Men, Women and Children.

upon one of alien citizenship

him during his tour of the

attended luncheons and

beyond · computation and

hade farewell to cheering throngs

In his baggage were six great

cases filled with gifts from the peo-

their voices to acclaim the man who

hurled Germany's legions back from

the soil of France and won victory

coming to America late in October

Marshal Foch has traveled nearly 15,

000 miles, made more than 500

has heard the voice of America from upwards of 17,000,000 men and wo-

Farewell Message.

for their spirit of diligence and for

their generous-heartedness," 'said the

marshal in his farewell message to

the people of America, transmitted

through the American Legion Week-

ly, organ of the ex-service men's or

leader. General Pershing, the days

were dark indeed. Yet you smiled then as you fought, and your cheer-

fulness and bravery helped much to

"When next I met you, it was in

your country. The alarms of war were over. You were engaged ac-

were over. You were engaged ac-tively in those pursuits of peace

which the so essential to happiness and prosperity—hard work. I have

spirit of diligence, for their generous

Asks Appropriation for Russians

Timber Supply is Near End.

vation, who issued a warning to

America at the annual conservation

congress of the America Game Pro-

tective association at the Waldorf-

Texas Mob Hangs White Man.

Waco, Tex.

south of town.

Waco, Tex. — "Curley" Hackney, white, about 30 years old, arrested in

city jail and hanged three miles

Cofton Consumed in November.

War Tax on Express.

China's Offer to Tokio.

Washington. - The counter pro

Japan of the Kioa Chow-Tsinanfu

Wants Treaty Abrogated.

Washington.-The Chinese delega

France Will Forego Payments.

arily to forego cash reparations pay-

ments from Germany, a high official

in the French foreign office told the

Ex-Grown Prince to Return.

ber, 1918, has lived at Wieringen, is

Doorn, Holland.-The former Ger

an crows prince, who since Novem

willing tempor

ese arms conference delegation.

declared in a statement.

\$13,000,000.

charge was \$1.50.

1915 be abrogated.

Paris.-France is

Associated Press.

"Curley" Hackney

bring us victory and peace.

they always have been.

Russia.

"I have come to love all Americans

in history's greatest conflict.

banquets

men and children.

leads to two thoughts.

ple of this continent, who thronged

here and sailed away to France.

MONEY VOTED FOR **BUSSIAN RELIEF**

BILL PASSED AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE OF TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS.

TWO SOLID HOURS OF DEBATE arms conference with stunning force. The proposal was wholly out of ac-

Opponents of Measure Claim That Connditions of Distress Also Prevail in This Country.

Washington —A bill authorizing the proposals for naval limitation. President to expend \$20,000,000 out of passed by the house, 114 to 51.

Opponents of the measure fought it to the last and forced a roll call on the ground that the vote as announced did not include a quorum of the house. The roll call resulted 181 to 71 and projected. the bill now goes to the senate.

In wrangling over the measure the house attempted to chop it to pieces with amendments. The first actual ring powers. test was an amendment by Representin view of tative Bankhead (democrat) of Alabama to reduce the amount from \$20,-000,000 to \$10,000,000, which was de- poses, officials than the French have been wholly at a

There had been two solid hours of debate, during which a flood of eloto add ten 35,000-ton "post-Jutland" quence was let loose on the arguments ships to her navy by 1935. that the starving Russian children, had brought about their distress, to accomplish some other purpose not should have their cry for bread silenced with American food, when a new fight was started over proposals to tear the bill to pieces.

Protesting against the use of funds for the people of any foreign nation, asked the interstate commerce com-

him confidentially.

vote money out of the treasury," said the chairman, "when it is not to be used to relieve the distress of the people we were sent here to serve."

ginia stepped forward with a new W. Bibb, Alabama's first governor. President to spend \$20,000,000 for relieving distress among the "starving hungry and unemployed citizens of the United States." It was howled out retary Hoover to reduce freight rates

ginia republican stood his ground. "My amendment may not come within the rules of the house," Mr. Goody- to meet increasing competition koontz declared above the din, "but it at least has the merit of coming within the constitution of the United States.

Agricultural Loans Washington.-Approval of 182 advances for agricultural and livestock purposes aggregating nearly \$7,000,-000 was announced by the war finance corporation.

The loans included: Georgia, \$461,000; North Carolina, \$110,000; South Carolina, \$306,000; posse were shot, an alleged blockader and Virginia, \$46,000.

