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Tells How Vinol Restores
 Strength and Vitality to the
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Rosary Hill Home, Hawthorne, N. Y.
 "I have been at work among the sick and poor for nearly eighteen years, and whenever I have used Vinol for run-down, weak or emaciated patients, they have been visibly benefited by it. One patient, a young woman, was so weak and ill she could hardly creep to my door for aid, and was leaning on a friend's arm. I supplied Vinol to her liberally and in a month when she returned to thank me I hardly recognized her. She was strong, her color charming and her cheeks rounded out. These words are uttered from my heart, in order that more people may know about Vinol, as there is nothing makes me happier in the world than to relieve the sick."
 Mother M. ALPHONSA LATHROP, O. S. D., Hawthorne, N. Y.

Such disinterested and reliable testimony should convince everyone of the merits of Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron tonic to build up health and strength for all weakened and nervous conditions, whether caused from overwork, worry or chronic coughs and colds. If Vinol fails to benefit we return your money.

JUSTUS' PHARMACY,

I USE "TIZ" FOR
 SORE, TIRED FEET

"TIZ" for puffed-up, aching, smarting, calloused feet and corns.



Good-bye sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, smelly feet, tired feet. Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "TIZ" is magical, acts right off. "TIZ" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet—the only remedy that does. Use "TIZ" and wear smaller shoes. Ah! how comfortable your feet will feel. "TIZ" is a delight. "TIZ" is harmless. Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now at any druggist or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded.



The Democrat publishes on an average three times more county news than any other newspaper, but it costs no more.

CAUGHT ON THE CURB.

Mr. Turner Expands Business.
 William J. Turner, proprietor of the Star Dray company, has purchased the livery business formerly conducted by H. F. Fenegan and will continue the same at the old stand. Mr. Turner has a growing business which he has built up from a very small beginning. He reports that this winter has been better in his lines than he anticipated.

Park Hill's Booklet.

One of the handsomest booklets ever issued by a local hotel has just been received from the press by Park Hill. Mrs. M. A. Brown, proprietress, is busy mailing these to prospective summer guests. The Park Hill hotel is one of Hendersonville's most inviting hostleries, being modernly equipped throughout.

Wants Better School Building.

W. M. Robinson, superintendent of the colored school, states that the city is badly in need of a more adequate building and that the colored people would contribute liberally to any sum the board of education would appropriate for a new building. It has been suggested that the location of the present school be changed to another part of the city and that the present site be sold. The superintendent says that the school is over crowded this year and that next year, if there is a proportionate increase, he will have turn away some pupils.

Many Gardeners.

From the amount of garden seeds now being sold by the local drug stores there is every indication that vegetables will be plentiful and that Henderson county will not be short on fresh food stuff this spring. Small truck farms could, it is said, be planted in and near the city to a great advantage. It is said that the reason of the high cost of living in Florida this spring is due to the fact that nearly all the early vegetables were shipped North at fancy prices.

Building Brick Garage.

J. A. Brock has broken ground for erection of a modern brick building which when completed will be occupied by the Blue Ridge Garage. The new building will be located on the Ripley property on South Main street. The Blue Ridge Garage will continue to occupy the Pruet building in addition to the new location.

Mr. Mace Buys Bicycle Shop.

S. B. Mace, watchmaker, has purchased the Bobby Jones bicycle repair shop and will conduct same in its present stand opposite the St. John hotel. Mr. Mace has had his jewelry and watch repair shop in this building for some time. He will devote his time to both businesses in the future.

Move to New Home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young have moved into their handsome new residence on Eighth avenue, west, which was completed by W. P. Bane, contractor, within the past few days.

Mr. Hobbs Auto Dealer.

C. A. Hobbs has accepted the local agency for the Chalmers, Saxon, and Reo, Dodge Bros. autos. He has in stock a Reo No. 1915 model. Mr. Hobbs will carry announcements in the Democrat from time to time and expects to place a number of new cars in the county this spring.

