

SUGGESTS WAY FOR FARMERS TO DO TRADING

Postmaster Moore Tells of Advantages in Parcel Post Service.

DEAL DIRECT WITH CUSTOMERS

Farmers Who Have Already Tried System Are Highly in Favor of it.

Several excellent suggestions regarding the value of the parcel post service to the farmers in the rural communities of this section were made this morning by Postmaster Moore. He outlined a plan by which the farmer could deal direct with the consumer and make the transaction with mutual profit.

"We are trying to show the farmers the many uses of the parcel post system," said Mr. Moore, "and I believe that we can show them how to send their eggs, chickens, vegetables, etc., to their customers in the city without having to hitch up horse and wagon and spending half the day in town to make their sales."

"One or two of the farmers are already using the system in sending their merchandise here and they heartily endorse the plan. Their customers inform them what they desire to purchase and the next mail brings the goods to their homes. The farmer gets the regular market price for his eggs or chickens and the amount he pays for postage is far less than what he would have to pay in disposing of his goods to the merchants. Then too, he doesn't have to leave his work and drive to town in order to make the sale. The crates in which he ships his stuff is returned by the customer."

"I know of several farmers who make regular shipments of eggs and the like to Washington and they are gradually increasing their business. I am certain that as soon as more of them find out the simplicity of the system, a large number will be dealing direct with their customers here and will thus establish a good paying business."

New Methods In Dairying

Local Office of Pure Milk Company is Fitted Out With Modern Apparatus.

An interesting example of modern dairy methods is being demonstrated by the Pure Milk Co., of this city, whose offices are on Third street near Market. The company possesses some of the most up-to-date and sanitary apparatus in this part of the State which guarantee the highest degree of purity and cleanliness of the milk which they dispose of.

They secure their milk from the West End and Seaford farm dairies. Upon its arrival at the local office, the milk is thoroughly pasteurized in first being cooled down to take the animal heat out of it and then heated up to a temperature of 140 degrees, at which point it is allowed to remain for 20 minutes. It is then cooled down to 50 degrees, pumped out over ice-cold pipes and then over into the bottle filler. The bottles are then filled and the milk is ready for delivery. The bottles are washed with steam and in a manner that cleanses them thoroughly.

Buttermilk is heated up to 185 degrees and is allowed to remain at that temperature for 12 hours. It is then cooled down, churned and taken out.

The Washington office of the company is under the capable management of Smith Lee, under whose direction the business is steadily increasing. Visitors are always welcome at the plant.

Choose the Chief Export.
Bernese Switzerland exports a much higher value in Swiss cheese than in Swiss watches.

ARE PLANNING FOR A LOCAL BALL TEAM

Efforts Are Being Made to Organize Representative Nine.

HERMAN CARROW TELLS OF PLANS

Says That Petition Will Be Circulated to See Whether Team Will Be Supported.

Whether the command of "Play Ball!" will be heard in Washington this season and whether the pleasures of witnessing a close struggle on the diamond will be that of local residents and fans, depends upon the result of the effort that is being made by enthusiasts of the game to have a representative city team. The matter is now under discussion and being worked on. The result will be made known in a few days.

Herman Carrow, one of the popular and well known young men of the city, stated this morning that if the citizens would be liberal in their support, there was no doubt but that a team could be organized.

"We have made arrangements for the grounds," said Mr. Carrow, "and in a day or two we expect to get up a petition in order to find out what aid the businessmen of the town will give us. A number of us have talked the matter over and we have been encouraged to go ahead with the work. As everyone knows, however, it takes funds to run a ball team and we must have support in order to get up a successful team. I am sure that if we start the ball rolling, Greenville, Belhaven, New Bern and other cities in this section will fall in line and organize teams."

"I have heard from Dave Taylor and he writes that he will be willing to play. He also stated that several college friends of his would also be glad to lend their prowess in giving Washington a team that would be a credit to the city."

Gets Word Of Father's Illness

Arthur Elliott Left Early This Morning for Bedside of Father at Durham.

Arthur Elliott one of the young engineers engaged in the construction work that is going on in the city, received word yesterday afternoon that his father, who resides in Durham, was suffering from a stroke of apoplexy and in a critical condition.

Mr. Elliott left last night for Durham leaving on the midnight train. He has the sympathy of his many friends here.

PLEASING SHOW AT THE NEW THEATER

The Simple Simon Musical Comedy Company continues to please the large crowds each night. There will be a complete change of program tonight, with new songs and jokes, also three reels of Associated films. Tomorrow this house will offer their patrons another "Paramount" picture in which Daniel Frohman will present the "Lady of Quality" one that will appeal to every lover of good pictures.

GOVERNOR CRAIG GRANTS PARDON

Raleigh, May 5.—Governor Craig Monday pardoned Duncan Carter of Scotland Neck county, a young fellow who is serving two years for slaying his father.

The Governor's reasons for clemency are that Carter killed his father when the parent was making an assault upon the young or Carter and the mother of the boy with a heavy poker. Judge W. J. Adams, who tried the case, and Solicitor A. M. Stack, who

PLANS ARE ANNOUNCED FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Daughters of Confederacy have made extensive plans for this occasion.