Wedding to Cost \$150,000. London.—In spite of the compara-tive poverty of the British royal family, due to the excessive increase in the cost of living, it was learned that of its kind since the wedding of King

George.

British Ratify Treaty. London.-Prolonged cheering greeted the announcement that both houses of the British parliament had ratified the treaty creating the Irish Free State by emphatic majorities.

Collides With U. S. Destroyer. New York.-Wireless messages re ceived here stated that the steamship Panama'had collided with the United States destroyer Graham, off Seagirt, N. J. The Panama, with 107 passengers on board, sent out S. O. S. calls.

Take \$10,000 From Theater New-York .- Three bandits entered the Capitol theater building, held up the auditor, Louis Faulkner, and three other theater employes and escaped down a fire escape with \$10,000 they There are at present 150 cases of the cru'ser was sponsored by Miss Helen famous twenty-one demands treaty of took from the safe.

To Clear Up Wall Street Explosion. Washington.-The arrest in Warsaw of Wolfe Lindenfeld will clear up the grain, grain products and hay in trans entire mystery of the Wall street explosion of September 16, 1920, it was stated by William J. Burns, head of ed for six months, were sustained by the department of justice's bureau of the interstate commerce commission. investigation.

Badits Raid Town. Lasheras, in Santa Cruz province, has selected chairman of the democratic Been raided and sacked by 600 ban-dits, according to dispatches from Do-the late Representative Henry D. mora and Riverdavia

Strong Inclination in American and British Circles Not to Take the Proposition Seriously.

Washington.—Announcement by the British spokesman that France has asked before the naval sub-committee of 15 for authority in agreement with the other four naval powers to build ten 35,000-ton capital ships struck the

cord with theories on which the naval confrees have proceeded up to this time that there was a strong inclination in British and American circles not to take it seriously. The feeling was said to rest in part on what Pre mier Briand said at the second plenary session in regard to the American

Mr. Briand's reference to "princithe funds of the United States Grain ples" was construed at the time as corporation for relief of the distressed acceptance for France of the four prinand starving people of Russia was ciples laid down by Mr. Hughes in his

proposals. Paragraph A of the four principles

building programs, either actual or

existing naval strength of the confer-In view of these plain statements of the purpose of the conference, and apparent French agreement in those purof delegations other

The proposal was believed in some regardless of the bolshevik ruin that quarters to be a trading proposition

Would Issue Bonds.

Chairman Madden of the appropria- mission for permission to issue and tions committee declared it was not sell \$30,000,000 in gold bonds to bear easy to vote a tax on the backs of the interest at 6 1-2 per cent to mature American people and cry at the same April, 1956. The railroad proposes time for economy. "There are conditions of distress in \$22,588 000 for redemption of out-this country which would appall con-standing short-term notes, and \$2,355. gress if I dared relate them," Mr. 000 to extinguish a government loan. Madden shouted, adding that informa- The balance, the application said, will tion to this effect had been laid before be held in the treasury of the corporation as reimbursement for capital bet-"But I cannot see my way clear to terment expenditures already made.

Governor's Picture on Money. Montgomery, Ala.—Gov. Thomas E. sople we were sent here to serve." Kilby. of Alabama, is the first living When the time came to receive American to have his portrait on an amendments, more than a score of official piece of United States money. members, jumping to their feet, de- On the Alabama centennial half dolmanded recognition. In the midst of lar, authorized by act of congress, a the flood of them, Representative profile likeness of Governor Kilby ap-Goodykoontz (republican) of West Vir- pears side by side with that of William

Asks Reduction of Rates.

Washington.-Railroad traffic exe cutives have been requested by Secon a point of order, but the West Virone dollar a ton on coal from eastern producing districts to Atlantic ports in order to allow American producers

Pine May be Sold France.

Memphis. Tenn.-Negotations are under way for the sale by Southern pine interests to the French Government of approximately 240,000,000 feet trian surgeon working among the cripof pine lumber, valued at between \$7,-000,000 and \$8,000,000, according to an announcement at a meeting here of Dr. Charles H. Mayo, of Rochester, Southern Yellow Pine Producers.

One Killed; Many Wounded. Cornelia, Ga .-- Vernon Grant, deputy posse were shot, an alleged blockader was killed and another believed to be seriously wounded in a battle between liquor runners and a posse of officers

Decline in Wholesale Prices.

