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Add similes: As white as the new arrivals at a Florida hotel.—New York Sun.

"Shooting Gallery Reported Installed in White House." Good heavens, is he going after them with a gun?—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Half the world doesn't know how the other half got to the parking space first.—Savannah (Ga.) Morning News.

## An Excellent Record

In this motor age when road hogs are all too common, drivers who respect the rights of others are entitled to honorable mention.

Drivers of the Greyhound Bus Lines, which offer transportation facilities in this territory, particularly impress the average motorist with the courteous consideration they give to others on the highways. We have yet to observe one of their bus drivers taking more than a reasonable share of the road and their share on the proper side. And while we have no figures at hand to prove our opinion, the guess is ventured that for the number of miles traveled, a Greyhound bus has about 75 per cent fewer accidents than the average private automobile owner.

About 90 per cent of all automobile accidents are avoidable. Speeding, drunken drivers and poorly conditioned cars are the major causes of accidents. All of these causes can and should be eliminated.

And while we don't expect to bring about these happy changes, citation of the bus company drivers as topping the list in careful and courteous driving is not undeserved, and is intended as an example rather than free advertising.

## A Century Ago

The good old days. Yes, those were glorious times when people bothered not about taxes, land possessed a definite value, banks were loaning money on character alone and depressions were unheard of. Well, maybe.

A. M. Loy, writing in the Cleveland Star, speaks of the good old days of just one hundred years ago in the following language:

One hundred years ago the banks in North Carolina had suspended payments, and nine-tenths of all the land was for sale.

The governor, in his inaugural address, called North Carolina "a country worn down by the hand of adversity; the land is worn out; real estate has so depreciated as not to possess a fixed value; people are emigrating from the state; manufacturing advantages are unimproved; our schools and colleges are languishing from neglect."

Governor Swain said it cost more to run a session of the legislature than was spent for any other one thing.

One hundred years ago, the politicians said there is too little tax on the rich and too much on the poor.

The governor declared that the main trouble with the state was ignorance. About one-third of the people could read or write.

The university at Chapel Hill had 120 students.

One hundred years ago a newspaper published in Rutherfordton contained this advertisement: "Teacher wanted: Will pay \$200 a year for a man who can teach English, Latin, etc. It is also desirable that he should understand voice music."

The first denominational college was chartered.

Judge Archibald D. Murphy was put in jail for debts he owed.

One hundred years ago the first free school in the state was opened in Johnston county.

Maybe we haven't traveled all the distance we should have traveled. But more than one third of the people can read and write. We've opened thousands of free schools for eight months to the boys and girls of our state. We've crowded our universities and colleges with aspiring youngsters, who, if not entirely measuring up to the high standards we had set for them, are at least making us a more tolerant and liberal-minded people.

No, we haven't changed human nature. We're still saying there is too little tax on the rich and too much on the poor. And we regret to add that we're still paying our teachers too little.

Take your pick, but deponent prefers the good old days of 1934 to the good old days of 1834.

## The Cost of War

It is estimated that the World War cost the nations of the world something like four hundred billion dollars besides 30,000,000 lives.

The figures are so large that we comprehend them very faintly. T. D. Kemp, Jr., in one of his syndicated articles which appeared in the Charlotte Observer, gives us another yardstick.

One of the tasks to which the best minds of the world should be assigned is that of turning energy and money heretofore used in destruction into productive channels.

Mr. Kemp speaks his mind as follows: "With that amount we could have built a \$2,500 home, furnished it with \$1,000 worth of furniture, and placed it on five acres of good farm land worth \$100 an acre and given all of this to each and every family in the United States, Canada, Australia, England, Wales, Ireland, Scotland, France, Belgium, Germany, Russia and Italy.

"After doing all of this there would still be enough money left to give each city of 20,000 persons or over in all of the countries named above a five million dollar library and a 10-million dollar university.

"And then out of the balance we would still have sufficient money to set aside a sum at 5 per cent interest which would pay for all time to come a \$1,000 yearly salary each for an army of 125,000 teachers, and in addition to this pay the same salary to an army of 125,000 nurses.

"And after doing all of the above, we would still have a cash balance of \$70,000,000,000. This would give us enough cash to pay the national debt of the United States and give each and every family in the nation a cash gift of \$1,400."

## The Book

the first line of which reads, "The Holy Bible," and which contains four great treasures.

By BRUCE BARTON

### ISIAH'S SUPERB OPTIMISM

Isaiah, called upon to save Jerusalem from the Assyrian army, wasted no time rubbing in his reproaches, but with a voice which put new courage into the king and all his forces.

Therefore thus saith the Lord concerning the king of Assyria. He shall not come into this city, nor shoot an arrow there, nor come before it with shields, nor cast a bank against it.

By the way that he came, by the same shall he return, and shall not come into this city, saith the Lord.

Then the angel of the Lord went forth, and some in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred and fourscore and five thousand; and when they arose early in the morning, behold, they were all dead corpses.