The program for Memorial Day exercises, Saturday, May 8th, is now complete. The Daughters of the Confederacy are trying to make the day a happy one for the veterans and have spared no effort in making the occasion a pleasant and memorable one.

They make two most earnest appeals to the townspeople:

1st. That men, women and children will lay down their duties long enough to hear the gifted speaker of the day, Hon. F. C. Harding, a distinguished lawyer, senator from his district, the son of the well known Confederate veteran—the late Major Henry Harding—the brother of Judge W. F. Harding, who is so ably presiding at the present session of the Superior Court, and a nephew of our own Rev. Nathaniel Harding, one of the youngest Junior Reserves of the "sixties."

2nd. That all who can, will please send carriages and automobiles to the New Theater at 12:30 o'clock to take the veterans to the cemetery. "The boys in gray" cannot march quite as well as when on the firing line a half century ago.

The exercises will begin promptly at 11 o'clock at the New Theater on Main street.

Program.
Music—by the band.
Prayer—Rev. Robert V. Hope.
Hymn—Choir.
Resolutions of respect to dead comrades—Rev. W. H. Call.
Resolutions of respect to Mrs. "Stonewall" Jackson.
Introduction of speaker.
Address.
Presentation of Crosses of Honor—Children of Confederacy.
Hymn—Choir.
Benediction—Rev. N. Harding.
Music—by the band.
The parade will form at the New Theater and march to Oakdale cemetery, where the graves of the veterans will be decorated and the usual exercises observed.

Order of Parade.
Band.
Naval Reserves.
Confederate Veterans.
Bryan Grimes Camp.
Speakers in carriages.
Ladies Memorial Association.
Daughters of the Confederacy.
Citizens generally.

Returning, the veterans and invited guests will march directly to the armory on Market street, where dinner will be served.

Immediately after the dinner tickets will be given to the veterans and their wives to the matinee at the New Theater, through the kindness of the managers.

TEUTONS MAKING BIG GAINS IN THE EAST

Berlin, May 5.—The Russians lost 21,500 prisoners to the Germans and Austrians in the recent heavy fighting in western Galicia, according to an official statement given out in Berlin today. In addition the Teutonic allies took sixteen pieces of artillery, 47 machine guns and a large quantity of war material.

The Germans yesterday took five positions in Flanders, where the fighting has been hot for many months past.

The same announcement sets forth that in the German invasion of the Baltic provinces of Russia the Germans have captured more than 4,000 retreating Russians.

Other engagements in Russian Poland are described as having resulted favorably to the Germans.

prosecuted the defendant, join in the petition as do many citizens of Laurinburg. Young Carter has been in prison and in jail twenty months. He is only 21 years of age but bore a good character before the homicide.

The Corporation Commission Wednesday went to Washington to represent the state in the protracted quarrel with Virginia over the freight rates which the state has gained against the protest of Virginia.

The Interstate Commerce Commission heard the first installment of evidence in Greensboro, the corporation commission of Virginia making the complaint from the state's shippers. The North Carolina Commission has every good reason for believing Interstate Commerce Commission is not going to upset the adjustment which has meant so much to the state.

New England's Pride.
Out of the scanty resources the good old "pilgrim mothers" found on the bleak shores of the new country, finally came the famous "New England boiled dinner," and all the expert cooks of two intervening centuries have not been able to improve on the cooking of those pioneers.

HOLD SECOND PRIMARY AT GREENVILLE

Result of First Election Puts Dunn and Outlaw in Lead.

CLOSE CONTEST IS PREDICTED

Dr. Bryan and Capt. Laughinghouse Were Eliminated at the First Primary.

At the primary election for mayor at Greenville, Col. Al. Dunn, with 227 of the 543 votes cast, led the field of three other candidates for the nomination. Needham Outlaw ran second with 176 votes, while Dr. J. W. Bryan and Capt. J. J. Laughinghouse were third and fourth respectively with 89 and 21 votes to their credit. The latter two are now eliminated and Dunn and Outlaw will be the candidates in the second primary to decide the people's choice. Colonel Dunn lacked 30 votes of securing a majority of votes at the first primary.

Considerable interest is being taken in the election and the result of the second primary is predicted to be close and exciting. Just how the votes cast for Bryan and Laughinghouse will be divided between Dunn and Outlaw is a matter of considerable discussion and speculation.

GENERAL PICNIC

The five Sabbath schools of the city, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Baptist and Christian have decided instead of having separate picnics for each individual school to come together and have a general union picnic to which every white child in the city, whether an attendant of any school or not shall have an invitation and a cordial welcome. Committees have been appointed and plans are being formulated to give Young Washington one day of wholesome and hearty enjoyment. The plans of the various committees will be announced as matured. The day selected is May 20th. The following finance committee wishing to give an opportunity to every public-spirited citizen, desirous of promoting a spirit of co-operation, good will and Christian fellowship, to contribute to this plan, to give the poorest child in the city an equal opportunity with the richest, for one day of real pleasure.

