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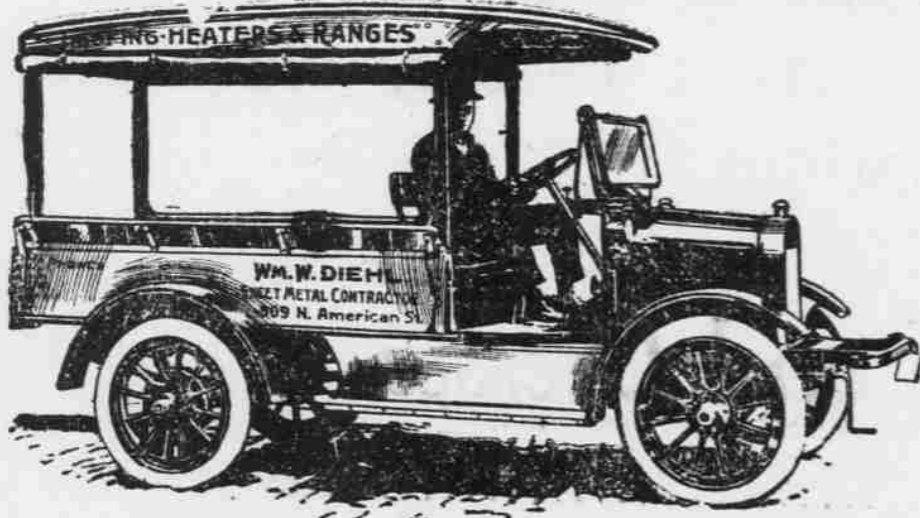
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### BIDS FOR STREET PAVING.

Sealed bids will be received by the Town Council of Morganton at the office of Town Manager up to 10 a. m. June 20th, 1916, for the construction of 6000 yards or more of concrete paving on West Union street from King street to west point of curve opposite property of A. G. Lyman. Contractor to furnish all material.

Bids must also be made Town of Morganton to furnish all stone, sand and cement. Specifications will be furnished prospective bidders upon receipt of \$1.00. Each proposal submitted must be accompanied by a certified check of ten per cent of the bid. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

C. T. CAIN,  
Town Manager.



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### RELEASE OF THE PRISONERS DEMANDED.

Carranza Takes Responsibility For Attack at Carrizal—Attack as Act of War.

Washington Dispatch, 25th.

A demand for the immediate release of the American troopers taken prisoner at Carrizal, coupled with a stern notification that the United States expects an early statement of the purposes of the Carranza government, was telegraphed to Mexico City today by Secretary Lansing.

The note discloses that the State department received yesterday a communication from the de facto government stating that the Carrizal fight was the direct result of orders to attack American soldiers moving otherwise than toward the border personally issued by General Carranza to General Trevino and by the latter communicated to General Pershing.

Wants Definite Statement. In reply Secretary Lansing requires that the de facto government transmit a definite statement "as to the course of action it has determined upon" through the usual diplomatic channels "and not through subordinate military officers."

The Mexican communication is construed, Secretary Lansing states, "as a formal avowal of deliberate hostile action against the forces of the United States now in Mexico and of the purpose to attack without provocation whenever they move from their present position despite the friendly mission on which they are engaged and which is reaffirmed in the American rejoinder."

General Carranza is required to place himself on record formally and the plain intimation lies behind the restrained language of Mr. Lansing's communication that force will be met with force. Apparently, however, the Washington government is determined that the de facto government shall not evade responsibility before the world if war is forced upon the United States.

### A New Theory.

Statesville Landmark.

Reporting the debate, in the Southern Presbyterian General Assembly, on the privileges to be accorded the women in the churches, the Presbyterian Standard says:

Dr. G. A. Blackburn of Columbia, S. C., made, to our mind, one of the strongest speeches of the debate. Owing to the fact that he was limited to ten minutes, he was unable to develop his argument, and was consequently misunderstood; but the principle he laid down was Scriptural. According to him, God chose man as His representative, and Satan chose woman as his, and now in this question thus sprung upon the church, Satan is trying to push woman to the front, and reverse God's order as laid down in His word.

Well, now, what are the sisters going to say to that? They are the devil's representatives—chosen by Satan himself—and any attempt to put them on equality with man in the churches is a scheme of the Evil One. The Landmark isn't undertaking to contend about this question, which seems to have put some of the Presbyterian folks in deep water—it is simply printing some information about it. But it is constrained to remark that, in the matter of representatives of God and the devil, if one could make an examination—could see into the inner consciousness—he would find more of the "lords of creation representing old Satan openly or secretly, than the Daughters of Eve; for we believe it will be admitted that as a whole the women are better than the men.

### The A. & M. College.

The demand for young North Carolinians whose education and training qualify them to take responsible places in the State's advancing development in agriculture, manufacturing, and other productive enterprises, grows apace. Of the ninety young men who were recently graduated from the Agricultural and Mechanical College, practically all had positions waiting for them on the day of their graduation. These young men are taking their places not merely as leaders in the State's material growth, but in its solid progressive citizenship as well. The announcement of this great technical institution appears in this issue.

### ENDORSED AT HOME.

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The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Morganton adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it:

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### SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST.