We are not dependent upon the Bible alone for the story of this invasion. Scientists in their probings into ancient records have found the account written by Sennacherib, the Assyrian king, himself, and his own confession that the expedition failed to capture Jerusalem.

While Isaiah denounced both Assyria and Egypt, and urged Jerusalem to avoid entangling alliances with either of them, he had a conception of international relations which is amazingly modern in the best sense of the word.

In that day shall there be a highway out of Egypt to Assyria, and the Assyrian shall come into Egypt, and the Egyptian into Assyria, and the Egyptians shall serve with the Assyrians.

In that day shall Israel be the third with Egypt and with Assyria, even a blessing in the midst of the land:

Whom the Lord of hosts shall bless, saying, Blessed be Egypt my people, and Assyria the work of my hands, and Israel mine inheritance.

This is precisely as if, while we were still at war with Germany, having Great Britain as our nearest ally, we had said: "Some day the war will be over and the Divine plan will include and need us all. The United States is to be one of three powers in the future glory of the world, and the other two are to be Great Britain and Germany.

Isaiah had to be a pessimist as to the immediate future, but his superb optimism is shown all through his work, and comes to its worthiest expression in the poem with which his own book of sermons ends:

Strengthen ye the weak hands, and confirm the feeble knees.

Say to them that are of a fearful heart, Be strong, fear not: behold, your God will come.

Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf shall be unstopped; Then shall the lame man leap as an hare, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert.

And the parched ground shall become a pool, and the thirsty land springs of water.

People seem to like the new deal all right until there is brought up the matter of the anti-Boston Transcript.

But, Gen. Johnson, we're not asking much. We only want low prices on everything we have to buy and high prices for everything we have to sell.—Atlanta (Ga.) Journal.

"New College Aims at The Modern Man." But can it hit him?—Boston Evening Transcript.

A partisan is a person who uses catch words and thinks they are opinions.—San Francisco

Don't let anyone high hat you by bragging about his ancestors. Remind him that you have been descending just as long as he has.—Kingman (Kan.) Journal.

Japanese Ambassador Hiroshi Saito told ship reporters his chief purpose in the United States is "to drink whiskey with good Americans." It's a wise foreigner who knows which noun to put his adjective before.—Virginian-Pilot.

## BY THE WAYSIDE

By E. B. V.

In recent months I have noticed an interesting and helpful addition in the make-up of The Journal-Patriot, that of Miss Sockwell's Social Calendar. To the various church and civic club women of the two towns this calendar is especially helpful, as they do not have to lose time in looking through the entire paper for a club meeting notice, and then, perhaps, not find it.

Another addition that is always good is the Notes from the Hired Man's Scrap-Book," by J. B. Williams. It is an exceedingly interesting little paragraph, always carrying something worthwhile. Yes... his honest serving men, What, When, Where, Who, and Why or How are unusually good servants, and have taught most of us what we know, and some of us What We Do Not Know.

"Don't be a once-in-a-while; but be an every-timer," is very, very good advice; but just now and then, the gods for reasons unknown to man seem to have decreed that one has to "be a once-in-a-while." Well, knowing J. Bidwell Williams, of North Wilkesboro, I cannot but think that Bidwell is the "Hired man," and that his own mental ability is the "Notes from the Scrap Book." Here's hoping that his paragraph will grow into two paragraphs, if not a full column.

We hear so much about "King Winter sitting in the lap of Queen Spring," but it seems to me that so far, spring has had no lap for winter to sit in. Again we hear so much about "April being the month with the Sky Blue Eyes." Am I mistaken when I say that so far, this April's eyes have been mostly gray and filled with tears? Oh, well! I guess I am a pessimist anyway.

One cannot long remain a pessimist, even if Queen April's brow is stormy, and her eyes filled with fast-falling tears, when one takes in the beauty of the peach blossoms of a few weeks ago, or looks upon the wondrous beauty of the apple trees now in full bloom, or the loveliness of the lilac shrubs now blooming freely, and giving to the world their best.

The following poem by Bayard Taylor, entitled Peach Blossoms will take the pessimism out of the deepest saturated pessimist:

Nightly the hoar frost freezes  
The young grass of the fields:  
Nor yet have blander breezes  
The buds of oak unsealed:  
Nor yet pours out the pine,  
His airy, resinous wine.

But over the Southern slope  
In the heat and hurry of hope,  
The wands of the peach-tree  
First, into rosy beauty burst:  
A breath, and the sweetbuds  
Open  
A day, and the orchards bare,  
Like maids in haste to be fair  
Lightly themselves adorn  
With a scarf the spring at the  
door  
Has sportively flung before,  
Or a stranded cloud of the morn.