Washington. - A slight slump in wedding of Princess Mary to Vis- wholesale prices occurred during the taken to forecast final and complete January 1, will result in a saving of that the Swiss retreat cost nearly January 1, will result in a saving of the savi count Lascelles is to cost nearly \$150.

month of November, according to staagreement on the limitation of naval
agreement on the limitation of naval
agreement as regards the United labor statistics. The bureau's index number, based on 327 commodities, stood at 149 in November, compared with 150 for October. The largest decreases occurred among farm pro the check-off system of collecting minducts. Clothing and metals were also ers' dues recently issued by Judge A. cheaper, but no change was noted in G. Anderson, in federal court at Infoodstuffs. In fuel and building maerials, prices averaged higher.

> 23,000 Idle Mine Workers. Scranton, Pa.-There are 23,000 idle mine workers in district number one of the United Mine Workers and unless the coal business improves promptly, in the neighborhood of 25, 000 will be added to this number with

in a few days.

Epidemic of Influenza. from influenza, which is epidemic. disease, which is of a moderate type.

Reduced Rates Sustained.

Washington. - Reduced rates on

Rouse Suceeds Flood Washington. - Representative A os Aires.—The small town of thur B. Rouse, of Kentucky has been Flood, of Virginia, it was announced. of

IN DISACCORD WITH THEORY CREDIT SYSTEMS CALLED FAILURE

AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS OF COUNTRY ARE THREATENED WITH DESTRUCTION.

SENATOR LADD'S PREDICTION

Representative Sinclair of North Da- United States and Canada and lend kota Also Cricised the Present Monetary System.

Washington - Failure of present day financial and credit systems to meet the needs of the people is threatening the destruction of the fundamental American industry, agriculture, Senator Ladd, of North Dakota, declared in opening the conference called by him to seek legislative relief from stated was as follows.

"The elimination of all capital shipthe situation. Senator Ladd described his proposed federal loan bureau as one method of relief, asserting that through it the government would re-Paragraph B reads:
"That regard should be had to the money and of providing credit to all

the people on terms of equality.
Estimating that a loss to "all industrial classes" during the last few years of 88 billions of dollars, with an equal loss in purchasing power, had resulted from deflated value of farm products, he declared that this could be traced to the "non-functioning of capital" held by a few great corporations.

The federal loan bureau bill pro-

posed to advance credits to farmers on warehouse receipts, on city real estate up to 50 per cent of its value, on farms to 60 per cent and farm improvements to 40 per cent.

Representative James H. Sinclair, of North Dakota, also criticised the present monetary system, declaring the federal reserve board was "controlled absolutely by bankers for the benefit of bankers."

Fifty Billion Marks.

Warsaw.-Gold and jewels estimated to be worth fifty billion Polish marks-the Russian Soviet government's first payment to Poland under the treaty of peace signed at Riga on March 18 last-have arrived here Diamonds, rubies and other precious stones and gold bars filling 100 cases in all were brought here on a special train under military escort.

Harding Approves Design. Washington-President Harding approved the design of the medal which, under the army bill of June 5, 1920, he was authorized to present to the City of Verdun in the name of the Congress and people of the United States.

Had Plans to Seize Castle.

Copenhagen.—The police have discovered plans showing that the homeless unemployed in Copenhagen con-templated seizure of the Christiansborg castle, which is the King's offi-cial residence and the meeting place of the Danish Parliament, intending to Astoria hotel. use it as a sleeping place.

Should Be Encouraged. Pinehurst, N. C.-Dr. Lorenz, Auspled children in this country, "should be helped and encouraged," declared Minn., in a statement here.

Naval Ratio is Agreed To. Washington. - Consideration of the naval ratio question was understood naval ratio question was understood daring and 53.257 bales of the have been completed by the Big 610 bales of lint and 53.257 bales of the Westington conference inters, compared with 332.712 of lint Three of the Washington conference. Meeting at the state department, and 34,827 of linters in November of Secretary Hughes, Arthur J. Balfour last year, the census bureau anand Admiral Bacon Kato spent an hour discussing it, it was understood, the naval ratio question and, at the breakup of the session, it was indicated, they would not meet again. This was

Check-Off Injunction Remanded. Chicago. - The injunction banning dianapolis, was ordered recast by the United States circuit court of appeals.

Congressional Recess. Washington.-The senate adopted the Curtis recolution that congress ad- posal of China for the purchase from journ for its holiday recess from December 22 to January 3. The resolu- railroad in Shantung province has been cabled to Tokio by the Jaran tion now goes to the house where favorable action is anticipated.

