

**WESTERN CAROLINA METHODIST ASSUMES GIANT TASK**

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 21.—The second day of the Methodist conference had been set apart as a centenary day and it proved to be from the standpoint of attendance, sustained interest, plans set on foot and enthusiastic assumption of a tremendous task for itself, the greatest day in the history of the Western North Carolina conference. After a full and frank discussion of the world's present needs and the close of the great war and the unparalleled opportunity for much needed service in world redemption combined with the ability of the church to give the conference by unanimous vote amid much handclapping pledged itself to the task of raising \$1,750,000 for this great centenary enterprise.

More Than Quota.

This is \$70,000 more than the apportioned part to the Western North Carolina conference of the \$35,000,000 that constitutes the total centenary fund for the whole church. This action was taken not by a little coterie

assembled for the purpose, but a congregation of ministers and laymen that filled Tryon street church and part of the lay listeners had stood about the altar of the church being unable to get seats.

Other items of business transacted by the conference was the receiving of the report of the board of publication which showed a most successful year for the Western North Carolina Christian Advocate with the addition of 2,500 new subscribers to the list. Rev. H. M. Blair was re-elected editor. Eleven young men were admitted on trial with others to be received later in the session. In accepting the report of the board of managers of the summer school for undergraduates the conference voted to make the summer school at Trinity college perpetual.

Conference met at 9 o'clock, Bishop Darlington in the chair. Rev. M. T. Plyer of Wilmington, led the devotional. The bishop announced that the constitutional questions will be presented to the conference tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. These questions concern the laity rights of women and

**UNTIL THEN**

There'll be no "business as usual" until the Germans are lobot.

Thoroughly Liked—Behind the lines as well as in the trenches.

Licked till their hairlessness appears as vile, as hideous, as damnable to them as it does to a civilized world on which they are now only a cancerous excrescence.

Then—and not until then—can the world of business take off the kink and return to the peaceful prosecution of trade.

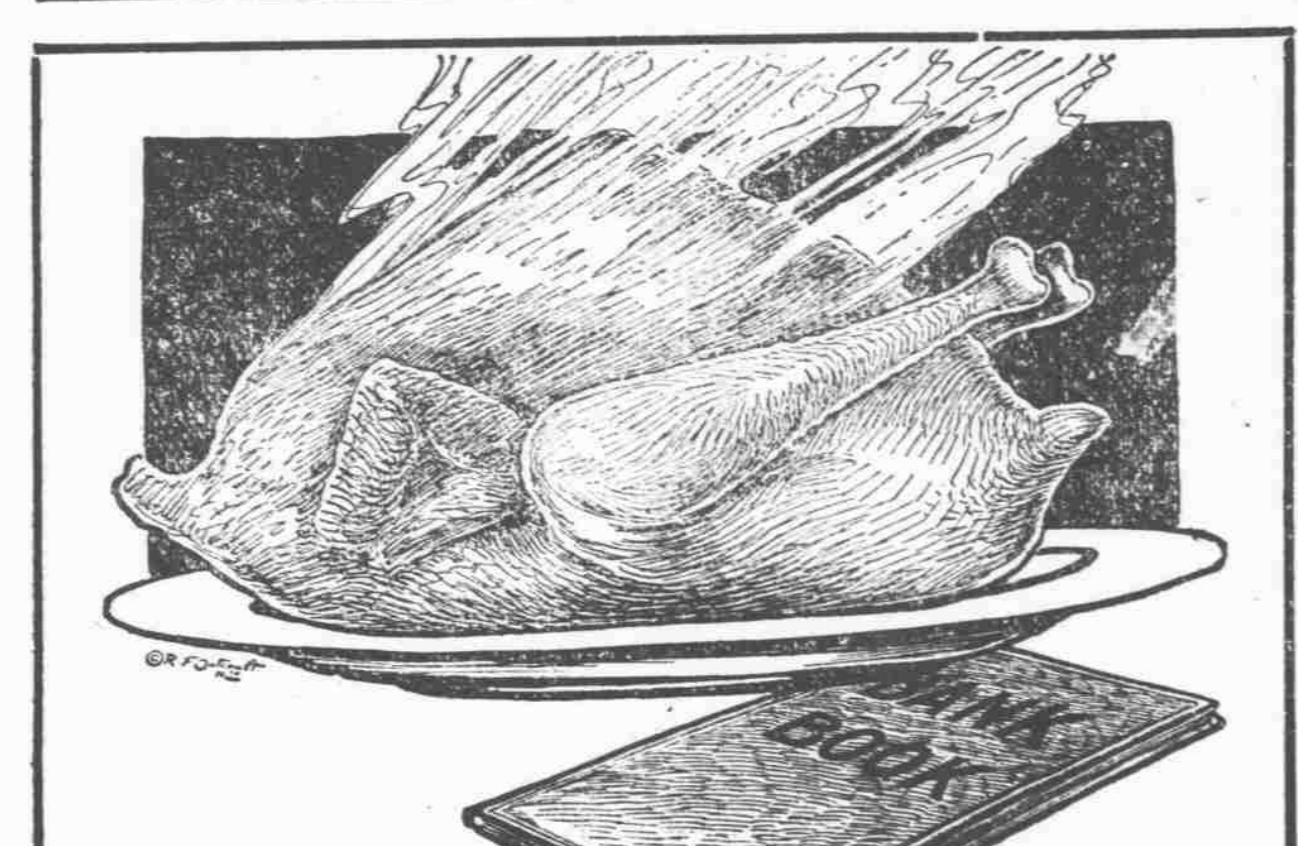
But even then, (make no mistake), it will not be the same old world we used to know. It will be a world purified by fire, cleansed by privations, made better by the sacrifices that our boys are making—our boys and those of our Allies; by the women who are backing up the men—and by the loyal stay-at-homes!—From Whittaker Paper Co's. Paragrafs.

