cooperating to do this in a community

could reap a right nice little profit

Charles A. Jones, of Lincolnton, was

renominated Saturday by ninth dis-

trict Republicans as candidate for

Congress. Mr. Jonas is one of two

Republican congressmen from North

Carolina, the other being George M.

Pritchard, of the tenth district, who

Interesting Meeting Of Parent-Teachers Is Held At Farmer

First Grade Carries Off Honors For Most Parents Present— Grade Mothers.

Farmer, April 7.-Farmer Parent-Teacher Association held its regular monthly meeting on Friday night with good attendance. A beautiful pennant, painted by Miss Myrtle Scarboro, teacher of the third grade, was presented to the first grade for having the largest number of parents and patrons present at the meeting.

The primary and grammar grades have chosen the following as grade mothers for the present term: 1st grade, Mrs. J. R. Hammond; 2nd, Mrs. Herbert Kearns; 3rd, Mrs. M. F. Skeen; 4th, Mrs. S. A. Cooper; 5th, Miss Hope Hubbard; 6th, Mrs. Fred Bingham; 7th, Mrs. C. C. Cranford. The high school grades have not chosen grade mothers.

After the business was disposed of Miss Louise Kendall, one of the high school teachers gave an excellent talk on the duties of parents to the child and the teacher. This was followed by two musical numbers given by girls of the 6th and 7th grades.

Mrs. T. J. Shaw, of Greensboro, and Mrs. W. J. Moore and Miss Nannie Bulla, of Asheboro, were guests of Mrs. C. C. Hubbard one day last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hale Harrington, of Grant, Va., were guests of Mr. Madison Hammond on last Wednesday. Mrs. Harrington is a niece of Mr.

Mr. D. F. Allred is very ill at his home near Farmer. Mr. L. H. Dorsett, of Mt. Gilead, visited his mother who was sick at

that time but is improved. Mr. Joe Kearns, of Durham, George Kearns and family, of High Point, Fred Kearns and family, of Asheboro, Herbert Kearns and family, of Farmer, Miss Lucile Kearns, of Sumner school, Miss Lois Sowell, of N. C. C. W., Mr. Sidney Kearns, of High Point, and Mr. Kingston Gregg, of Pinehurst, visited at Mr. J. O. Kearns Sunday, honoring Mrs. Kearns, whose birthday was Monday,

THE ROAD TO TAX RELIEF

(Thomasville News and Times) Two weeks ago The News and Times in an editorial article under the caption: "State Aid to Counties,"

said that the time will come when all schools will be operated by the state and the counties will have nothing to do with them, and that all important roads have already been taken over by the state and it only remains for islands. To these the canny Egypsome far-sighted man, or woman, who really has the educational interests of the state at heart to make his way into the legislature for the schools likewise to be taken over.

Along this same line the Raleigh News and Observer offers the first spring is a long string of camels roped definite tax relief plan we have seen and the Raleigh paper puts it this

1. Reach property now untaxed and secure new sources of revenue. 2. Provide the money for an eight

months uniform public school by a uniform tax on property in every county in the state on an uniform state directed assessment of property supplement by funds from other sources.

3. Put all public roads under the state highway commission and provide the funds from gasoline and other sources, relieving property from all roads tax, for state highways and lateral roads. It will be well to use convicts largely in the program.

4. Cut expenses and cut deeply. Going into detail, the News and Observer elaborates on the four items in its program as follows:

1. Securing the taxation of the millions of dollars of intangibles now escaping all taxation, increasing the income tax, and tax on public service corporations earning big money, and finding new sources of taxation such as the same sort of sales tax on luxuries as is now imposed on gasoline, fertilizer, etc.

Obeying the plan mandate of the Constitution by a state system of schools. Instead of obeying the Constitution and giving "a general and uniform system of public schools," the legislature does nothing but direct each county to have a six months school out of revenues it collects, and then gives additional sums by way of largesses to help equalize the terms. It is the duty of the legislature to levy and collect enough school tax to carry on the schools for a uniform term. As long as the present unconstitutional system remains, Pender, for example, will be overtaxed, and Forsyth will be undertaxed. The system should be financed. The system should be financed by a uniform tax on all property in the state and from other sources to be provided.

3. The state highway department should have control and direction of every road in the state, hardsurfaced and other, lateral as well as state and the legislature should provide the money for such complete care for all the roads from Murphy to Manteo without any tax on real or personal property.

4. Reduction of expenses, drastic reduction in state, county and city government in every branch. In the inflation period extravagance crept in. Instead of reduction, there has been in most departments an increase in officials and an increase in compensation. Individuals have been forced recently to economize. Governmental

agencies must do likewise. These are the four steps, the Raleigh paper points out, that must be taken if taxes are to be reduced on homeowners and factory-owners and storeowners. The matter of tax reduction is too big for generalizing and nothing can result from all the talk and all

Sacred Chinese Temple

Taken Over by Bandits

Mount Lushan, one of the twelve sacred mountains of China, famed alike for the piety of its monks and for the beauty of its scenery, has been entirely pre-empted by bandits. The once sacred grottos, formerly given over to the contemplation of immense carved images of Buddha, or to the rites of Taoist priests, are now used as prisons. Ancient Chinese writings declare that Mount Dushan was "10 miles high and 240 miles in circumference." Today Lushan rises only a little more than 4,000 feet, but it affords an unsurpased view southward over the gulf of Pechili and eastward toward the Liaotung peninsula, on which the Russians built Port Arthur and on which the Japanese now occupy Dairen. Lushan is very rugged, and in olden times every cliff was ornamented with a temple. Yehlituyu, the famous Chitan who rose to power under Genghis Khan, was an especial devotee of Luskan and legends have it that he selected this mountain to be "the eternal trustee of wisdom." Accordingly he is supposed to have buried 10,000 sacred books in a cavern under the peak of the mountain, and then to have erected over his repository the temple which today is a bleak ruin.

