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WEDNESDAY, MAY 6, 1914.

The old veteran is coming to Washington Saturday next to bivouac again around the camp fires of memory. Let's see to it that his stay amongst us, if but for a short while, is made pleasant. They can not remain with us much longer to say the least.

Poor misguided Huerta. "Position desperate; but have no details." Thus a foreign representative puts it in a dispatch to Washington. He is nevertheless still holding the fort at Mexico City, the contrary opinion of the representative notwithstanding. He stands a good chance to continue so to do until he elects to do otherwise.

Clean-up Week in Washington exceeded the expectations of the most sanguine for the citizens responded to the call in a way to command admiration and praise. This was but another evidence that Washington always does the right thing when shown that it is absolutely imperative. We are to day in better shape in a sanitary way than in years.

Said a member of the County Board of Commissioners with reference to building a new home for the aged and infirm: "I am heartily in favor of a new and up-to-date home for the poor of the county, but it must be modern in every respect if I am to cast my vote for it. The poor of the county are entitled to it and as long as I am a member of the board I shall advocate only building a home that is creditable to the county." Many more citizens of this stripe are longed for.

THE MENACE OF THE MATCH.

The number of persons burned to death in the United States each year by the "parlor" match is between eight and nine hundred, and the property loss more than \$2,000,000. The eighty million people in America use as many matches as the eight hundred million in the rest of the world, according to statistics of the National Fire Protective Association. This is a startling commentary upon the American nation, and supports the contention that we are the most wasteful and extravagant people in the world.

If one is in need of a match anywhere in the continental Europe, he must seek it in its proper place. Matches are not wasted in the third world. Centuries of training in thrift and economy make the continentals conscious of the fact that matches cost money. Where does one find them in America? They are in almost every room, in almost every building, public and private. The American breathes imprecations if he can not at any moment of the day or night reach out his hand and find a match. They repose in the pockets or linings of every old coat and waistcoat; they are scattered about desk and bureau drawers; they are found in every accumulation of rubbish, wherever it may be; they are so carelessly and recklessly thrown about that rats and mice have adopted them as a standard article for nest building, certain always of an available supply.

Unfortunately, the burden of this extravagance is not confined to the cost of the matches themselves. This little article, unknown until 1832, while perhaps the most important factor in our civilization, has been doing its best ever since its creation to destroy the world it was designed to serve. The assistance given it as an instrument of destruction by the carelessness of the American people is a matter of amazement to continental countries. The average per capita property loss by fire in central, western and southern Europe is 33 cents; in the United States the average is \$3.02. The reason for this astonishing difference is obvious the moment conditions are scrutinized. While this is being written, a continual shower of imperfectly extinguished matches is falling into waste baskets, rubbish heaps, upon the rugs of clubs, hotels, dwellings and offices, thrown by careless smokers. Men reputed to be good fathers have been known to light cigars in the hallway of their homes, throw the match in the general direction of a cupidor, and go out to return in half an hour to see flames reaching their sleeping children from the second-story windows.

THE GOVERNORS'-LADY

(Continued from Yesterday.)

keep her umbrella up until she came to the bright lights of a cheap restaurant, where, out of breath and covered with snow, she closed the unwieldy and inadequate protection and went in. In her long fur coat and hat she had covered by a soft gray veil, she seemed out of place as she made her way to an empty table. All around her were shabby figures, chattering girls having some toast and cocoa after the show, a pair of red-faced chauffeurs, and all the other typical patrons of the griddle-cake restaurant.

Laying aside her wraps and putting her umbrella against the table, mindful of the numerous signs which betrayed the fact that the management was not responsible for lost articles, she ordered a cup of coffee and some crackers and milk.

"Talk about your western blizzards!" exclaimed one of the chauffeurs. "If this is a sample of your eastern weather I'll stick to my job with Governor Slade and you can keep your job with Governor Sulzer."

"Why didn't you go into the hall and listen to your boss talk?" asked his companion.

"Say, did you ever hear the same speech over and over? It's a great speech, but hearing it ever since we left home—the pause was significant."