Will be glad to receive contributions in any amount by hand or by letter, to any of the undersigned.

JNO. B. SPARROW, Chairman.

C. G. MORRIS.

M. A. SMITH.

N. HENRY MOORE.

J. H. WOODAL.

HOW TO BE HAPPY THOUGH MARRIED.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 5.—Never tell your wife you are going to a theater when you go and sit in a game of cards.

Never say you are going to a barber shop when you intend visiting a saloon.

Never say you are going to a lodge when you go bowling.

Never say you are going to see a sick friend when you are going out with the "boys."

In this way Probation Officer Theodore Puls on his twenty-fifth wedding anniversary epitomized his declaration that honesty and truthfulness are basic principles to domestic happiness.

"A man can not do any 'filib' to his wife if he wants to live happily," said Mr. Puls. "I started out by making a few indiscretions when I was first married, but I came to the quick realization that it netted me nothing. If I arrived home somewhat late from the office I do not blame it on the street car. If I was in a saloon I say so. A woman's lot in the home is a hard one and a man should help her. I do not think it anything to wash the dishes. A man should be a helpmate to his wife and let the neighbors talk to their heart's content. I give my salary to Mrs. Puls and if I need money I ask for it."

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Enjoying Life.
He alone appears to me to live and to enjoy life who, being engaged in some business, seeks reputation by some illustrious act for some useful art.—Baltus.

Annual Event in Ireland.
At Waterford, Ireland, noted for its glass, the whitewashing of the solidly built stone gateposts to match the white cottages in the country parts is an annual event, and takes place in May.

Disappearance of Generals Leads to Relief Frame-up is on.

El Paso, Tex., May 5.—General Pascual Orozco, leader of the anti-Madero revolt, and later a military commander under Huerta, has disappeared from the American border at Fabens, Tex., and is believed to have crossed into Mexico.

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ELECTRICAL STORM CAUSES DAMAGE IN CITY AND COUNTRY

Home of Mrs. L. W. Myers is hit. Negro knocked unconscious. Damage to farms

WIND AND HAIL IN COUNTRY

Lightning yesterday afternoon struck the home of Mrs. L. W. Myers, 101st Main street; hit a negro, and shattered a number of trees in the outskirts of the city. The wind tore down some of his sheds and out-buildings and also blew down trees. The hail played havoc with his beets, cabbage, onions and tobacco and also cut through the foliage of the trees, completely covering the ground. The lightning was also violent. Mr. Warren stated that if the wind had lasted for ten minutes longer, he feared his house would have been carried away.

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Jury Is Out On Bright Case

Are Apparently Having Trouble in Arriving at a Decision. Other Court News.

The jury in the Superior Court was still out at two o'clock this afternoon on the case of J. B. Bright, Jr., who is charged with assault with deadly weapon. The case was turned over to the jury shortly before dinner.

In the case of State vs. J. A. Hughes, who was charged with violating the search and seizure law, a verdict of not guilty was brought in.

Will Gordon plead guilty to the charge of carrying a concealed weapon and was fined \$10 and costs.

A verdict of not guilty was rendered in the case against J. B. Cayton, charged with affray.

Judgment was suspended against Fred Mallon, who had neglected to pay his tinner's tax, upon payment of same and cost of court.

A CORRECTION

Mr. Editor:—I noticed in the article "A Few thoughts on the subject of woman" published in the Daily News on the 29th of April, there were several words left out that almost destroy the idea intended to be conveyed. It should have been "Man was the crowning piece of God's creation etc., and woman wasn't taken out of the top of his head, nor under his foot, but out of his side from under his arm, etc., and concerning the Greeks, should have been not that but, what was the result? And concerning the ladies, blush at (the it) wasn't in the manuscript. Please insert this in your paper for me, and oblige.

Yours very respectfully,
MRS. W. B. WHITLEY.

'BAKER SAYS

I am all smiles when the time comes that you would like to see yourself as others see you.

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Paramount Tomorrow.

"LADY OF QUALITY."

Prices 10c and 20c.

Miss Rodman At Goldsboro

Is Attending Meeting of State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Miss Lida T. Rodman, of this city is attending the meeting of the State Federation of Women's Clubs at Goldsboro as regent of the Daughters of the Revolution.

Miss Rodman yesterday made an appropriate address of greeting, bringing a note of co-operation, stressing the value of service, the true spirit of democracy and the sisterhood of woman.

ATHLETIC SPORTS IN THE YOUTH'S COMPANION.

Every boy who plays baseball and who has a secret longing to come under the eye of a scout from the big leagues, ought to have The Youth's Companion, and read the articles on baseball and other sports on the Boys' page.

Some of these are illustrated with moving pictures of pitchers and other players taken in action, so that one can follow every motion of a "crack" player even better than with the eye. This is just one feature of The Youth's Companion. If you don't know what it is like, the publishers will send you sample copies. The Companion is \$2.00 a year,—52 weekly issues,—and gives more reading than any monthly at double the price.

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