What spirit of Persia cometh  
And saith to the buds 'Unclose?  
Ere ever the first bee hummeth,  
Or woodland wild flower blows?  
What prescient soul in the sod  
Garlands each barren rod  
With fringes of bloom that speak  
Of a baby's tender breath,  
And a boy's pure lips unpressed  
And the pink of the maiden's  
cheek?

Pain, Doubt, and Death over.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS BY TRUSTEE

North Carolina, Wilkes county. Under and by virtue of the power of sale and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed on the 5th day of July, 1933, by Guss Bauguss and wife, Rosa Bauguss to the undersigned trustee, and recorded in Book 167, page 223 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wilkes county, and default having been made in the payment of indebtedness thereby secured, as therein stipulated, and at the request of the holder of the said indebtedness, the undersigned trustee will sell for cash, at the courthouse door of Wilkes county, on Tuesday, May 15, 1934, at 12 o'clock noon, to the highest bidder, the following described lands to-wit:

Beginning on a pine and running North 15 1-2 degrees west 10 poles and 50 lengths to a double pine; thence north 81 degrees east 8 poles to a white oak; thence north 61 degrees east 10 poles to a stake; thence north 81 degrees 3 poles to a white oak; thence north 58 degrees to a stake; thence North 60 degrees east 9 poles and 19 links trees east 18 poles and 14 lengths to a white oak; thence North 20 degrees east 25 poles and 14 lengths to a small maple, south 23 degrees east 39 poles to a stone in the M. E. Bauguss line; thence 78 degrees west with same 26 poles to a stone south 30 degrees west his line 3 poles to his corner a red oak in a hollow, west with his line 61 poles to the beginning, containing 14 1-10 acres more or less. This 14th day of April, 1934.

W. H. McELWEE, Trustee.

Who thinks  
The fields are certain of clover  
The gardens of wine and oil,  
What though the asp of the North  
Drowsily peereth forth  
In the orchards and still delays?  
The peach, and the poet know  
Under the chill, the glow  
And the token of golden days!

### Wilkesboro Honor Roll For Seventh Month

First Grade: Richard Reins, Harold Sturdivant, Florence Smithey, Opal Miller, Ona Mathis, Allene Anderson, Frances Miller, Irene Warner, Buddie Smithey.

Second Grade: Calvin Anderson, Stuart Blevins, Lee Mayberry, Louis Dula, Nancy Lee Yates, Edna Yates, Billy Craft, Jewel Howard, Victoria Roupe, Louise Anderson, Beniah Welch.

Third Grade: Marjorie Miller, Nell Hubbard, Gladys Howell, Mary Gage Barber, Norma Smoak, Sarah Brooks, Presley Blevins, Barbara Ogilvie.

Fourth Grade: Joy Miller, Bettye Henderson, Louise Foster, Mary Lou Wiles, Frances Willard, John Henry Clark, Albert Dennis.

Fifth Grade: Faye Wright, Connie Blackburn, Helen Roberts, Virginia Minton, Ray Stroud.

Charlotte Harvell, Peggy Somers, Lorie Wright, Ernestine Mitchell, Margaret Miller.

Seventh Grade: Pauline Church, Constance Smithey, Marjorie Hart, Don Story, Jessie Byrd.

Eighth Grade: T. G. Foster, William Gray, Junior McNeill, Clifton Miller, Horace Minton, George Ogilvie, Lucile Adams, James Allen, Howard Frazier.

Ninth Grade: Willie Hamby, Lee Settle, Mildred Costner, Paula Craft, Dorothy Besbears, Annie Lee Jennings.

Tenth Grade: Treva Johnson, Gladys Bumgarner, Helen Bumgarner, Annie Lou Ferguson, Carolyn Carlton, Kate Ogilvie.

Eleventh Grade: Lucile Hartley, Eva Lee Guthrie, Ethel Davis, Sadie Brookshire, Milford Tedder, Thelma Miller, Geneva Wallace, Hazel Walker.

"Must List" Made  
Speaker Rainey and Representative Byrns, Democrat of Tennessee, put anti-crime, stock exchange, and deposit insurance legislation on their "must" list to be reached before Congress adjournment.

## Don't Buy Drugs Blindfolded

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Explosion Kills 150  
An explosion in a coal mine at Sarajevo, Yugoslavia, Saturday killed 150 people and injured many others. The explosion was thought to have been caused by a careless cigarette smoker.

Robbed Of \$1,000  
H. A. Lane, proprietor of a laundry in Greensboro, was held up and robbed of \$1,000 Saturday night as he was on his way to his home from his place of business.

NOTICE  
North Carolina, Wilkes County. To All Whom It May Concern: Take notice that the undersigned, who is now serving a sentence of eight months upon the public roads for the Crime of Assault with Deadly Weapon, said sentence having been imposed by the Mayor of North Wilkesboro on December 28, 1933, will on or about the 15th day of May, 1934, make application to the Governor of North Carolina for a parole from said sentence. This 7th day of April, 1934. 4-30-2t TOM CARLTON (Col.)

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