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THE VETERANS' PRAYER

(Nov. 11)

Today they will vision it all afresh—
That wester of vermin and mud,
The tangle of bones and jumble of
flesh,

And Hate's dark river of blood.
Today they will still be wondering
why,

Just what that hell was for,
And each true veteran-heart will cry
"God, let us have no more war!"

They see great chiefs of poisonous
breath.And greedy and ruthless hand
Assemble their youth once more for
death—

The shambas of "No Man's Land,"
And shaking their heads with heart-
worn sighs

At the thing their souls abhor,
The veterans cry, "Oh, men, be wise!
"God, let us have no more war!"

Grey heads and shell-torn arms now
raise

With sightless and staring eyes,
To pray as only the victim prays
Who was once Hate's sacrifice:
"God, smother the hell-red faggot of
Mars."

The ominous thunder of Thor,
Give life, sweet life, 'neath the west-
ern stars,

But let us have no more war!"

By EMMA MORETZ COFFEY
Rufus, N. C.

A SPLENDID ACHIEVEMENT

Assistant County Agent Harry Hamilton and the group of boys who, under his skillful leadership, were able to produce Hereford steers of such excellent quality that they practically took the show at the Asheville exhibition the other day, are to be roundly felicitated upon their remarkable achievement.

Watauga county has long felt the need of an improvement in the blood lines of its herds, and the enterprise of the county agent's office in stimulating interest among the youths of this county in the livestock business, is already bearing fruit. Another year will likely see other boys feeding Herefords into prize show cattle, and see other parents becoming more and more concerned, to the end that there is likelihood of Watauga county becoming a sort of gathering point for those who want beef cattle of the most improved sort. It is a great job that is being done, and Harry Hamilton and his boys deserve the cooperation and encouragement of all.

\$25 A PLATE

Information coming from the Democratic National Committee is to the effect that the Jackson Day dinners in January will be held, as usual, in all forty-eight states, and the faithful are expected to eat and make merry—at no less than \$25 per plate.

Genial Jim Farley points out that those who do not desire to pay \$25, may pay \$50 or \$100—in other words, as Queen Elizabeth once suggested, when told the poor had no money for bread: "If they can't buy bread why don't they eat cake?"

Thus the management of the party of Jefferson and Jackson has taken on the exclusiveness of a bridge club, and only the socially and fiscally elect may gather around the banquet board to drink a toast to Jackson, the plain, outspoken, southern Democrat, whose muddy

boots are said to have been an injury to the polished floors of the White House, way back in the days before a man's greatness was measured by his monetary achievements.

The rank and file of the Democratic party throughout the country, the great masses who keep sweeping President Roosevelt into power and who would likely do it again today, can't enjoy the Jackson Day dinners this year. If they are so fortunate as to have twenty-five dollars, it must go for coal or for baby shoes or for provender. These Jackson Day dinners have been looked forward to by we, the masses, since their inception, but in January the millions will be compelled to stay at home while the job-holders and the privileged feast themselves in commemoration of a rugged Democrat, who, if he were called back, probably wouldn't have the high-flown mannerisms so essential at a banquet of such exclusiveness.

LOCAL CHURCH SERVICES

FIRST BAPTIST

Sunday, November 11, 1937

The pastor greatly appreciates the kind treatment by his friends on the third anniversary of his pastorate in Boone. Sunday was a good day and many showed their love in various ways all of which went deep into our hearts.

Our program will go forward next Sunday in the regular way. But could we not make it unusual, by deep and earnest prayer for the pastor and the leaders of the church?

Have a good, encouraging word to say to your Sunday school superintendent. To your department superintendent, and to your teacher. It will help them to do better work. The only pay they get is the blessing of God and the appreciation of their friends. Words fittingly spoken are like apples of gold in pitchers of silver, said Solomon.

The Woman's Missionary Society will hold its annual mission study Friday evening at the church. All the women are invited to come. Mrs. Canipe, the mission study chairman, is endeavoring to make it a success.

LUTHERAN SERVICES

St. Marks, Blowing Rock: Preaching service on the first Sunday of each month at 2:30 p.m.; Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.; Miss Marie Bradshaw, Superintendent; Prayer meeting Wednesday night of each week at 7:30; Luther League every Sunday, 2:30 p.m.