Old English Custom of Wassailing Apple Trees

During the month of January, Somerset (England) farmers participate in the time-honored custom of "wassailing" the apple trees so as to insure a bumper apple crop. The ceremony takes place at night by the flickering and uncertain light of a lantern. The villagers gather in each orchard in turn, round the largest apple trees they can find. A bucket of cider accompanies them, in which a small plece of toast is dipped and placed in the branches. Then an old chant is sung, starting: "Old apple-tree, old apple-tree, we've come to wassail thee." This song concludes with an exhortation to the tree to:

grow apples enow; Hats full, caps full, three bushel bags full, Big barn floors full, and a little heap

Then guns are fired and the villagers drink the health of the trees in eider. It is a quaint custom, and has been kept up for centuries.

Fertile Nile Valley

The waters of the Nile, which attain their greatest height in September, commence to recede in October, leaving behind them a rich, fertile soil, which first appears in the form of tians row out at the earliest possible moment to plant meion-seeds, so that the melon-plans may mature, and fruit ripen, before the waters begin to rise again in June. One of the commonest sights in Egypt in the nese-to-tail, and led by a small boy; each animal bearing on its back a huge netful of round green water-

'Til Next Time Although she has an assortment of hats, she wants a new one.

(That's the woman of it.) He says he thinks she can get along (That's the man of it.)

She insists that she can't, and she's (That's the woman of it.) He says "not if he knows it."

(That's the man of it.) She breaks down and weeps. (That's the woman of it.) He gives in.

(That's the end of it.) -The Kalends.

Trees in United States

The number of tree species varies enormously throughout the world, says Forests and Mankind. Over that great stretch covered by north Russia,

Sweden, and Norway, the forests contain only about half a dozen tree species. In the hardwood forests of the East, one can find ten times that many in an afternoon's walk. Tropical forests have thousands of known species and perhaps hundreds more not yet discovered. About eight hundred different tree species grow in the United States.

Words Changed by Time A "heathen" originally was a dweller on a heath. The early Christians were mostly persons living in cities or walled towns; and the wild, half-savage dwellers of the moorland heaths were among the last to abandon their

In England the letter "e" was formerly pronounced like "a," and because the village clergyman was usually the most socially prominent individual in the place he became "the person." We still preserve the old pronunciation and call him the parson.

Grand Little Idea

"But, dear," said the wife, looking over the plans for their new home, "what's the idea of these two bathrooms next to each other?"

"That," he said grimly, "is something to make married life easier. One will be fixed up any way you want it, the other is mine, and if ever you stick a guest towel in it, or object to my singing in it while I'm taking a shower-well, you may as well start packing up and go home to mother."-Cin cinnati Enquirer.

Club Work Progressing Four-H club work is getting under way in Craven county with about 150 members enrolled in the different projects. Some boys and girls are unable to join because of financial conditions but provision is being made to aid each worthy member.

John F. Harward, sheriff of Dur-m county for 28 years, died Thurs-

Take Care Of Flock During Spring Months wish to sell at this price, he might

Poor Economy To Let Chickens Rustle For Themselves When Eggs Are Cheap.

Raleigh, April 4.—Because eggs are ow in price during April, May, June and July, some North Carolina poultrymen fail to care for their flocks as they should at this season and therefore lose an income which should

"With the coming of warm weather poultrymen are inclined to let their care for themselves. Some will not be a candidate to succeed tion properly. growers feel that the birds can pick himself. up their own living and others are too busy with other farm work to give the flock the attention it deserves," says C. F. Parrish, poultry extension specialist. "This is poor economy. Our demonstrators show that it takes about 11 pounds of scratch feed and 14 pounds of mash feed for each bird during the four months of April, May, June and July. The average feed consumption a bird for each month should be 2.7 pounds of scratch feed and 3.3 pounds of mash feed."

Given such amounts of feed, Mr. Parrish says the hens will lay 18 eggs each in April, 19 eggs each in May, 16 eggs a hen in June and 15 eggs a hen in July. This is 68 eggs a hen for the four months. If each egg is valued at only two cents, every hen in the flock will return \$1.36. The feed cost to produce the eggs is 30 cents for scratch and 50 cents for mash or 80 cents for all feed given during the four months. This leaves a profit per hen above feed cost of 56 cents a bird. A flock of 100 birds will thus bring in \$56 during the four

These facts disprove the theory that

Sargon Saved His Life, Says Brown

"A little less than 2 months ago I decided to take the Sargon treatment and I honestly believe that decision saved my life,



"I suffered so much with indiges-

tion I wasn't able to eat anything much but rice and milk and even this disagreed with me. I was subject to sick headaches and an awful pain in my right side and stubborn constipation, and kept steadily going down hill in spite of the fact that I took enough medicine to fill a basket with empty bottles. When I started Sargon I was flat on my back in bed and had been there for 2 months. Five bottles of Sargon made me as strong and well as I was 10 years ago! I eat hearty meals, indigestion is over, I've gained 21 pounds, sleep good and feel good all the time. Sargon Pills completely overcame my constipation and the pain in my side and headaches have entirely disappeared. - "W. O. Brown, Brown Pottery Co., Arden, N. C. Asheboro Drug Company, Asheboro, N. C.

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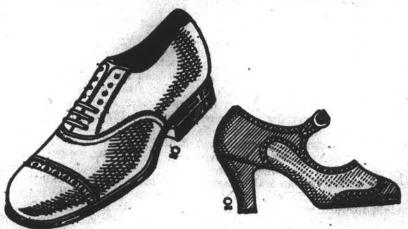
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