

Children Are Most Susceptible To T. B.

Since childhood has been found to be the period when tuberculosis infection most frequent occurs, tuberculous workers are now concentrating their efforts on preventing the disease at this point. Their program is to put the physique of childhood into shape so as to resist the infection of tuberculosis, and at the same time the infection of other diseases. The importance of this work is seen when it is realized that most cases of active tuberculosis in adults show that the bacilli have been harbored since early childhood.

It has been pointed out that children become infected with tubercular bacilli mainly from two sources, first, from tuberculous parents or relatives with whom they live; second, from tuberculous cows in infected milk. Children also come into close contact with bacilli carriers through sitting on the laps of infected persons and from putting things into their mouths that are contaminated with bacilli.

Safeguarding the child's health at these two points will go a long way in preventing diseases in childhood and death in maturity. One very important method of bringing and keeping children into the aforementioned physical fitness to resist the infection of tuberculosis and other diseases is the nutrition work in the schools which is a part of the Modern Health Crusade and which is an important part of the work of the National Tuberculosis Association and of the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association.

Cocklebur Is Winter Home Of Boll Weevil

Whiteville, Dec. 7.—R. L. Brown, well known farmer of the Western Prong section of Columbus county, has discovered one of the unique habits of the boll weevil, through the winter season, and now the lowly cocklebur, forever a nuisance, must go.

Mr. Brown has just discovered that a boll weevil, in hardy state of health, occupies each of the two cells of the cocklebur in his fields and he has brought Whiteville as exhibit to the State Convention.

Are You Willing To Pay For The Best? Somebody has said, "Success comes

in cases; failure in cash." I have a clipping on my desk—I don't know who is the author—which reads as follows:—

"Success is sold in the open market. You can buy it—I can buy it—any man can buy it who is willing to pay the price for it. Are you willing to pay the price? How much discouragement can you stand? How much bruising can you take? How long can you hang on in the face of obstacles? Have you the nerve to attempt things that the average man would never dream of tackling? Have you the persistence to keep on trying after repeated failure? Can you cut out luxuries? Can you do without things that others consider necessities? Can you keep your mind steadily on the single object you are pursuing, resisting all temptations to

divide your attention? Are you strong on the finish as well as quick at the start?

And all this reminds me of twelve rules of success that I read in a church paper nearly thirty years ago, copied down on an old sheet of foolscap at the time, and have kept ever since. The heading is simply "Twelve Rules from the President of the London Chamber of Commerce." Who that "President of the London Chamber of Commerce" was I don't know, but of course he was a business man of distinguished success or he would not have occupied that position. Here are his twelve rules which I have never seen published in any book or paper for about thirty years now, but which I think exceedingly good: "1. Have a definite aim. 2. Go straight for it. 3. Master all details.

4. Always know more than you are asked to know. 5. Remember that put your hand out farther than you expect to know. 6. Remember that put your hand out farther than you expect to know. 7. Never What do they say? Let them say. 8. At times be brains. 9. Listen well, answer carefully. 10. Treat failures as stepping hold; always prudent. 11. Men say, 'tiously, decide promptly. 12. Pre-

serve by all means your power. A sound mind is a sound body."—Clarence Poe, in The Progressive Farmer

Auction Sale OF Personal Property

Tuesday Dec. 18

AT 10:00 O'CLOCK A. M.

On Tuesday, December 18th, 1923 at 10 O'clock a. m., I will sell at Public Auction the following lot of personal property:

Four mules, one lot of corn, one two-horse wagon, one buggy, one sulky disk, one disc harrow. Big quantity of hay and oats and a lot of other plows and farming utensils.

TERMS OF SALE CASH

PLACE OF SALE: ON THE PREMISES
For further information, see or write to

J. A. BAGGETT

COOPER, NORTH CAROLINA

THE CHRISTMAS STORE

Gifts For The Grownups:

- Shot Guns
- Rifles
- Victrolas
- China-ware
- Bicycles
- Tricycles
- Floor Lamps
- Silverware
- Watches
- Clocks
- Rings
- Vases



For The Little Folks:

- Balls
- Kiddy Carts
- Alphabets
- Rubber balls
- Drum
- Riding Horse
- Wagons
- Air Rifles
- Horns
- Games
- Dolls
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CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



YOUR SHOPPING MADE EASY

We expect to do the largest Christmas business in our history, and have stocked our store accordingly. In this ad we offer a few suggestions.

- Neck Chains
- Wrist Watches
- Vanity Cases
- Manicure Sets
- Mesh Bags
- Gold Brooches
- Bracelets
- Pearl Beads
- Set Rings

A Joyous Yuletide



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AUCTION SALE

OF **Five Valuable Pieces of Property**

ON **Thursday, December 13th, at 10 O'clock a. m.**

THE McD. HOLLIDAY HOME PLACE

FIRST—The McD. Holliday home place. This property will be subdivided and sold for residential purposes. The best home sites in the town of Dunn. We will also sell the 10-room dwelling and large lot upon which it is situated, fronting on four principal streets of the town.

THE J. N. CREEL, JR., RESIDENCE

We will also sell the J. N. Creel, Jr., residence and lot, in the same section of town and fronting on Cumberland and Elm streets.

THREE LOTS FOR JAMES BEST

We will sell for James Best three lots 50 x 100 feet facing Washington street.

B. Z. BLACKMAN PROPERTY

We also have purchased the B. Z. Blackman property, which will be sold for the high dollar. This property is located on the Dunn-Clinton highway, right on the edge of the city limits.

ALL THIS PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD REGARDLESS OF THE WEATHER

And prizes of different kinds will be given away at the sale, including cash and one valuable Jersey milk cow.

We will have a brass band to entertain the crowd. Don't forget the day and date of sale. There will be no by-bidders, but a fair auction sale of the best lots available in Dunn at the present time.

THE TERMS ON THIS PROPERTY WILL BE ANNOUNCED DAY OF SALE

We can sell lots on the following terms: One-fifth cash, balance in one, two, three and four years. Just think of such terms on valuable lots.

COME OUT AND ATTEND THIS SALE OF RESIDENCES AND LOTS

Johnson & Brannon Land Auction Co.

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