Launch Cruiser Concord. Philadelphia. — The light cruiser Concord, one of ten of this type vessel oldiers are in the hospital suffering being built by the government, was ed in the Far Eastern committee of launched at Cramps Shipyards. The the Washington conference that the Bagley Buttrick, of Concord, Mass.

> Gang Members Surrounded. Jackson, Ky.—Three members of the band which raided the Breathitt county jail, killing one man, fatally wounding a woman and seriously unding another, were surrounded by state troops in a cave on John Little's creek, 12 miles from here.

Peru Mobilizes Troops. Buenos Aires.—Peru has decreed the mobilization of 398 officers and obilization of 398 officers and now planning to return to Germany troops and is sending seven and expects to request permission of regiments to Ticaco, in the province the Dutch government for his depar of Tac-

RECEIVED GIFTS EVERYWHERE A CRITICAL TIME FOR AGRICULTURE Heard the Voice of America From Upwards of Seventeen Million of

PERIOD OF THE GREATEST DE-New York.-Ferdinand Foch, gray PRESSION THREATENS LIFE and slight, but bearing with him every honor that America could be OF FARMING INTEREST.

CANNOT PRODUCE AT A LOSS

The First Task of the Country is to Bring Agriculture Through This Period With Least Damage.

Boston, Mass.—The United States is passing through the most severe agricultural depression of its history, Secretary Wallace, of the Agricultural Department, declared in an address before the Boston Chamber of Commerce. Asserting that prices of major farm crops were lower than at any time in the nation's experience, Secretary Wallace predicted that decreased production would result in prices "so high that city consumers will complain bitterly, for the farmer cannot continue to produce at a

ganization, before sailing for home.
"With deep regret I bid you good-This condition is undermining agribye," the allied leader said. "For alculture, the base of the "pyramid which represents our national life," most seven weeks the legion has entertained me marvelousy in your splendid country. My experience here Mr. Wallace said, adding that the first task of the country was "bring agriculture through this criti-"When first I met you and came to cal period with the least admire you as fighters, cheerful, subject to discipline under your splendid damage.'

The industrial East, Secretary Wallace declared, may feel the need of a sympathetic and thoroughly efficient agriculture sooner than is realized. since "the billions of dollars which we have loaned to Europe must be paid, not in gold, but in goods, which compete with our own manufactures and which are produced at a cost far below our own, and to meet such competition our own people must have the cheapest possible food.

come to love all Americans for their Outstanding requirements for the relief of agriculture, the secretary heartedness. France and the United said, are better credit conditions for States are indeed close together, as the farmer, reduction of freight rates on agricultural products to the low-est possible level, and federal supervision of such institutions as public Washington.—Effective food relief stockyards, market agencies and grain in Russia must be administered by exchanges. ongressional action, Secretary Hoov-

This country now, Mr. Wallace said er declared to the house foreign afis "passing through very much the same experience that England had fairs committee in asking an appro-priation of \$20,000,000 for the purfollowing the Napoleonic wars," al-though the transition in England from chase of food supplies for starving an agricultural to a manufacturing country had set in at the beginning of those wars, the secretary recalled. New York. — This country faces great danger from the exhaustion of It was the severe depression in agricultural products that followed and ts timber supply within the next decontinued for many years that finally cade, according to Martin L. Davey, brought the change to an industrial former member of congress from nation, he said. Ohio and an authority on tree preser-

"We are approaching that period which comes in the life of every na-tion," Mr. Wallace said, "when we must determine whether we shall strive for a well-rounded. self-sustaining national life in which there shall be a fair balance between in dustry and agriculture, or whether, as have so many nations in the past, shall sacrifice our agriculture for the building of cities and expect our food to be produced not by independent farmers, but by men and women of the peasant type."

Charles' Board Bill Unpaid. Washington. — Cotton consumed during November amounted to 526,-Paris.-"Who is going to Emperor Charles' board bill?" is the problem the allied governments are trying to solve. So far no country has come forward and offered to pay the bills left behind in Switzerland or the expenses which will follow the exile of the former monarch to Ma-

deira. New York.—Elimination of the war The former king has expensive tax on express shipments, effective tastes. This is evidenced by the fact 2,000,000 francs a year to keep going. In a hurry to reach his old throne, service, G. C. Taylor, president of the | Charles forgot several substantial ob-American Railway Express company ligations. These and the cost of maintaining Charles and his large family at Madeira are occupying the During the first ten months of the allied ambassadors' council. The tocurrent year, he said, the tax on extal Swiss bill will exceed several million Swiss francs, apart from the espress shipments amounted to about tablishment set up in Madeira for the The average express former ruler of Austria-Hungary.