"Do you go everywhere with your boss?"

"You bet," answered the other, "but this is the first time we've been East."

"Say, they call your old man the 'divorced' governor, don't they?" queried Sulzer's man.

"Yep," Slade's chauffeur lapsed monosyllabic.

"Great note—a man runnin' for office and being divorced at the same time," came the comment. "But he got elected just the same. Governor Sulzer said he was all right when he put our car at his disposal."

"But you noticed my old man wanted me on the box, too?" chuckled the other. "When I'm not drivin' I'm along jest the same."

"What do you do?"

"Oh, answer questions mostly. He's a great responsibility—a governor is—I have to keep my eye on him."

"Why? Did they ever try to assassinate him?"

"None! Nearest they came to it was takin' him through Central park on your New York city pavements. But they did present him with a baby catamount in Carson City. I had to receive it."

"What did Mrs. Slade do?" Sulzer's man was patently more interested in the divorce than any other matter connected with Governor Slade. "Was she a high-stepper?"

"Now, what'd she do?"

"Well, what'd he do then that they got divorced?"

"Say, are you looking for trouble? Where I come from they don't, criticize my old man. He runs things out there. I've had enough of this 'divorced governor' business. I don't know whose fault it is. She wanted it and he didn't, and she got it! When a woman knows what she wants, and he banges his flat down on the table, 'she's going to get it! Now, shut up and have another cup of coffee.'"

The New York driver looked at the raw-boned westerner and then proceeded to become absorbed in the all-important matter of consuming the largest possible number of griddle-cakes in the least possible time.

"Well," remarked the sociable waiter, as he brought another cup of coffee, "I guess we don't get any of your crowd tonight."

"You wouldn't get our crowd anyway!" And the westerner inflated his chest. "Our bosses are qual-on-toast boys."

"And champagne, too, I suppose?"

"None, my boss don't drink, don't smoke, don't keep yachts or horses,

"Thank you, Jake," she replied, satisfied. "Good night."

As Jake opened the door the snow eddied in and a blast of cold wind sent a chill through Mary's body. It seemed good to meet Jake, but somehow she almost wished she hadn't. It had brought back so forcibly the things she was trying to forget. She sat looking into space for a long time after he had gone. People came and went, a queer assortment of humanity—women of the streets and charwomen wanting a cup of coffee—but she scarcely saw them. She knew when the door opened by the accompanying chill, but she paid no attention to anyone coming or going. When Slade's handsome figure appeared and his eyes searched the room anxiously she did not look up.

For a moment he looked at her, hungrily—sady. She was pathetic even now, although she had changed and improved, but she did look so little and wistful as she sat eating her lonely, simple meal of cranberry and milk and coffee.

He walked down the room and stood before her, but it was only when he spoke that she looked up. Her eyes showed first amazement and then the love she could in no wise conceal. A warm flush made her look, to him, almost as pretty as she had when she was a girl.

"Well, how are you, Mary?" he

(Continued Tomorrow.)

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Wisteria and Wisteria.

Ernest H. Wilson, the distinguished naturalist, has a good laugh on the botanical sticklers. Incidentally he has put in the wrong end of writers in books, newspapers and periodicals, to mention the creator of one of the most fashionable colors of recent years for women's apparel. It is all on account of one of the most gorgeous of flowers which Japan and China have ever sent to this country—the wisteria. Before I am snipped up on my spelling of a word we are in the habit of pronouncing that way, but spelling wisteria, I will say that right here is where Mr. Wilson has caught the botanicals and the rest of the world napping. Although the magnificent vine whose long purple or white racemes are one of the glories of spring-time in the northeastern part of the United States was named after Dr. Wistar of the old Philadelphia family, there was a slip up in the spelling. Christened wisteria when it was introduced it must stand for ever according to unfavorable botanical law. The same is true of the stewartia—it should be properly sturtia.—Spur.

Playing Cricket by Sound.

Pupils of a school for the blind in England play cricket by sound.

