laid tion, to the qualified voters of the my cigar down on the desk and began State in the same manner and under the same rules and regulations as provided in the law regulating general elections in this State.

Sec. 3. That at said election, into a ballot box labeled "Ballot Box for Constitutional Amendment," or "Ballot Box for Constitutional Amendments," those persons desiring to vote for such amendment shall cast a separate printed ballot with the words "For six months school term' thereon, and those with contrary opin ion may cast a separate printed ballot with the words "Against six months school term" thereon.

Sec. 4. That the said election shall be held and the votes returned, comnared, counted and canvassed and the results announced under the same rules and regulations as are in force at the general election in the year one thousand nine hundred and cighteen for returning, comparing, counting and canvassing the votes for Governor; and if the majority of the votes be in favor of the amendment, it shall be the duty of the Governor of the State to certify said amendment under the seal of the State to the Secretary of State, who shall enroll the said amendment so certified among the permanent records of his office.

Sec. 5. All laws and clauses of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 6. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification. Ratified the 6th day of March A. D. 1917.



The Names of Brevard Persons Fa miliar to All.

Who are the Witnesses? They are Brevard people-

Cockroach That Likes Tobacco and Drinks Ink Is One Visitor-Toad

Came Regularly for its Feast of Flies.

A Boston and Maine railroad signal towerman tells this story of pets he has made in his lonely perch above the tracks:

At midnight nine months ago a cockroach crept out from under the telegraph desk and began to drink out of to work the telegraph key.

The cockroach walked over to my cigar and sucked at the moist end for a second or so, then ran to the inkwell again and took a drink, then came back to the cigar; he repeated this performance several times and staggered away drunk as a lord.

Every night around midnight for the past nine months this cockroach has drank from the inkwell on my desk and either sucked the moist end of my cigar or some moistened tobacco I place near the inkwell for him.

One of the boys found a tiny muskrat in the marsh back of the signal tower one day, and he brought it into the tower. The muskrat became very tame and proved a most affectionate pet. He slept on the desk near the telegraph instruments for over two years. Although he went out very often, he wouldn't stay long, and would scratch at the door until some of us would run downstairs and let him in. Unfortunately our pet was killed by a freight train while crossing the tracks near the tower one day. After the muskrat died we brought in a tiny woodchuck that a trainman had captured out on the line, and he became very much attached to all of us, and, like the muskrat, he became a very clever and amusing pet. "Shuck" stayed with us two years, and finally he disappeared one day. Possibly some dog got him, or he may have been crushed by a train.

For the past 20 years an English sparrow has nested in the eaves of the tower, and this sparrow flies in and out of the tower at will, picks up bread crumbs on the floor and catches an oo casional cockroach. What worries the tower men is that our pet sparrow may some day eat our pet cockroach.

Last year a toad hopped up on to the doorstep of the tower and sat there blinking. One of the boys fed him a fly and the toad gobbled M in an instant, and every afternoon all summer long that toad hopped up on to the step and ate flies as fast as the railroad men would feed them to him. The boys took turns and fed him in

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-WSS-PROMOTED

Vern Clement, son of our worthy townsman, F. D. Clement, has been promoted to the office of orderly in the Signal Corps Service.

-WSS **REAR LOT IMPROVEMENT**

The lot in rear of C. M. Doyle's hardware store is being lowered and a few stumps removed. The dirt is used to form a floor in Mr. Kilpatrick's new garage, in rear of Mr. Mitchell's store.

RED CROSS SENDS HOSPITAL GARMENTS

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CCOUNTS. This July 8th, 1918. Ethel G. McMinn, Welch Galloway, 7-11-6twg Administrators. relays; the yardmaster said the boys were neglecting their work to feed the toad; but he became so fascinated watching the performance that he caught flies for an hour one day and fed the toad.

I'm afraid the toad will go hungry this summer if he shows up, for we're too busy moving war supplies to bother with feeding pets around a railroad yard.

Every stray dog that ever wandered into the ward has found a haven in the tower, and several litters of puppies have been born there.

We've had cats galore; one cat in particular was a snake catcher, and she brought in a snake nearly every day.

Stole Sugar by Bucketfuls.

Sugar thieves employed an ingenious method the other day at Launceston, Australia. A quantity of sugar had been bought for export but, ships not being immediately available, it was decided to store the stuff at the port. Accordingly huts were built on the wharves, but as the decking had shrunk somewhat, tarpaulins were first laid down, and then the sugar bags placed on this. The doors were locked, and a watchman placed in charge. When the time came to empty the sheds the bottom tier of bags were found flat and empty, with a slit in the under side. Each slit corresponded with one in the tarpaulin directly over spaces in the planking. The method of the sugar thieves was simple. When the tide was about halfway up the piles, a boat was taken under the wharves as near as possible to the stores, and then it was only a matter of crawling over the ties, knife and bucket in hand, until the right spot was reached.

Brave Act Rewarded.

Arthur G. Palmer, a water tender attached to the United States ship O'Brien was overboard and struggling in the water. A strong ebb tide was running and Palmer had all he could do to keep from going down. At the moment when he was near exhaustion David Goldman, a machinist's mate, second class, jumped overboard and, beating his way through the rough water, reached the man and brought him to safety. He has been commended by the secretary of the navy for this action. Goldman enlisted in the navy in 1911 at San Francisco.

Concrete Ship in Norway.

Commercial Agent Norman L. Anderson reports the launching of a 600ton concrete ship from the Fougner yards at Moss, Norway. The ship has four water-tight compartments; the engine, a 220 horsepower Bolinder mo-tor, is placed aft. The boat has two large holds and two hatches, each equipped with a two-ton motor winch.

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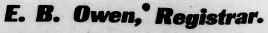
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