

## TAKE ACTION TO BREAK WILL

Document is Defended by One Hundred and Nine of Principal Beneficiaries Under its Provisions.

Monroe .- One of the most interesting actions ever filed in Union county civil court will be called for trial, the 23rd day of February, when the action known locally as the "Ross will case" will come up. More than a hundred relatives of the late Maggie and Sallie Ross, maiden ladies of Sandy Ridge township, are attempting to break the will of these ladies by which a thousand acres of fine farming lands and several thousand dollars in money were bequeathed to three negroes. The action has created wide interest because of the amount involved, the number of caveators scattered throughout five or six counties and in South Carolina, and because of the unusual circumstances of maiden white women bequeathing practically all of their large estate to negroes.

The will is being defended by the principal beneficiaries under it and by R. B. Redwine and R. A. Hudson, executors. One hundred and nine persons have so far made themselves parties to the other side of the action and it is understood some 25 others wil become parties before the action is disposed of.

Shelby .-- Mr. Miner, representing the American Export and Import corthan 30,000,000 tons of coal annually. he spirits of the dead. care for it. poration has been in the county for a week or more soliciting subscriptions Cuticura Soothes Baby Rashes in low grade cotton in this new corpo-That itch and burn with hot baths ration and he has been quite suc-Skin Sufferers Do Not of Cuticura Soap followed by gentle cessful, having received fully 150 anointings of Cuticura Ointment. bales from the farmers. The cotton Nothing better, purer, sweeter, espe-Want Mere Temporary Relief is being shipped to a South Carolina cially if a little of the-fragrant Cutiport where it will be exported. Farcura Talcum is dusted on at the finmers in this section are holding fully ish. 25c each everywhere.-Adv. 15,000 bales of cotton from the mar-Of course, if you are content to there is no remedy that gives more have only temporary relief from satisfactory results than S.S.S., the the terrifying itching and burning fine old blood remedy that goes ket. Leading Industries. According to the latest available staof fiery, flaming skin diseases, then down to the source of every blood tistics the leading industries of the Asheville.-Operating on the North you are satisfied to remain a slave disorder and routs out the germs Carolina-Tennessee border, within 35 United States are as follows: 1, food; to ointments, lotions and other lo-cal remedies applied to the surface S.S.S. is sold by all druggists. miles of this city, and in the heart of | 2, textiles; 3, iron and steel; 4, lum-Begin taking it today, and if you the Blue Ridge mountains, a party of ber; 5, leather; 6, paper and printing. of the skin. Real genuine relief from eczema, will write a complete history of 20 federal prohibition agents, led by tetter, scaly eruptions or any other your case, our medical director will local agents and men from the two WOMEN! USE "DIAMOND DYES" form of skin irritations cannot be give you expert advice without expected until you free your blood charge. Address Chief Medical Adstates, during the week past, have succeeded in capturing 16 stills, 20,-Dye Old Skirts, Dresses, Waists, of the germs which cause these viser, 155 Swift Laboratory, Atlan-000 gallons of beer, 200 gallons of disorders. And for this purpose ta, Ga. Coats, Stockings, Draperieswhiskey and three alleged operators. Everything. OT A TERM OF OPPROBRIUM | SIMPLE ROAD TO HAPPINESS Hickory .-- Catawba county farmers Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains easy directions for dyeing any Really It Seemed as Though As Benevolent Old Gentleman Pointed most of them subscribers of the Hickarticle of wool, silk, cotton, linen, or Out, Desired Result Might Easily ory Telephone company, met here Nother Had Some Strong Grounds and protested against the proposed mixed goods. Beware! Poor dye Be Attained. for Complaint. increase of 50 cents a month on streaks, spots, fades, and ruins matephones which the individuals pur- rial by giving it a "dyed-look." Buy The beautiful young woman, dressed the following story is told of a cerin fashion's most pronounced style, "Diamond Dyes" only. Druggist has school in central New York. Dr. chased and keep in repair as well as entered the street car and sat beside -, the health officer, had just the lines which they bought to con-Color Card.-Adv. de the customary physical examina- a rather benevolent-looking old man. nect with the larger system. Nearly and filled out the various health As the car started she happened to Ireland spends less per capita on 300 farmers were on hand. glance out the window at a bunch of drink than any other part of the Unite afternoon he received a visit little girls playing on the sidewalk. ted Kingdom. Greensboro .- Approximately 75 au-"Don't they look happy," she an irate mother. tomobiles, estimated to be worth gushed. "But no wonder. Why, I should like to know," she said bel-A life loyal to a high ideal is sucabout \$100,000 were destroyed by fire rently, "what you mean by calling remember my happiest days were when cessful. when the garage of Coble & Starr I used to wear short, little gingham boy 'a poor nut'?" was destroyed. There was no insurladam," said the astonished physi- dresses." ance on the garage or automobiles ex-Now, the man had seen her enter the "I haven't an idea what you are cept the machines owned and stored car, and he was well informed about ing about. To the best of my there by individuals. Three firemen wledge I have never applied the the length of the dress she was wear-

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have no visible means of support."

