

Doctor Plans To Take Movies Of Human Soul Leaving Body

New York, Dec. 10.—Moving pictures of souls will be the next step in proving "scientifically" what people have them.

Dr. Hereward Carrington, head of the American Psychical Institute, made this assertion tonight. He already has still pictures of the souls of a white rat, a horned frog, a one-day chicken and a grasshopper.

"Scientific demonstration of the existence of souls is assured," he declared. "Later we hope to take movies to prove it."

Ultimately, Dr. Carrington expects to take a moving picture of a human soul, and thus end a long controversy. The chief obstacle is that in order to take a picture of a soul, the subject first must be executed and the soul liberated.

"We would not care to execute a human being merely for experimental purposes," Dr. Carrington pointed out. "We may use a condemned prisoner, however."

To take a soul picture, the owner must be placed in an air-proof glass jar. A vapor suspension of water or oil is introduced. Electrical apparatus around the jar eliminates outside electrical interference. Within the bottle is a small guillotine, and under the guillotine is the subject. An electrical current is set up inside the bottle.

The guillotine knife drops, and the picture is taken at a moment of death. Within a period of 15 seconds after death a misty cloud or fog, in the shape of the subject, is recorded on the photographic plate, suspended above the body. It is invariably the same shape as the body.

"That is the soul," said Dr. Carrington. "We do not know what it is. It simply is there, and it should not be there—if there is no soul."

The discovery was accidental. The original experiment was performed at the Foundation for Psychological Research at Reno, Nev., by Dr. R. A. Watters and Dr. W. B. Johnson. They expected to photograph radiations from the body itself.

"Instead," Dr. Carrington said, "they got a soul. And they saw the pictures."

Fifty-three experiments showed that 14 subjects had souls. 23 apparently had none and 29 showed none but were later removed. No rat, grasshopper, chicken or frog was revived after the soul escaped. Furthermore, the souls disappeared but left no trace of how they got out of the bottle.

Dr. Carrington not only knows what souls look like, but also knows how much they weigh.

"About three and a half ounces for humans," he said. "This experiment was performed by Dr. Douglass MacDougall, of Haverhill, Mass. Ten dying hospital patients were weighed before and after the moment of death, and in each case lost that amount of weight."

ELECTION BOARD CONSIDERS VOTE

Raleigh, Dec. 11.—The state board of elections, previously expected to meet today, will consider alleged election irregularities in three Western North Carolina counties in a Saturday morning meeting, it was announced today.

Investigation of November 6 balloting in Alexander, Watauga and Graham counties has been requested of the board.

Ground limestone and stable manure have aided Forsyth farmers in securing perfect stands of red clover on their grain fields this fall.

Wilkes Poet Termed "Burns Of Carolina"

In an issue of the Raleigh News and Observer on Monday, December 10, there appeared under the heading of Today's N. C. Poem a contribution by Helen Harriot Salls, of Raleigh. The poem is entitled "To James Larkin Pearson On His 'Fifty Acres'."

The Wilkes poet is eulogized as the "Burns of Carolina" and the poem predicts that Mr. Pearson's works will soon be known far and wide. It is a beautiful and well written tribute to the popular selection for "Poet Laureate Of North Carolina": Shy "Burns of Carolina."

How can it take so long For the world beyond your native hills

To kindle at your song?

Kindle to kinder feelings,
Kindle to higher dreams,
Kindle to richer visions
Spun of the sun's young beams;

Kindle to warmth of hearth-fire
In many a peaceful home,
Kindle to brilliance of star-fire
When the spirit splits heaven's dome?

Mild Burns, on your "fifty acres"
You have fashioned a towered town.

Not lofty as dim Olympus,
Not populous as Rangoon;

But fair—this dream-bill city—
As the mountains you love are fair

When they break in soundless billows
Upon the beaches of air.

Oh, "Burns of Carolina,"
Surely the time is not long
Before the seven oceans
Shall coax their shores for your song.