HOW SOME COUNTIES RANK FIRST IN SPLENDID DEEDS

Chapel Hill.—Counties, not unlike individuals, court par excellence or ranking degrees of distinction in particular fields of effort. Prof. L. A. Williams, of the University department of education, has compiled a table of "First in North Carolina" which is calculated to stimulate other counties not thus classified to acquire these distinctive qualities in educational efforts. The table follows:

- Harnett, first to establish a moonlight school for illiterate adults—Leaflet School, Miss Bessie Knight.
- McDowell, first to require all teachers to hold a certificate showing completion of a four-year accredited high school course in certain subjects.—January, 1915.
- Wake, first to have a Teachers' Mutual Aid Society within its borders.—Raleigh teachers, January, 1915.
- Nash, first in the per cent of vaccinated school children.—98 per cent.
- Guilford, first in total number of students enrolled in public State-aided high schools for 1913-14.—310.
- Burke, first in per cent of attendance on State-aided high schools for 1913-14.—93.2 per cent.
- Wake, first in total amount raised for the support of State-aided schools for 1913-14.—\$6,810.
- Jackson, first in average expenditure per pupil in State-aided high schools for 1913-14.—\$52.63.
- Jackson also ranked first in this respect in 1907-08, the first year these schools were established.
- Guilford, first to have a whole-time health officer.—February, 1911.
- Sampson, first to have a county supervisor.—Miss Lulu M. Cassidey.
- Wayne, first to have a county commencement.—1910.
- Halifax, first to register a student in the Correspondence Study Courses at the University.—1914.—S. R. Winters.

U. S. Wants Mines Removed.
 Washington, Feb. 25.—The United States has suggested informally to Great Britain and Germany that in the interest of humanity and the safeguarding of legitimate commerce all mines be removed from the high seas except those directly necessary for the protection of coast defenses and harbors.

This suggestion, along with proposals designed to obtain Great Britain's acquiescence in a plan to permit distribution of foodstuffs to the civilian population of Germany and bring about cessation of the German submarine warfare on merchant ships, has been submitted by England to her allies for consideration.

HELPFUL TALKS TO BOTH ADVERTISER AND BUYER.

Retailers Should Increase Trade by Advertising in Home Publications.

There is in this country twelve hundred thousand retail merchants. In trade journals we read now and then of the convention of an association of retailers that expressed such and such opinions, but the expression seldom gets beyond trade lines. From more than a million retailers as a whole the country hears almost nothing.

The business of the retailer of the ordinary sort is local and remains restricted because he is content to wait, day after day, for the chance buyer. If he advertises at all, it is in a crude way, and just because his competitor does so. He has doubts about the wisdom of spending money in that way.

Another article, also emanating from the Curtis Publishing Company, includes the statement that 95 per cent of the goods sold in retail stores is provided by the jobbers. It would seem to be up to the jobbers, then, to educate the final distributors, i. e. the retailers, now, when and how much to advertise. A wider compensation of the quickening power of local advertising would soon speed up the old machine of retailing and supplant dry rot with prosperity.

Nearly all of the great department stores of the country have grown from humble little concerns whose owners had the nerve and faith to use liberal space in the local newspapers.

There is no article on sale in the general stores of the smaller cities and villages which can not be locally advertised, if not daily at least on Saturday mornings or afternoons, as well as on confectionary. We have often pointed out that most of the candy sold is bought by the consumer through suggestion, either from reading about it or seeing it in show windows.

The mission of the trade journal is to advance the interests of the manufacturer and the jobber. The retailer's interests are best served by making good use of the home newspapers.—Saturday Evening Post.

Should Have Advertised.

A farmer who was carrying an express package from a city mail order house, was accosted by a local merchant: "Why didn't you buy that bill from me? I could have saved the express and besides you would have been patronizing a home store, which helps pay the taxes and build up this locality." With characteristic frankness the farmer asked: "Why don't you patronize your home paper and advertise? I read it and did not know you had the goods I have here nor did I see your name in the paper inviting me to come to your store."—Exchange.

WORK OF THE CORN CLUBS

Added \$30,000 to the Wealth of the State Last Year; 4,500 Boys.

Raleigh News and Observer.
 Forty-five hundred North Carolina boys were enrolled and 966 of them made their final reports according to the annual report of corn club work in the State for 1914, made public by Mr. T. E. Browne, in charge of this work in the State. He estimates that as a result of the work \$30,000 was added to the wealth of the State.

"Because of the extreme drought prevalent over a large part of the State during last summer," the report states, "a large per cent of the boys became discouraged and although they grew corn their yield was such that it was difficult to get them to report."