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**RURAL CARRIER EXAMINATION**

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for the county of Henderson, to be held at Hendersonville on Dec. 16, 1918, to fill the position of rural carrier at Zirconia and vacancies that may later occur on rural routes from their post-offices in this county.

During the continuance of the present war the Commission will, in accordance with the request of the Post Office Department, admit women to rural carrier examinations upon the same conditions as men.



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Every time you go to the Bank and make "another" deposit it is Thanksgiving, or should be; because your future is being made secure against want; your old age is being made comfortable and happy, and those you love are being protected against poverty or humiliation.

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**INFLUENZA QUARANTINE**  
(From The NEWS)

The influenza situation locally assumed more serious proportions last week. The order of the health board prohibits public gatherings until after December 7.

The local school opened on Monday of last week with an attendance of 342. There was quite a number of absentees on account of fear. Influenza cases increased and the attendance dropped to 220 on Friday.

Conditions were growing worse and in the face of numerous complaints the health board saw nothing better to do than replace the ban on public gatherings, under which regulations Hendersonville came near stamping out the trouble during the six weeks of quarantine.

It appears to The NEWS that there should be a more rigid quarantine. People are too careless. As soon as their physical condition permits they mix with the public. If it is possible for them to carry the disease after recovering, or convey it from a home in which there is influenza, they should be rigidly quarantined.

We understand that there have been such quarantines elsewhere. The local board ruled that it could not make such a quarantine. We trust to their interpretation of the law, but something, it seems, should be done to avoid the spread of influenza by those recovering from it or having it in their homes, through public contact if the disease is communicable in such manner.

Life is worth too much and health is too precious to run any risk.

We must be careful and also patient.

Mrs. Horace Morris has accepted a position in McClellan's 5, 10 and 25c store for the holiday season.

Judge and Mrs. O. V. F. Blythe left last Thursday for Boston, Mass., to see their daughter, Miss Eva, who is in a hospital on account of a broken arm.

Judge A. C. Jones, of Gastonia, N. C., was here for court last week.

John Wooten is among the recent influenza patients.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Crane, accompanied by Mr. Crane's sister, Miss Minnie, returned to Hendersonville from Greenville last week for a brief business trip.

**ROY KUYKENDALL DEAD.**

Roy Kuykendall died last Friday at Camp Wadsworth. He had been ill with influenza, which developed into pneumonia. The body was brought to East Flat Rock and interment was at Mud Creek church on Saturday afternoon.