SELF-INFLICTED SHOTS ARE FATAL

Blkin, Dec. 11.—Earl Norman, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Norman, of near Kapp's Mill, died this morning from the effects of shooting himself with a rifle last Sunday morning.

Relatives believed worry over misdemeanors he had committed caused him to end his life.

He was sitting in the living room of the home on Sunday morning while his father and mother were outside attending to the daily chores. The first ball, fired into his body, penetrated the lung, the second entered the temple and passed through his brain. Either would have proved fatal, according to physicians.

The boy never regained consciousness.

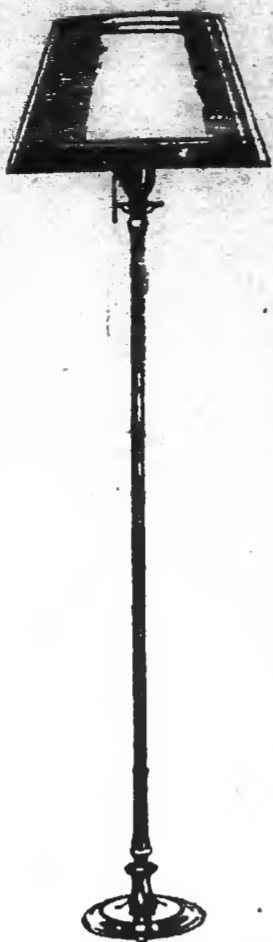
Funeral and burial will take place at Mountain Park Baptist church this afternoon, the boy having mentioned some days before his death that he wanted to be buried there. The parents are the only immediate survivors.

Most Lumber Comes From North Carolina

High Point, Dec. 11.—The 50 wood-working manufacturing concerns and lumber dealers operating in High Point, Greensboro, Winston-Salem, Asheboro and Thomasville, get 69 per cent or 53 million feet of their supply from North Carolina, it was brought out in a recent survey made by the forestry department of the soil erosion service.