Soldiers Charged With Theft. Columbia, S. C.— Fifteen hundred ollars worth of stolen goods from Camp Jackson were recovered by city detectives when two soldiers were arrested. The property consisted of 28 automatic revolvers and ten artillery field glasses.

Kept Up Chase for 15 Months. New York.-Fiction holds no more tion asked of the powers representthrilling tale than the recital of the tep by step chase of 15 months after the perpetrators of the Wall street bomb outrage of September, 1920.

> Rescue Twelve Men. Miami, Fla.—Twelve men aboard the stranded British gas boat Priscilla, after spending five days without food or water on a reef off the Ba were rescued by one of the hamas, Aero Marine Airways flying boats

> Naval Meeting Postponed. Washington. — Today's meeting of he arms conference naval sub-comnittee of 15 was postponed by Chairman Hughes upon request of M. Sar-raut, head of the French delegation.

THE OLD NORTH STATE

SHORT NOTES OF INTEREST TO CAROLINIANS.

Goldsboro,—Rev. G. T. Adams of St. Paul's M. E. church, stumbled over a pile of brick in his back yard and broke his leg.

Kinston.—Christmas turkeys here, including of feathers and feet, are selling for 30 to 35 cents a pound. Birds are reported to be fairly plentiful. Dealers fail to predict h cusomary eleventh hour slump in prices, how-The minimum retail price at Thanksgiving was 30 cents.

Bethel.-Last week a tobacco barn on Mr. J. J. Carson's place, one mile south of here misteriously caught on fire. There were 22 bales of cotton stored under the shed of the barn. Only one bale of that was saved. The loss is estimated at two thousand dollars with no insurance.

Elizabeth City.-"A bonded wareouse at Elizabeth City, to be built during the next few months, is now a ertainty," says S. B. Parsons, prom inent local banker, "proably with an initial first floor space of 12,000 feet, and operated strictly upon bonded warehouse principles, with full insurance protection against fire and

Lenoir.-A check for \$5.000 was received by President Craven, of Davennort college from Miss Annie Ogburn. of Winston-Salem, several days ago. This donation, according to the letter Miss Ogburn sent with it , is to be invested and the proceeds used towards defraying the expenses for some worthy student every year. President Craven said that the \$300 interest which this \$5,000 would earn would not quite pay the annual expenses of a student.

Selma.-Edward Spinks, who, with his brothers, David and Mitt Spinks, was wounded by Lem Jackson, a ne gro, died at a local hospital.

Salisbury .- Capt. R. E. Crawford western division Southern conductor was required to give bond in the sum of \$7,500 to answer at the next term of superior court for the killing of Sam

Henderson.—If estimates of tobacco men are accurate, the Henderson tobacco market has but little more than a million and a half pounds more of tobacco to sell of the 1921 crop.

-At Five Points, a Wilson suburb, Mike Whitley was instantly killed in an automobile accident. Rob Raper and Ollie Daniel, who were badly hurt, were taken to a local hospital. Chapel Hill.—It has been announced

that Grady Pritchard, of Chapel Hill elected captain of the 1922 univedstly football team while the squad was en route home from Jacksonville.

Kinston- Members of the family said a fatal drug taken in mistake for a harmless remedy caused the death of Richard Smith, Jr., three years of age, and caused the boy's father and small sister to be violently ill.

Charlotte.-Clarence Wilson, young white man accused of killing a mule and inflicting general damage, when car which he was driving on the Salisbury road several months ago collided with the mule, was sentenced to the penuitentiary for two years

Lumberton-Frank Everett, of Park ton, Robeson county, who is charged with killing B. M. Pittman, of Hoke county, has surrendered to J. T. Mc-Rainey, Robeson rural policeman.

Rocky Mount.-Sales for the past week on the local tobacco market to-talled 1.033,766 pounds, which sold for \$262,929.32, or an average of \$25.43 hundred pounds, ac Acial announcement, made by J. H. outhrell, supervisor of sales

Rutherfordton .-- Rutherford county ginned 7.57 bales of cotton up to November 21, as compared to 6,403 bales for the same period last year. The next report will possibly show a deficiency-over last year.