With a wicker ball, in which is contained a bell, the bowler prepares to attack the wicket. When a reporter visited the school the boys were practicing their game. "Play!" shouted the bowler, and in reply came the batsman's "Right ho." On hearing this the bowler knew in which direction to send the ball. His fast underhand wrist straight for the wicket, and the batsman, judging by the tinkling bell, knew when to hit.

"I know exactly how far to run," he said afterward, "because there is a mat at the bowler's end which I feel with my bat."

"The fielders," said the head master of the school, "have the most difficult part to play. But if the ball touches their chests the batsman may as well consider himself out, for immediately a fielder feels the touch of the ball his arms fold around it with amazing rapidity."—London Cor. New York Times.

Verse Mistaken For Poetry.

It is curious how persistent the belief is that rhyme constitutes poetry. J. A. Stewart quotes a stanza from a battle hymn by Burns and inquires whether it is mediocre and how much of it depends on dialect. It does not depend on dialect, and it is not mediocre but it is not poetry; it is rhetorical verse. The lines:

A fig for those by laws protected; Liberty's a glorious feast; Courts for cowards were erected; Churches built to please the priest;

have not the faintest suggestion of poetry; they merely make a terse statement in rhyme.

To most people everything that rhymes in a "piece of poetry," even to "Thirty days has September" and other jingles of the kind. No definition of poetry will help. The only true knowledge of the matter comes by instinct.—London Chronicle.

FOR SHERIFF

To the Democratic Voters of Beaufort county:

Having received many inquiries from my friends from the different sections of the county as to whether I will be a candidate for re-nomination and election and expressing their desire to vote for me again, I take this method to express to my friends my sincere thanks for their loyal support heretofore and if you think I am a worthy officer and have discharged the duties of the office well and carefully guarded the county's interest, then I ask you to give me your hearty support in the primaries and I will serve you as best I can two more years—serving your process and collecting your taxes as modestly as it can be done to collect as closely as I have since I have been your sheriff. By reference to the financial committee's reports you will find my insolvent lists for each year have been about two per cent of the taxes.

Now if you think a new sheriff, without experience, can do you better service and that you can save to the county money, by making a change, then it is to your interest and your duty, as I see it, to do so. If not the county needs every cent due it and if I am continued by my Democratic friends in the sheriff's office I can only promise to do what I have done, to give you my whole time and undivided service.

Again thanking you for your past favors and for your support at the coming primaries, I am,

Sincerely your servant,

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

You are hereby notified that pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Democratic Executive Committee of the First Judicial District at its meeting in Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 18th day of April, 1914, the Democratic Judicial Convention will be called at Edenton, N. C., on the 1st day of June, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of—

(1) Selecting a candidate for the Judgeship of this district.

(2) Selecting a candidate for the Solicitorship of this district.

(3) For such other business as may come before the convention.

Respectfully,
FRANK H. BRYAN,
Chairman Dem. Ex. Committee.

LISTING TAXES.

Notice is hereby given (in accordance with Section 23, of the Machinery Act), to all persons in the City of Washington, required to list property or poll for taxation, must return to the undersigned all real and personal property which each taxpayer shall own on the 1st day of May, 1914.

I can be found in my office in the City of Washington during the month of May for the purpose of receiving their lists, and after that time the tax list will be closed.

Failure to list will subject you to PENALTY AND FORFEITURE.

Please don't fail to see me before the expiration of the above mentioned time.

Respectfully,
FRANK H. BRYAN,
County List Taker for the City of Washington. 4-23-14

NOTICE.

At a meeting of the Board of Elections on April 13, 1914, upon petition of the parties affected, the Board has created a new precinct to be known as Washington Park, within the following boundaries:

"Beginning on the east side of Jack's Creek Bridge, at the foot of same, thence with Jack's Creek to Pamlico river, thence with Pamlico river to the foot of the Public Landing road, on Pamlico river; thence up the river Road to the Brick Kiln Road, thence with the said Brick Kiln Road to the Washington and Bath Road at Washington Heights, thence to the corporate limits of the City of Washington, thence with Jack's Creek to the beginning."