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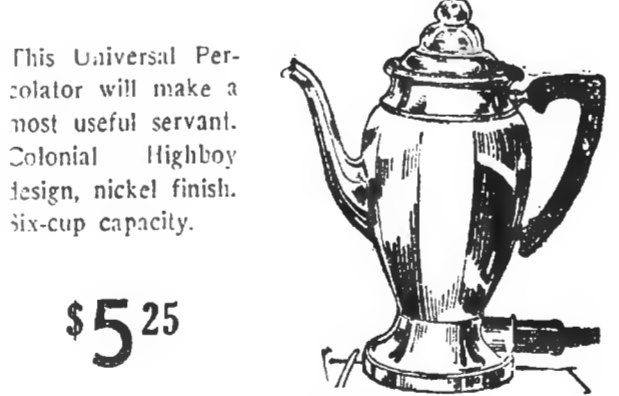
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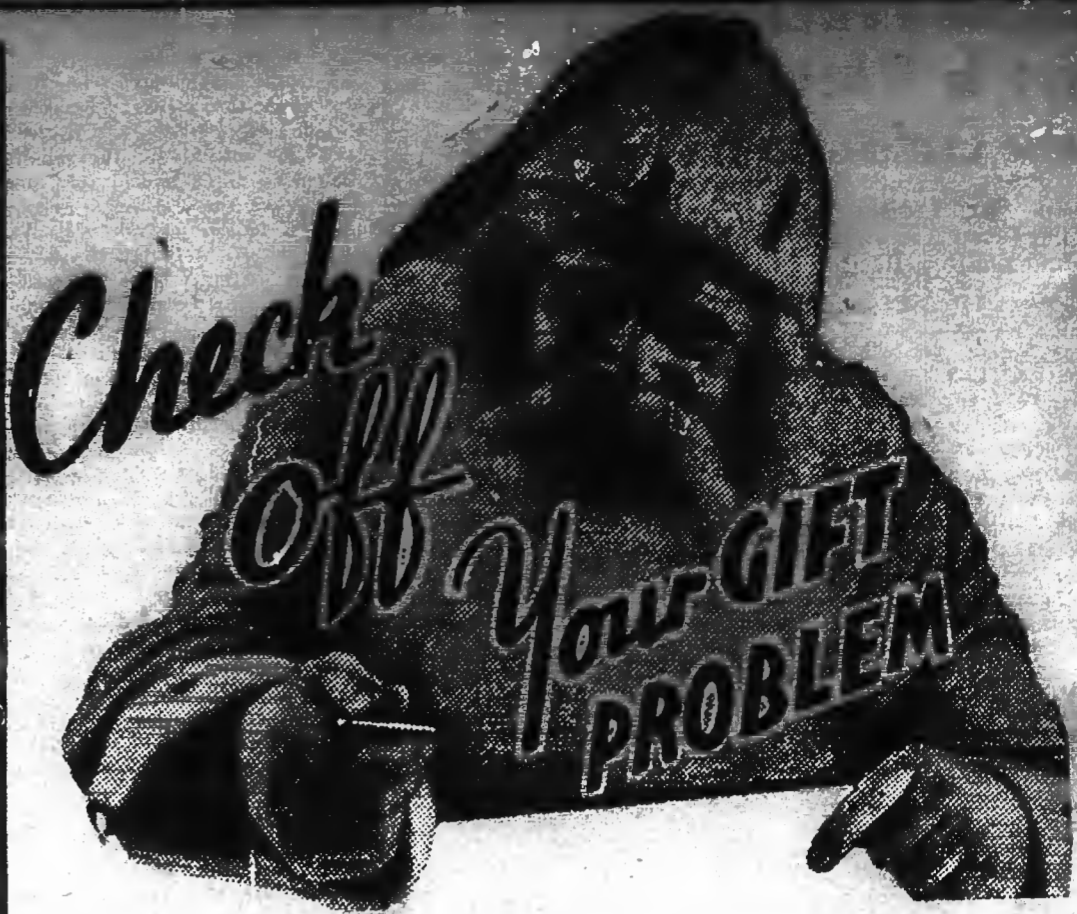
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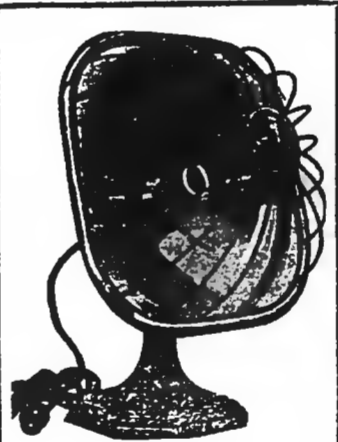
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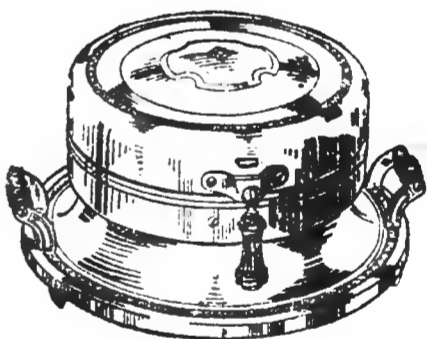
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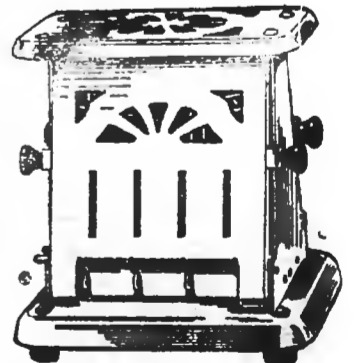
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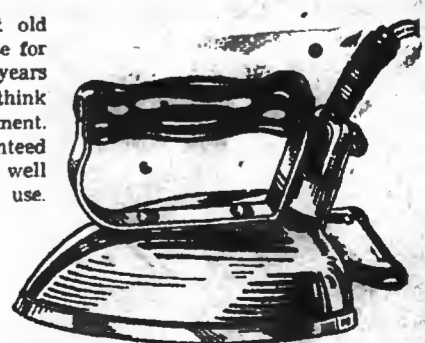


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