Under and by virtue of the authority granted to the undersigned in a Deed of Trust executed by J. G. Gibbs and wife, L. R. Gibbs, on February 14th, 1913, recorded in Book 2 No. 3, page 307, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Burke county (default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured) the undersigned Trustee will, on Thursday, the 6th day of July, 1916, offer for sale at the Court House door in Morganton, N. C., at 12:00 o'clock noon, the following described tract of land, to-wit:

In Burke county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Abel Pitts, W. R. White and E. J. Sigmon, bounded as follows: Beginning on a negro pine (now down) on the east side of Long branch, Abel Pitts' line; thence running south 45 degrees west 12 poles to the branch; thence south with the meanders of the branch 27 west, 12 poles to a stake in the branch; thence south 75 degrees west 8 poles to a stake in the branch; thence south 19 degrees west 10 poles to a stake in the branch; thence south 31 degrees west 22 poles to a poplar on the east side of Long branch; then west 102 poles to a post oak (now down but stump still standing); then north 150 poles to a black oak, George Taylor's corner; then west 62 degrees east 35 poles to a sourwood; then north 63 east 26 poles to a stake in Pitts' line; then south 40 degrees east 114 poles to the beginning, containing 106 acres, more or less, and being the tract of land conveyed by Daniel S. Settlemyre and wife F. A. Settlemyre to J. G. Gibbs and wife L. R. Gibbs by deed dated 5th of February, 1908, and recorded in the Register's office of Burke county in Book C, No. 3, page 275, hereby referred to for a full and true description of said tract of land.

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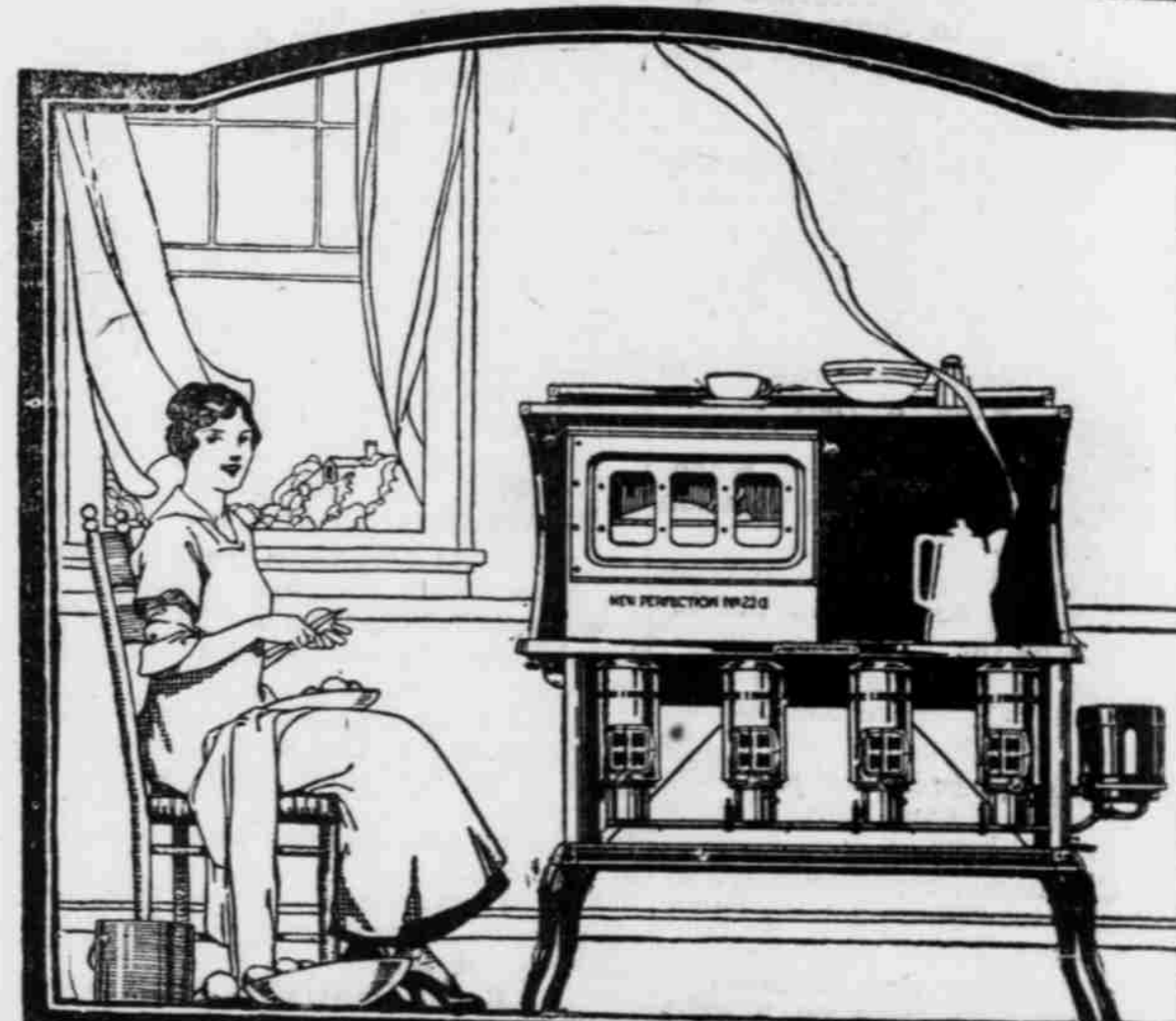
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