"We require these reports to be signed by two disinterested parties and when the boys realize there is little chance to win a prize, it is difficult to get them to go to the trouble to have the corn measured and witnessed according to the regulations."

"This, in a large measure, explains why the percentage of reports is small."

"However, these 966 corn club boys who did report made an average yield of 58.2 bushels per acre at a cost of 46 1-2 cents per bushel. This is practically three times the average yield of the State. After charging the boys \$5 per acre for rent of land, \$10 per ton for stable manure, for all fertilizer, used at market value and for all time used by both the boy and the team, these boys had a profit of nearly 100 per cent on the corn grown, at present prices for corn."

FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS GOOD

Washington. The first report of the federal reserve board covering the developments which preceded the opening of the twelve regional reserve banks last November, and the two months in which they have been in actual operation, was sent to congress today. It announces that noteworthy results already have been accomplished and that the system now "cannot be regarded as experimental in the sense that there is any uncertainty as to the outcome." No legislation is asked for, the board devoting its report chiefly to an outline of how the new system has strengthened the nation's financial situation.

SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE WITH THE JOKESMITHS.

A Slight Difference.

First Father—What? Your son is an undertaker? Why, I thought you said he was a doctor.

Second Paternal Relative—No; I said that he followed the medical profession.—Harvard Lampoon.

Somewhat Nearer.

Late Homegoer (bursting into merry song)—It's a long, long way to Tipperary.

Callous Cop—Yes, but the station-house is only around the corner.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Debutante Slouch.

She—What do you think of the girl of the period?

He—She looks more like an interrogation point.—Judge.

They Also Ran.

"I got this cup for running."

"Whoa beat?"

"The owner and six policemen."—Harvard Lampoon.

His Excuse.

"This is a pretty time of night for you to be coming home, Jeremiah."

"I know my dear, but I hadn't anywhere else to go."

The Kind.

"I want some pin money, dear."

"How much, my dear?"

"Well, I want to get a real nice diamond one."

A Recliner.

"Green's bought a car."

"What kind?"

"One of those that makes a man look as though he was riding in a bathtub."

Rather Vindictive.

"It looks like a heavy storm this afternoon."

"I can't say I'm sorry. It's the cook's afternoon out."

Huh!

A queer old man is Mr. Bark,

His ways are hard to follow;

He often gets up with the lark

And goes and gets a swallow.

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

DEMOCRAT—A HOME NECESSITY.

"Hello!"

"Is that the Democrat office?"

"Well, I told you several weeks ago

that we would have to down expenses

and save a dollar by discontinuing

the Democrat during 1915. I have decided

to cut out a dollar expense

somewhere else, so please send me the

Democrat, beginning with this week's

issue," said a lady over the 'phone

last week.

Moral: When cutting down expenses

always figure in a subscription to

the Democrat as a home necessity.

Spraying Time is Here
 And this is your opportunity to get the **LARGEST, STRONGEST and BEST BARREL PUMP** ever produced on the market, and at our price is an exceedingly good value.
 \$15.25 cash delivered. Our pump embodies several new and distinct features in construction. All working parts—plunger, gland, valves, valve seats, strainer—are solid brass. Large steel air chamber; long handle with adjustable stroke, either 3, 4 or 5 inches, which varies pump capacity. Easily fitted to any barrel. Of simple construction, can be taken entirely apart by anybody. Strong wing agitator operated by each stroke of the handle. Will supply four leads of hose if necessary at a very small additional expense. Fitted with one ten foot section discharge and Excelsior orchard nozzle, which is practically three nozzles in one, giving fine mist spray, coarse spray and solid stream. Shipped direct from factory. Shipping weight about 70 pounds.
 Portable Knapsack Outfit (shipping weight about 30 pounds) F. O. B. Factory \$10.50
 Barrel Spray Cart Outfit (shipping weight about 175 pounds) F. O. B. Factory \$18.50
 Write for our big 800 page catalog filled with bargains in General Merchandise. Your money lasts longer when you buy from us.

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For Results Try a Want Ad.

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Is the Life of any Business or Corporation

So it is with the city of Hendersonville

CITY TAXES

Have been due since

September 1, 1914

There are some who have not yet paid. The City needs the money. A list of those who have not paid their taxes can be seen at the Tax Collector's Office

Pay your dog tax now or have your dog put to death by the policemen according to section 27, of the Revenue Laws of the City.