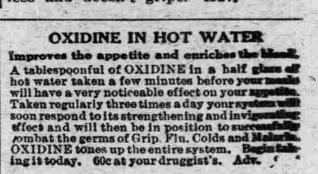
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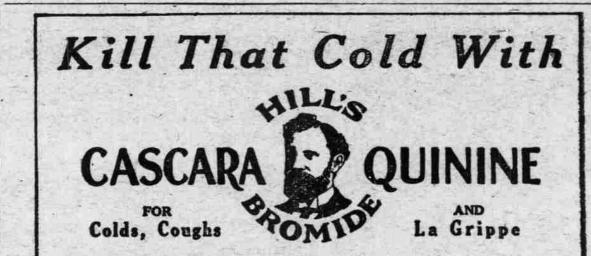
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A girl seldom begins to take life | Even the man who carries chips on eriously until she has been up against both shoulders doesn't necessarily ne case of unrequited love. walk upright.

The Polynesians believe that the Love of the limelight is totally innoon at its waning is devoured by comprehensible to those who don't

It's down in black and white," con- hint. "You might try gingham instead ed his visitor unappeased. "My of the silk you're now wearing," he has just been transferred to suggested. - school, and it's on his health as plain as can be, 'Poor Nut.'" e light of comprehension dawned he bewildered doctor. He smiled, in Dorchester the other day and an h-I see! 'Poor Nut,' my dear acquaintance some distance behind am, is merely an abbreviated way was calling out after him: "Hey, Lukeaying poor nutrition.""-Youth's Hey, Luke!"

het you mention to any person."

ground of all great thoughts is ss.—Festus.

oluff by any other name would be as unsatisfactory.

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## Better Health in your meal-time bev-

erage when you use

underwrite one-fourth the amount. The aldermen have the proposition under consideration and will likely accept it. POSTUM A BEVERAGE coln county in an automobile said to be carrying 45 gallons of liquor, Dave Postum Cereal Company. Erme Geste, Hon, USA. Small of Charlotte, fell into the

ing, so there was no mistaking his

A Familiar Warning.

A man was walking down a street

sign of hearing, a wag on the street

Thrift is the careful use of money

corner shouted: "Stop, Luke, and lis-

ten !"-Boston Transcript.

and materials.



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damages were awarded by a superior court jury here to Mrs. Daisy Watson Smith, for the alienation of her husband's affections by Mrs. Theresa Werner, of Atlanta, Ga., Mrs. Werner's husband J. L. Werner, residing in a northern state, was made a defendant in the suit. They gave Mrs. Smith \$30,000 as compensation for her suffering and for the alienation of the affections of her husband and \$20,000 punitive damages.

were painfully burned by the explo-

sion of a gasoline tank while fighting

Davidson .- Welcomed visitors, men

met with glad smile and greeted cor-

dially as they have moved from the

southern end of town on northward

through Davidson to the county line

have been the squad of civil engi-

neers and road surveyors completing

lotte to the Iredell line, as ordered by

Winston-Salem .- The chamber of

commerce proposes to loan the city

\$20.000 at six per cent interest, the

money to be used in providing the business district with modern white way. The merchants' association will

Lincolnton .- Passing through Lin-

hands of the sheriff. Local police said Small was understood to have been

enroute to Charlotte. He was placed

\$50,000 Worth of Heart Balm.

in the Lincolnton jail awaiting trial.

the state highway commission.

the flames.

As the man ahead did not show any the survey of the highway from Char-

Store and Post Office Robbed. Lexington .- Removing a window sash, robbers entered the store of J. L. Fitzgerald, at Linwood, six miles south of here, lighted a lamp, robbed the store and postoffice and got away without detection, although an occupied residence is situated within about 30 feet of the building. The robbers took several dollars in pennies and some goods.

The fourth class postoffive, of which Mr. Fitzgerald is postmaster, is located in the rear of the store and entrance was made through this.

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