

FORCED TO LAY OFF FROM WORK

Restaurant Man Wouldn't Swap Good Tanlac Did Him For Best Hotel in State, He Says.

"I wouldn't swap the good health Tanlac has given me for the finest hotel in the State," said C. N. Chisholm, of 417 N. E. Fourth St., Charlottesville, Va., proprietor of a restaurant on Water Street, near the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad station.

"Why, the medicine has built me up twelve pounds in weight and put me in the very best of health, but before I got hold of it I was in mighty bad shape. I was working in Philadelphia, and suffered so much from nervousness and indigestion that I got in a terribly run down condition. My stomach was so disordered that I felt nauseated most of the time, and I bloated until I could hardly get my breath. My head ached constantly day and night, and I had such awful attacks of dizziness that at times they almost blinded me. I was so nervous I trembled like a leaf and I could never get a good night's sleep. My whole system just seemed to be worn to a frazzle and I was losing three or four days a week from my work. I tried everything I knew of

in the way of medicine, but kept getting worse until I decided to leave Philadelphia and came to Charlottesville, my old home.

"After I had been here for several months without getting any better I ran across Tanlac, and three bottles of the medicine put me in fine shape. The first bottle set my stomach in order and the other two continued to build me up until I gained twelve pounds in weight and am enjoying the very best of health. I never have to miss a day from my work now, and it is due entirely to Tanlac that I am feeling so fine."

Unusual Sentences for Juvenile Law-breakers.

Recorder Burnett, in the Spartanburg, S. C., police court Saturday sentenced four youthful offenders to be whipped by their parents and to refrain from going to the movies until they reach the age of 21. The boys staged a robbery of a local store, posting guards and wearing masks in real bandit style. They said they got the idea from a scene they had witnessed in a moving picture show.

Three small boys convicted in juvenile court at Tampa, Fla., Saturday of having entered a hardware store, were sentenced by Judge Petteway to save enough money to buy a pocket knife for each boy in the local children's home. The court ordered that the knives should be purchased from the store the culprits entered.

482 Miles Of Road To Be Built In State At Once

Contracts Totalling \$7,000,000 Will Be Let by Chairman Page in Next Few Weeks—Total of \$18,000,000 of Roads Approved for Building Within First Year of New Commission.

Immediate construction on 432 miles of roads in North Carolina, costing over \$7,000,000, has been ordered by the State Highway Commission, and much of the road will be completed and put into service before the end of the summer. Every district in the State, and almost every county in the State, is included in the list of projects approved for immediate construction.

Altogether the commission has approved the building of more than 18 million dollars worth of road, with a total of more than 1,000 miles, since reorganization was effected following the enactment of new road legislation by the last session of the General Assembly. Limitation of material supply and construction forces make it necessary to give some roads preference.

As near as possible, construction will proceed simultaneously in each of the nine districts, with an equalized distribution of State money. Many of the counties in the State have come in under the Guilford-Forsyth resolution, and in some instances this fact gives one district a larger immediate mileage than others. Particularly in this so the Sixth district, which will complete the Charlotte-Statesville road, hard surfaced for 43 miles, at a cost of approximately \$1,290,000.

Counties Will Help. Under the Guilford-Forsyth resolution, counties desiring immediate work on roads may build them under the direct supervision of the State, the contracts being let by the State, and the counties paying. Counties which will reimburse the county at its own convenience, when bonds are sold or other funds are available. Many of the counties have come in under that arrangement, which makes possible the immediate building of many roads.

Construction has been distributed, in so far as possible, to bring the whole State within communication. Many projects, particularly in the western districts, were let several weeks ago, after the second session of the commission here, and are not included in the list of roads laid out for immediate building. Work on many of them is already under way.

Wide difference in cost as between east and west districts have developed on account of grading and availability of material. In the east an excellent gravel road is being built at an approximate cost of \$5,000 to \$7,000 per mile, while in the west the same type of road costs a minimum of \$10,000. In the east the cost of a mile of hard-surface road is approximately the same as the cost of the same road in the west, despite the heavy grading in the latter, because of the fact that rock and other material is available on the spot, or very near.

