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You can cork a demijohn, but not a demagogue.

Even the "wets" think it wise to keep their feet dry.

Even the ground hog, it would seem, makes mistakes.

One other point in Hoover's favor—Hearst is dead again him.

SOME of the presidential boomlets already look as they were set out too soon.

The best ticket to a better world is an honest effort to make this a better world.

A dog can only lie on one side at a time, but some people have no such limitation.

If the ex-kaiser is finally jailed he will agree that the pen is mightier than his sword.

WONDER if there is perfect agreement between Bible and census statistics as to female ages.

If the women ever organize a separate political party, the rolling pin should be its emblem.

It is becoming clear that the Navy won the war on the sea in spite of one of its admirals.

It may take several more banquets to discover a candidate entirely satisfactory to Col. Bryan.

SAM GOMPERS says work is the best medicine. Trouble is too many fellows are scared of an overdose.

THE Senate is a more intelligent body than it was last month. Carter Glass has become a member of it.

St. LOUIS folks are fortifying to make home safe for democracy by storing their liquor in burglar-proof safes.

THE Philadelphia Enquirer speaks of the "great Bryan mystery," but after all, is there much mystery about it?

FEMINE waists are to be more wasp-like than ever, according to advices from Paris. That is some of them are.

If prohibition is enforced, you will seldom hear it said of a man in the future that he is his own worst enemy.

THE battle of the naval medals grow hotter and hotter. A little more and it'll be hot enough to melt all the medals.

THERE are no laws against speed in spending money. If there were nearly the entire population would have to be jailed.

If Uncle Sam is not to take part in the concert of powers, what will be the use of the proposed Federal department of music?

WHEN prices come down, will they glide down in graceful spirals or will they come down like the deacon's one-horse shay?

THE affairs of Greece are looking up. A prince of the Greek royal house has won an American widow worth \$14,000,000.

BEFORE any more Democrats are read out of the party hadn't we better make sure that we have enough of them as it stands.

LYOD-GEORGE'S plan to let Bolshevism "develop and die" would be very good if there were anywhere a guarantee of its death.

VON HINDENBURG is to publish his memoirs. We wonder if they will include the verdict of the international court that is to try him.

A Chicago chemist says wood alcohol should be abolished. Some folks are already abolishing some of it and themselves at the same time.

THERE is more joy among Republicans for one minor mistake in conducting the war than for all the glorious achievements that led to victory.

"REPUBLICANS split over army bill," says a headline. Is there anything the Republicans are not split over except dislike of Woodrow Wilson?

GOVERNOR EDWARDS, of New Jersey, imagining himself of presidential size, should remember Aesop's fable of the frog that tried to swell up to the size of a bull.

THE Republican party might have survived a special session of Congress, but the people will hardly forgive a repetition of the same dismal failure in the regular session.

NOWADAYS in the Middle West that rushing sound in the air doesn't mean a cyclone. It's merely the approach of Hiram Johnson on his way to deliver an anti-League speech.

THE Pacific ocean is mentioned in Australia as the probable scene of the next war. If there is any next war it will be too large an affair to be accommodated by one ocean.

SECRETARY DANIELS says President Wilson was the first man to suggest the right way of dealing with the submarines. In fact as well as in form he was commander-in-chief of the navy.

It is to be observed that the Lodge plan for "Americanizing" the treaty is more or less satisfactory to all the elements which sympathized with Germany before and during the war.

WHEN they get through with rebellious Admiral Sims, if many more handle him like Congressman Byrnes, of South Carolina, he will wish that he had modeled his loquacity after that of Colonel House.

"MARK HANNA'S methods were classical in their day," remarks the New York World, and if certain gentlemen have their way will insist on close study of the classics at the next Republican convention.

SENATOR BORAH has lived in the west long enough to know that most of the destructive political tornadoes come from that quarter. He sees the black clouds gathering and is trying to shoo his colleagues into cyclone cellars.

WATCH THE TENDENCIES OF YOUR CHILDREN.—Don't dream too much about the day when your son or daughter may be President or Mrs. President of the United States, but watch the tendencies which they display in childhood. These tendencies may develop into talents equally as valuable as the notorious principle of American freedom. Has your boy skilled fingers with "hurled things" and a steady nerve? Then he may be one of the great surgeons who do so much to alleviate suffering. Or does he love to build and build, fitting his materials together with a sense of symmetry and balance? Perhaps he will some day span great cities of commerce, or influence, a new era of architecture.

Does your little girl worship beautiful colors and love to cut and fit? Then perhaps she will sometimes be proprietress of a wonderful modish shop, or furnish the masses with a much needed education on the art of exterior decorating. Or maybe she prefers figures and riddles and is quick to go straight to the point of a matter. Possibly she will be an influential business woman, or, all in good time, even a woman senator.

But neither of them have half the chance of attainment unless tendencies are directed and developed carefully while they are in the formative stage.

The man who can't trust himself always imagines that other people ought to trust him.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

IN MEMORIAM OF LILLIE GAY SHAW.

The pain of our loss is still too intense, the sorrow too new, our hearts too crushed to give expression to the thoughts that surge within us when we remember the beauty of that sweet life, and yet we would tell what the association with her for four short years has meant to us at Greensboro College.