**Xmas Gifts for Everybody—Come In and see them early—Fine Parisian Ivory Cases and Manicure Sets—Perfume—Candles, Perfumers—Fountain Pens and Pipes at Hunter's Pharmacy.**

**STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF HENDERSON. TRUSTEE SALE**

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust made by D. N. Osteen to the undersigned Trustee, dated the 16th day of March, 1918, and duly recorded in volume 45 at page 366, in record of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust of Henderson County, N. C., to which reference is hereby made, and default having been made in the payment of the note and the interest secured by said Deed of Trust, whereby the power of sale has become operative, and upon application and demand of the holder of said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustee will on Wednesday, the 13th day of December, 1918, at 12 o'clock, noon, sell for cash at public sale to the highest bidder, at the Court House Doors in Hendersonville, Henderson County, N. C., the following described land and premises, to-wit:

Being all that tract of land in Crab Creek township, containing fifty acres, more or less, and fully described in a deed of conveyance from S. B. Mace to Nettie Jones, which deed is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Henderson county in deed book No. 81, at page 114, to which deed reference is hereby made for a fuller and more complete description by metes and bounds, and further described in deed from S. A. Mace to P. B. Mace and recorded in book 56 on page 82, in the aforesaid office of the Register of Deeds for Henderson County, and also being the same tract of land conveyed to D. N. Osteen by A. O. Jones and wife, Nettie Jones, by deed dated the 4th day of March, 1918, which deed is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Henderson County, in book No. 98, page 128.

This the 13th day of November, 1918.

E. D. MACE, Trustee.

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last will and testament of Chauncy D. Cushing, deceased, all persons having claims against his estate are hereby notified to present them to me at Fletcher, N. C., by the 11th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and any persons indebted to his estate will please, at once, settle with me.

This the 11th day of October, 1918.

JOSEPHINE F. CUSHING, Executrix.

**IF YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED**

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated, cleanse little bowels with "California Syrup of Figs."

Mothers can rest easy after giving "California Syrup of Figs," because in a few hours all the clogged-up waste, sour bile and fermenting food gently moves out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

**DAYS OF DIZZINESS**

Come to Hundreds of Hendersonville People.

There are days of dizziness; Spells of headache, languor, back-ache; Sometimes rheumatic pains; Often urinary disorders. Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney ills.

Endorsed in Hendersonville by grateful friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Elmer Rhodes, Crab Creek St., Hendersonville, says: "Some time ago kidney trouble got the upper hand of me and my back ached a good deal. When I would sweep or bend over to dust, sharp pains shot through me up into my shoulders. I had dizzy spells, black specks came before my eyes and I was in pretty bad shape. Hearing of Doan's Kidney Pills I began taking them and they soon entirely cured me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Rhodes had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs. Buffalo, N. Y.

**STATEMENT LUMBER MFGS. INTER-INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF NEW YORK**

(Condition December 31, 1917.

As Shown by Statement Filed)

Increase of paid-up capital, \$291,065.54

Income: From Policyholders \$297,570.62; miscellaneous \$93,237.23; 390807.85

Disbursements: To policyholders \$307,340.80; miscellaneous \$81,818.15 389158.95

**ASSETS**

Value of stocks and bonds 144000.02

Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest 59875.02

Agents' balances, representing business written subsequent to October 1, 4814.28

Interest and rents due and accrued 2295.82

All other Assets, as detailed in statement 84025.42

Total 295010.56

Less Assets not admitted 2050.02

Total admitted assets 292960.54

**LIABILITIES**

Net amount of unpaid losses and claims \$102230.00

Unearned Premiums 132239.40

All other Liabilities as detailed in statement 3200.00

Total amount of all Liabilities except Capital 237709.40

Surplus as regards policyholders 292960.54

Total Liabilities 237709.40

Business in North Carolina during 1917

Fire risks written \$436,500.00

Premiums received 7058.25

Losses incurred: Fire \$300.00 7588.83

Paid 2500.00 2500.00

President, Wilcox; Secretary, Asheville; Attorney in Charge, Home Office, New York; Insurance Commissioner, N. C.; Manager for North Carolina, Asheville.

**HOLY CATHOLIC CHURCH CREED.**

Charlotte, Nov. 22.—By a vote of 180 to 9 the Western North Carolina Methodist conference this morning adopted the constitutional amendment granting to women full laity rights in the church. The vote was taken without discussion.

The conference also adopted by a vote of 138 to 63 the constitutional amendment, amending the creed to read, "the church of god," instead of "the Holy Catholic church" as it now reads.

It was decided to increase the superannuate ministers' fund from \$100,000, where it now stands, to \$250,000, as soon as possible.

**HEALTH IS WEALTH**  
**HEALTH AND HYGIENE**  
by the  
**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH**

QUESTIONS ON HEALTH, HYGIENE AND SANITATION OF GENERAL INTEREST TO OUR READERS WILL BE ANSWERED IN THESE COLUMNS BY MAIL IF ADDRESSED TO THIS OFFICE OR TO THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH AT RALEIGH AND ACCOMPANIED BY A STAMPED, ADDRESSED ENVELOPE. NO DIAGNOSIS OR TREATMENT OF INDIVIDUAL DISEASES WILL BE ATTEMPTED.