The polling place in said precinct has been fixed at the store of the Rex Lumber Company.

The polling place in Beaver Dam precinct shall hereafter be at the store of J. G. Mixon.

This April 13, 1914
By order Board of Elections
A. M. DUMAY,
Chairman Board of Elections.
L. H. REDDITT,
Secretary. 4-15-law-4w

NOTICE TO REDEEM LAND SOLD FOR TAXES

To John Sparhawk, Jr., and the heirs at law and devisees of Joseph R. Tatum deceased, and of Rachel Robertson, deceased:

You and each of you, are hereby notified that a sale of real estate for the non-payment of State and County taxes made by the Sheriff of Hyde county on Monday, the 4th day of August, 1913, at the Court house door in Swan Quarter, Hyde county, I became the purchaser of that tract of land in said county alleged to belong to John H. Sparhawk, Jr., and to the heirs-at-law or devisees of Joseph R. Tatum deceased, and the heirs-at-law or devisees of Rachel Robertson, deceased, which land is the same conveyed by John Hall to Joseph R. Tatum by deed dated April 29, 1800, duly recorded in the Register's office of Hyde county, part of which land was also conveyed by said Joseph R. Tatum to Rachel Robertson, being all of the land owned by any of the parties above named, or referred to in Hyde county. Said property was sold for delinquent State and county taxes for the year 1912, which have been duly assessed against it, and said sale was made on the 4th of August by order of the Board of County Commissioners duly entered on their minutes.

All of the heirs-at-law and devisees of Joseph R. Tatum, deceased, and Rachel Robertson, deceased, and Joseph Sparhawk, Jr., are hereby notified that redemption of said property can be made on or before August 4, 1914, by paying to the Sheriff of Hyde county of the undersigned purchaser, the sum of One Hundred Fifty-three (\$153.00) Dollars, which amount includes the penalty and cost authorized by law, and said claimants are further notified that unless redemption of said property is made on or before August 4th, 1914, I will demand that the Sheriff make me a deed for said real estate as prescribed by law in such cases.

This 6th day of April, 1914.
4-7-14w
B. B. MANN.

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Deer skin, fat..... 15c

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA, SIXTH DIVISION.

N. B. Selby & Son, Is Bankrupt.

Bankrupt.

To the Honorable Clerk of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina:

Whereas, application has been made for the confirmation of the composition offered by the above-named bankrupt, and it appears that such composition has been accepted in writing by a majority in number of all its creditors, whose claims have been allowed, which majority represents a majority in amount of such claims, and that the consideration for such composition required by Section 13-b of the bankrupt laws of 1898, has been duly deposited, and

Whereas, Messrs. Simmons and Vaughan, Edward L. Stewart, and Jao. G. Tooley, attorneys for the creditors whom they represent, as shown by the record in this case, have waived notice of "Order to show cause in composition."

It is ordered: That all other creditors of N. B. Selby & Son, bankrupt, as well as all other parties in interest, show cause, at a hearing to be had on such application before the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of North Carolina, at Wilson, N. C., in said district, on the 12th day of May, 1914, at 12 o'clock m., or as soon thereafter as such hearing is called, why such application should not be granted.

That notice of such hearing be given by mailing a copy of the "Order to show cause in composition," to each of the said creditors, as aforesaid, parties in interest and attorneys entitled to notice in this proceeding, and by publishing a copy of the said "Order to show cause in composition," in the designated newspaper of the county district of such bankrupt's residence, as provided by such law.

This 23rd day of April, 1914.
FRANK H. BRYAN,
4-25-14c. Referee in Bankruptcy.

Notice

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Sally Hill, deceased, late of Washington, Beaufort County North Carolina. This is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to me.

This 31st day of March, 1914.
H. G. D. HILL,
Adm. of the Estate of Sally Hill.
4-1-14wp.

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May 1, 1914.
4-10-14w. JESSE B. ROSS,
Cashier.

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