Among the roads to be built immediately are the following in this district, the third, of which Robeson is a part:

Third District — Sampson — Cumberland — Bridge across South river.

Brunswick — New Berlin to Columbus county line, 14.5 miles, gravel road.

Columbus — Taking up above road at Brunswick-Columbus line, thence to Waccamaw station, 23 miles, gravel road.

Pender-Onslow — East-west line, approximately 30 miles terminating at Dixon, gravel road.

OUT SMYRNA WAY.

Community Loses One of Its Best Young Women in Death of Mrs. Kenneth Lamb—Scant Clothes and Prayermeeting Thoughts—Personal Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Lumberton, R. 4, June 13.—Rev. R. L. Byrd filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday. He preached a strong sermon each time.

We are very sorry to report the death of Mrs. Kenneth Lamb, whose condition was thought to be favorable until a short time before her death Saturday p. m. By her death this community has lost one of its best young women.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Bullock attended preaching here Sunday.

Mr. Fowler Prevatt attended preaching Sunday.

Miss Letha Stone was a visitor at the home of Mr. E. McQ. Rowan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Wilkins were visitors near here Sunday.

Some might think it foolish, but I saw a joke in a certain newspaper like this: When a girl comes down the street or in public with hardly enough clothes on to make the tail for a kite, how can you expect a fellow to have prayermeeting thoughts?

Fourth-Class Postmaster Examination in Lumberton July 2.

The United States Civil Service commission has announced an examination to be held at Lumberton on July 2, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth-class postmaster at Tar Heel, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$256 for the last fiscal year.

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Shannon Colored School Closing.

Correspondence of The Robesonian.

Program for 2 evenings was rendered and a ball game each day and a gold and silver contest between a number of the students. Jessie Graham won in the gold contest \$2.50; Ernest McRae won in the silver contest, \$1.50. Splendid exercises, all present enjoyed them. The faculty Prof. George C. Murphy, principal, Mrs. E. C. Murphy and J. G. Dunn, assistants, made it pleasant for all and were faithful to their task. Each one of the faculty has been elected for next year. They had charge of the Reading circle at Red Springs and Shannon and had 9 successful meetings.

About 20 students will enter the 7th grade next year. The industrial work of the school was excellent. An entertainment was given to raise money to buy material for industrial work for the school. A flue was built for the school's cook stoves and a teacherage bedroom. Because of the low price cotton the committeemen made benches to seat the school. Prof. George C. Murphy has orders from the community for mattress making next year.

We highly appreciate what the honorable board of education and the people of Shannon have done to make the school a success.

Prof. George C. Murphy, principal, and Mrs. E. C. Murphy have returned to their home at Southern Pines, where they will open up their post work till the summer school opens and expect to attend summer school at Hampton, Va. Jannie G. Dunn returned to her home at Fayetteville and expects to attend the summer school at Fayetteville. The supervisor of rural schools, Ethel Thompson, has visited the school. Health officer, Dr. Harding, visited us and vaccinated the school.
W. S. SMITH, Rennert.

The Monkey Run Business.

To the Editor of The Robesonian: Just want to write a short peice about the monkey run business. I read a peice from Fairmont that said some old men, as well as young, were being carried to hell by the filthy stuff, but it seems as if more old grey-headed men with one foot already in the grave are visiting the swamps. Isn't it a shame to see so many old men and young ones too, drunk on the mess and going the public highways and no doubt many a dear moth has gone to her grave heartbroken because husband or son is a drunkard and no doubt have been cursed by the husband who is drunk and unconscious of what he is doing and if it won't for the nasty mess he wouldn't do it and it is awful to see a young man drunk and can't walk straight but so many are leading them into this great sin. Fathers, what do you mean by leading a son or daughter to a drunkard's hell? It is time and high time something is being done to clear the State of the nasty mess.
G. B. Orrum, N. C. R. 1, June 10, 1921.

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