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CHILDREN UNDERSTAND

Must one of these minors kill a person outright before their parents and the officers stop them from driving automobiles? One of them has hit a poor old delivery truck and nothing was done.

for the county as a whole the decision of the Commissioners.

Facts and figures appear elsewhere in this issue of the paper as were presented to the Commissioners publicly, while a great many letters were sent to the body insisting that the office not be abolished.

BETTER TIMES AHEAD

Whether it is really true or not there are several leaders in the business world in various parts of the country who are optimistic about business being on the upgrade.

Perhaps the very fact that people are beginning to talk "better times" will have a most wholesome effect upon business. As long as we found pleasure in blaming President Hoover (alho' he may be to blame until after the November election) and sat down to just take this depression as something that we had coming to us, we got it.

THE PEOPLE SHOULD BE ALLOWED TO SPEAK

There were precinct meetings held by the Democrats last Saturday. More people attended these meetings than has ever been the case before and this is a splendid thing.

With Other Editors

SOON OR LATE, THE BLOW FALLS

(Monroe Journal) Some little sentiment is being expressed by different writers over the quick retirement of Senator Morrison.

The blow has fallen swiftly upon Mr. Morrison. When he was appointed to fill the term of Senator Overman until a regular election came round everyone supposed that it meant that he would not only serve out the full unexpired term but that he would be elected as a matter of course for the next term running six years from next March.

There is no moral nor room for moralizing even if there were an audience willing to listen. It is not the fault of Mr. Morrison. It is not the excellencies of Mr. Reynolds. It is not the ingratitude or other shortcomings of the public.

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THE TATTERED BANNER

deciding between them and his seat in the senate. Vance died and Jarvis was appointed to fill part of his unexpired term—filled it and no more, though he ran for more and longed for more.

General Ransom, the greatest political artist we ever had, because he coupled with his talents a great ability, was thrown out on his head in his old age by a legislature of which at least some of the members were negroes.

Going back to the line of the western senatorship. Jeter C. Pritchard got the balance of the unexpired term of Vance and the full term following. While he suffered no personal eclipse in passing out the political arrangement by which he was put in was wiped out in the fury and indignation of the Red Shirt campaign, which was the result of the combination of which he and Butler were the chief beneficiaries.

Senator Overman came in as the successor of Pritchard. He had a long and useful career, but was greatly disturbed by Mr. Reynolds' surprising campaign against him and by the shadow of defeat which was due this year.

And now we have Mr. Reynolds. There are indications that North Carolina will accept Mr. Reynolds at his own valuation. He has been nominated by an overwhelming vote. So far as any one may judge there is no man in North Carolina, certainly no democrat, that does not hope for him a useful, honorable and highly successful service.

"Week-End Marriage" Is Coming To Sunset Theatre Next Week

Loretta Young, beautiful screen actress featured in First National productions, had the arduous task recently of changing her clothes seven times in one day for her latest picture, "Week-End Marriage," which comes to the Sunset Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

"You just don't know the feminine heart if you think that was a tiresome task," Loretta commented on the set. "Any girl would be pleased to wear that many beautiful gowns in one day. But I was unusually delighted, because there was another distinction attached to them. We have a new and wonderfully clever designer, Orry Kelly, at the studio, and it fell to my lot to have the honor of being the first to benefit by his advanced ideas, the first gowns he has made for the screen, being designed especially for me."

Kelly, who was brought to Hollywood from New York by Warner Bros. First National, after ten years of success in costuming some of Broadway's most lavish stage productions received as his first assignment the creation of some twenty gorgeous costumes for "Week-End Marriage," in which Miss Young has the leading part.

Others in the cast who will wear his creations are Vivienne Osborne, Gladys Shea and Alna Washburn, while Norma Foster, George Kent, Allan Lane and Roscoe Karns have important roles and provide the proper masculine administration. Thomas Freshland directed.

How To Get Hurt

A German thief was escaping through a skylight with a string of sausages stolen from a butcher. He slipped, caught the string of sausages on a spike, and was strangled by his booty.

A New York City policeman was sent to a hospital after being run down by a youngster on a kiddie car, continues a writer in The American Weekly.

Variety of Offerings to Attract Business

It would be interesting to know which of the world's journals started the practice of bestowing what are nowadays horridly termed "free gifts" on its readers.

About the same time Paris restaurants took to supplying a new installment of some popular novel with the hors-d'oeuvre, after giving due warning, so people dined there day after day until the tale was told.

TOMATOES—HEALTHFUL, USEFUL

- Luncheons Stuffed Whole Baked Potatoes With Chicken and Corn Pudding Cucumber-Watercress Salad Scores Tea Honey Potato Salad. Cold Spiced Ham Tomato Jelly. Peaches and Cream. Cookies. Fried Coffee.

Take Advantage of the Present Low Prices of Fresh Tomatoes

Tomatoes are recognized today as one of our most healthful and useful vegetables—or fruits—for tomatoes are really a fruit. Just now they are so reasonably priced that the luscious, ripe fruit can be used in numerous ways both cooked and uncooked.

For the main dish in the first menu, select large firm tomatoes, cut off the tops and scoop out most of the juice and pulp. This may be strained and served for a rich tomato juice cocktail.

The colorful tomato jelly in the second menu makes a tasty and attractive garnish or accompaniment to any roast or platter of cold cuts or cheese.

To make it select very ripe tomatoes. Cook them very slowly without water until soft and then drain in a jelly bag as you would any other fruit juice.

During the warm days of summer, try tomato aspic molded into a loaf with salmon or cold meat. To make the aspic, boil two cups of tomato juice, salted and peppered to taste and season with two table-spoons of lemon juice.

For a summer breakfast suggestion try broiling thick slices of tomato wrapped in a ham and sprinkled with grated cheese. Broil until the cheese and ham are browned slightly and the tomato is heated through.

CLAIMS THE NATION

Farley Will Not Commence A Single State To Governor.

Albany, N. Y., July 26.—James A. Farley, Democratic national chairman, reported to Gov. Franklin D. Roosevelt the party's position on the nomination of a single state to the Republican convention.

CLAYS SETTLES

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He became known as "The Settler." This gave him an exalted opinion of himself and from settling land he soon took to settling disputes, arguments and—well, in fact, everything he was the chief arbitrator of the whole countryside.

He met a little dark-eyed lass and married her. She settled him.—Kansas City Star.

Carl Crofts Burned

Carl Crofts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Crofts, is a patient at the High Point hospital, from a serious burn he received when the gasoline in his car caught on fire while out riding one day last week.

The incident of the tiger in the airplane happened over the English Channel, only a few weeks ago, when a young animal being shipped from Belgium to a circus in London escaped from its cage and emerged enthusiastically into the cabin.

THE DEPRESSION AND SUICIDE

Not less than 20,000 persons, it is estimated, committed suicide in the United States last year.

The figures, compiled by Dr. Frederick L. Hoffman, the well-known authority on such matters, are published in The Spectator, an insurance weekly. The estimate for the country as a whole is based on the records of a hundred cities with a total population of more than thirty-two millions.

From El Dorado, Kansas, comes what probably is the year's most curious accident involving insects. A farmer near that town was shearing a mule. Suddenly a bee stung the mule so that the animal kicked.

CLERGY'S WIVES LIVE LONG

The expectation of life still shows an upward trend. Of thirty-two people whose deaths were announced in England one day recently, five were over ninety years old, twelve over eighty and eight over seventy.

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