Lenoir.-The contract has been le for the erection of the new graded school building to J. W. Stout & Co., of Sanford, at \$105,000. They will begin work on the building right after Christmas, and the contract calls for completion by September 15, 1922.

Gastonia -Jesse White, aged 23 years was accidently shot and killed while out hunting near here by a companion, Frank Kendrick. A party of four was hunting rabbits. Mr. White was hidden from view by the underbrush. He received the entire load in his head.

Fayetteville-William Alired, police man of the town of Hope Mills, and mechanic for the Virginia and Carolina Southern railroad, is at the point of death as the result of the accidental discharge of a pistol which fell from his pocket as he was undressing.

Charlotte-Discovery of a gold tooth in an appendix and causing an attack of appendicitis was the unusual ex perience of Dr. R. L. Gibbon, Charlotte surgeon, when he performed an op-eration and removed the appendix of Or. R V. Killian, of Lincoln

CONDENSED NEWS FROM | HEALTHFUL VIGOR IN STRONG BLOOD

Rich, Red Blood Built Up by Pepto-Mangan-Liquid or Tablet.

Blood is strong and full of life-giv-ing vigor when there are plenty of red cells in it. Anaemic people have little strength because there are not enough red cells in the blood. It is thin and watery. Weak blood makes faces pale, down the strength and leaves the body tired, weak, and sickly.

A course in Gude's Pepto-Mangan restores weak blood to its normal strength. Taken regularly for a while it adds red cells to the blood. with good blood, the strength and vigor of health return. There is pleasure in living, with good blood running through the veins. Gude's Pepto-Mangan is put up in liquid and in tablet form. They are the same medic-Physicians have prescribed inally. Gude's Pepto-Mangan for years. The name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" is on the package. Advertisement.

SAW THING IN RIGHT LIGHT

Old Mose Taylor Undoubtedly Had the Situation Sized Up, but Who Got the Dime?

"At the end of a Georgia negro meeting," says an Atlanta man, was decided to take up a collection for charity. The chairman passed the hat himself. He dropped a dime in it for a nest-egg. Every right hand encountered that hat, and yet, at the end, when the chairman turned the hat over and shook it, not so much as his own contribution dropped out.

"'Fo' de land's sake!" he cried. 'I has even lost de dime I started with! "All the rows of dusky faces looked uzzled. Who was the lucky man? Finally the venerable Mose Taylor

med up the situation. "'Gentlemen,' he said solemnly, rising from his seat, 'der 'pears to be a great moral lesson round heah somewheah!" "-Pittsburgh Dispatch.

A Feeling of Security

You naturally feel secure when you move that the medicine you are about to take is absolutely pure and contains no oducing drugs harmful or habit p

Such a medicine is Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, kidney, liver and bladder remedy. The same standard of purity, strength and excellence is maintained in every bottle of Swamp-Root.

It is scientifically compounded from zetable herbs. It is not a stimulant and is taken in

teaspoonful doses.

It is not recommended for everything. It is nature's great kelper in relieving and overcoming kidney, liver and bladder troubles.

A sworn statement of purity is with every bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root.

If you need a medicine, you should have the best. On sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. However, if you wish first to try this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

He was a bachelor in the forties and she was a sweet young thing of twenty, but he loved her and was courting her vigorously in all the ways an old bachelor knows how to woo a young maid. Then one night he decided he would sing to her. Going to the piano, he picked up some loose sheets of music and began to play. Finally he came to one which pleased him and began to sing: "Grow old with me- The best

But the sweet young thing had interrupted him very forcibly. "I won't do it," she tossed back impudently, "at least, not for 25 years."-Brooklyn Standard Union.

Cuticura for Pimply Faces. smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for toilet purposes. Don't fail to indaily clude Cuticura Talcum, Advertisement.

On the Other Hand. The late Edgar Saltus, the brilliant and satirical novelist, said one day at New York wedding breakfast, where the bridegroom was a millionaire of forty-five:

"Our Rockefellers and Schwabs and Russell Sages married in their first youth. Well, our successful men don't marry now as early as they used to, but, on the other hand-

And Mr. Saltus looked round the table with a bland smile.
"On the other hand, they marry oftener."

Taken in Turn. "Let's see, whom were we discussing?" "I forget! Who went out of the dressing room last?"-London