Our minds are too finite in their comprehensive power to understand why a character so lovely, so pure, so good should have been cut off in the flower of youth, as a rose torn in a storm, but the thought comes that perhaps the Master had a larger work for the soul that had grown and developed into the full beauty of perfection. She has been taken from us to the body, but her lovely spirit and life, lived close to the Master, dedicated to His service will ever act as an inspiration to all who knew and loved her, an inspiration to live a holier life, to think higher thoughts, to render a greater service to our fellow-men, to be more zealous in the Cause of Christ. Her work was done. Her life counted for her God wherever she was, whether teaching a Mission class at College or showing by her daily living what the faith she professed and the Lord she confessed meant to her. To think her was to love her and our hearts will ever ache for the understanding sympathy, the willing help, the consolation in grief and sorrow, which she gave so freely out of the fullness of her loving heart. The loss indeed is ours, but we rejoice with her because to her has been granted the precious gift of eternal life with the Christ she loved and served.

"So shall it be at last in that bright morning, When the soul wakes, and life's shadow's flee, Oh, in that hour fairer than daylight dawn, Shall rise the glorious thought—I am with Thee."

ELIZABETH A. WEBER, Professor at Greensboro College.

OLD WELDON.

Things That Happened 33 Years Ago in Town and Vicinity.

Feb. 17, 1887.—The Convocation of Tarboro met at Scotland Neck yesterday.

W. E. Daniel, Esq., left Monday for Kings Mountain, on business connected with his profession.

Feb. 24.—Mr. J. R. Cullom returned from the Hot Springs, Arkansas, where he has been for some months for the benefit of his health.

The March term of the Superior court for this county will convene on March 7th, Judge Shipp, presiding. Solicitor White will then make his first official appearance in this county.

The Weldon Literary Society will have a public debate at the hall on the night of April 5th.

A debating society has been organized at Ringwood, and meets weekly in Weller's hall. The following are the officers: President, J. J. Garrett, Secretary and Treasurer, George Harrison.

The following exquisite dialogue was overheard at a dance, and probably worth its space because it is unique. Here it is:
He—Tired 'ove?
She—Tired some.
He—S'eeepy, love?
She—S'eeepy iter bit.
He—Oose 'ove is oo?
She—Oose 'ove.
He—Love I, hun?
She—Tose I do.
He—Turn oo little mouf woun' and buss I den.

LITTLETON NOTES.—Mrs. L. J. Picot and her daughter returned Tuesday from Warrenton.

Mr. McGraw and Mr. Weller returned home Saturday.

Mr. Gideon Nicholson left last Friday for a short visit to his home near Macon.

Miss Annie Gray, of Scotland Neck, arrived in Littleton Saturday. She will go in the millinery business with Miss Lizzie Spruill.

Mr. S. Johnston, one of our leading merchants, had the key to the back door to his store stolen a few days ago.—Buck Smasher.

FIGHT THEM TO A FINISH.—How do they do it? Nobody knows. But they tell you about it—things about yourself, your church, your friends, that you never dreamed of. They do it in the most intriguing manner, don't you know—you just can't help listening. And such a confidence is so flattering that you just must pass it on. At least that's the way they argue. There is fun for a few in this little game and there is ruin, as to reputation, for a large number. Everybody has a chance to win, but the under dog whom Dame Gossip is looking after. Now do you know who they are? There are plenty of them in our town. No amount of insurance can protect you from them.

The Proof

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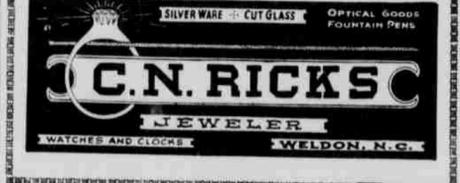
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Saturday afternoon, a farmer entered a Wilson barber shop and on taking in the situation found all of the chairs full and a long line waiting for the tonsorial artist to call "next." Seeing no chance for a quick "scrape" and having a long way to go he resorted to strategy. Placing his hands on his hips he shambled up and down the shop muttering: "This flu will kill me yet; I should have taken my wife's advice and remained in bed longer." Then rapidly he sneezed three times—ker-chee! Ker-chee! Ker-chee-ah-h! The crowd rushed out and four chairs were emptied of men "half raked over." Turning to the few who remained he remarked: "Gentlemen, I am thankful to say that neither myself or family have had the dread malady."

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Notice of Trustee's Sale.

Under and by virtue of the powers vested in me by two certain deeds of trust by William E. Johnston, which are duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax county, I will on the

22nd Day of March, 1920, at 12 o'clock M., in front of the court house door in Halifax, N. C., expose to public sale to the highest bidder for cash the one-half interest, subject to a dower interest, of William E. Johnston in the following described tract of land.

Lying and being in Brinkleyville township, Halifax county, N. C., commencing at a stump and pine stake, Perkins estate, N 66 1/2 W 165 feet, thence N 69 1/2 W 83 feet to Perkins' estate, across Watery Branch near post oak, thence down Watery Branch 300 feet to Black gum, thence N 80 E 78 feet to Sweet gum, thence 744 feet to a pine, thence S 33 E 400 feet to a street gum and stake in front of branch in field, thence 1022 feet down branch thence S 31 E 361 feet to ash stump with two pointers on Rocky Swamp, thence N 69 E 499 feet to Perkins' estate corner, on Rocky Swamp, thence N 51 W 304 feet to a black gum, thence N 2 E 1534 feet to the beginning, containing 123 acres, more or less.

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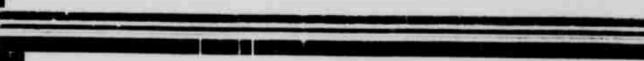
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