Grace, Boone: Preaching service every Sunday at 11 a.m.; Vespers at 7 p.m. on 2nd and 4th Sundays; Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.; Prof. George L. Sawyer, Superintendent; Luther League each Sunday night at 7 p.m.

Holy Communion Banner Elk: Preaching service on the 3rd Sunday On the fourth Sunday of each month we hold services at Hanging Rock Chapel at 2:30 p.m. The public invited.

of each month at 2:30 p.m.; Sunday School every Sunday at 9:45 a.m.; Luther League at 3 p.m. on first, second and fourth Sundays. We most heartily welcome the public to all these services.

SPAINHOUR'S ANNOUNCE HARVEST SALE EVENT

Spainhour's one of the leading department stores of this entire section of country, announces through the columns of The Democrat today, the annual Golden Harvest sale. Mr. Harris, manager of the store, states that never in the history of his establishment have such marked values been offered the public and he expects the usual heavy response to the publicity announcing the big merchandising event. Attention is directed to pages four and five of The Democrat this week for further details.

SPAINHOUR
Golden Harvest Sale
STARTS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1937

Right in the midst of the season we are offering at a tremendous saving . . . It is our honest opinion that we are offering the best selection . . . Our entire stock is not included in this sale, but in every department you will find large savings . . . Come early for choice . . . Read carefully our detailed list.

Below Is a Partial List of the

1937 Fall Dresses

One group of fine quality silk crepe and light wools. They are not among our most recent arrivals, although every dress is exceptional in style, manship and quality. They are all smart in cut. We urge you to hurry in as we only have a limited number of them.

Values to \$7.95

\$4.88

Values to \$11.95

\$8.88

EXTRA SPECIAL
SILK DRESSES

One group of silk crepes of the better quality in very desirable styles and colors.

Values to \$10.95

\$4.88

Values to \$11.95

\$6.88



HARVEST SALE SPECIAL

SLIPS

One group of fine lace trimmed slips in tea rose; they are silk crepes. Values \$1.98—

97c

SATIN AND CREPE PANTIES

One group of odds and ends, lace trimmed and tailored styles. Values to 79c, pair—

37c

Knitted Slips

"NON-RUN"

One big group of silk and rayon knitted slips in most sizes. Tea rose only. Values to \$1.49

69c

ENTIRE STOCK
Cotton Prints
PRICED TO CLEAR

COTTON PRINTS

Fruit of the Loom and Punjab tub-fast prints . . . many patterns to select from. Hurry in for choice. 24c yard value, now—

18c

FINE SILKS

Crepes and satins of the better quality in prints and solid colors. Now is the time to save. Values to \$1.49 yard—

37c 47c 67c

56-Inch WOOLENS

Colorful plaids and checks, finest quality . . . an outstanding bargain. Values to \$1.39. Yard—

57c

LOOK WHAT YOU SAVE!
ONE GROUP FINE SHOES

Every pair smartly styled. Suede and patent pumps in black and brown, also a large group of kid ties. Sold for \$2.98—

\$1.94

NEW 1937 FALL SHOES

One large group of ties and pumps—multicolors and brown suede, also black suedes with patent trims. Hurry in for your size. Sold for \$3.98—

\$2.94

BRAND NEW KID GLOVES

One group of fine quality gloves in the newest arrivals. All colors, all sizes. \$1.98 values

\$1.77

SPECIAL

One big group of kid gloves, blacks and browns in very desirable styles. Good quality of kid. Values to \$1.98. Pair—

69c

BRAND NEW FALL BAGS

One group of the newest fall colors and shapes at a big saving. All leathers. \$1.98 values—

\$1.77



Harvest Sale Bags

FRIENDLY FIVE SHOES

One group brown and black scotch grain, also one group brown suedes. All sizes. \$5.00 values—

\$3.88

PHILLIPS JONES SHIRTS

One group solid colors and patterns. Every shirt pre-shrunk. Most sizes. \$1.50 values—

\$1.00

"BOONE'S SHOPPING CENTER"

Look What You Save
1937 TOWERS

Brand new and more attractive a big reduction in price. \$16.95

\$14.95

MEN'S SUITS

One group of men's suits. Fancy patterns and colors. \$17.95

\$15.95

Other sizes \$2.00

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