**A Humidor For Your Sleeping Cave**

Have you stuffiness of the nostrils? Do you "take cold" every time any one sneezes at you? Is your throat sensitive? Have you a dry, irritating cough at times? Do you snore? Are you a mouth breather when asleep? Do you wake with a dry mouth? Have you twenty dollars—but this isn't a small-order diagnosis blank, come to think of it. Keep the twenty or buy a bond with it. What you need is a humidor to humidify your bedroom, and you can make one yourself which will do the business a whole lot better than any apparatus you can buy.

Trouble is, you're a mollycoddle and you don't know it. At least you didn't until you read this. You have the great delusion which all mollycoddles have all the time. You imagine that the way to keep warm is to

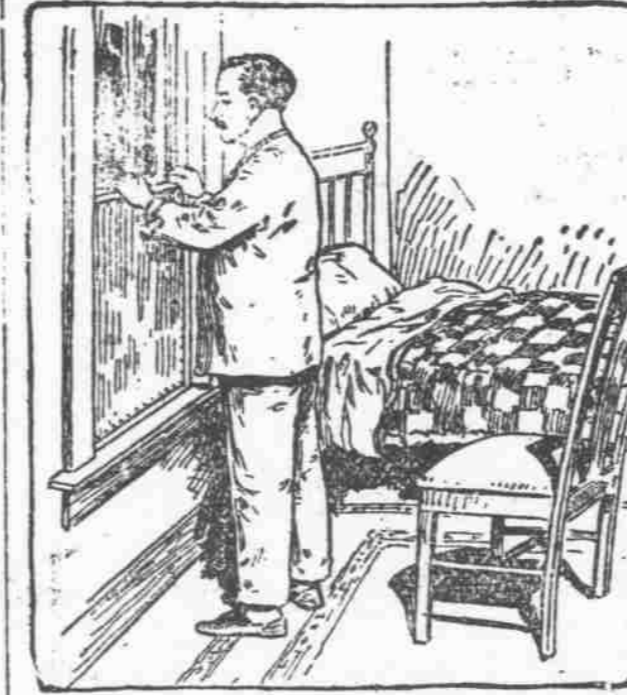
make you chilly, at least does not warm you up like a cool shower does. Oh, you can't get away from my friend Hippocrates! He and I have studied this thing all out. Just substitute air for water, and the results are qualitatively the same, not quantitatively. It takes much cooler air and much warmer air to produce similar reactions. But the air will do it just as water does.

Now, I feel sure that the molliest mollycoddle that reads this column realizes that "colds" and so-called "catarrhal troubles" are strictly and characteristically indoor ailments and not ailments of people who live much in the open. Why? Because it is too warm indoors most of the winter. Huh. It often gets up to 80 or 85 degrees F. hereabouts in the summer-time outdoors! True, but look at the humidity. Old General Humidity is famous for his mid-summer drives. You can't leave the General out of this question. But in the winter time the General digs in. At any rate he is conspicuous by his inactivity indoors. Heat the nice fresh winter air up to 65 degrees indoors in the winter and you make it dryer than the driest Sahara Desert climate, by actual test.

An excessively dry climate is no place for a person with chronic nose, throat or chest trouble to sleep nights.

Open up all three bedroom windows, as high as the lower sash will go, and put in screens made of unbleached Piquet or Black Rock muslin. That puts Gen. Humidity right back on the job. It keeps out rain, snow, wind, drafts and dust, but it lets in the fresh, moist night air. Damp night air. That is fine for sickly people. In olden times they used to say just dam night air. They were mollycoddles, the old folks.

With these Todd screens in the bedroom windows your indoor air will have about the same humidity as the outdoor air, and it doesn't cost a cent to keep the humidor working all night.



**STOP BEING A MOLLYCODDLE.**

Sleeping in a Sealed-Up Room is Just One Way of Shortening Your Life and Making Your Lessened Years Considerably More Miserable.

keep warm. Well, you're wrong. The way to keep warm is to keep cool. Hippocrates says so. I say so. Hippocrates and I agree pretty well on most subjects. Hippocrates said 2200 years ago: "Cool water warms, and warm water cools." People who take morning sponge, plunge or shower baths know that Hippocrates and I are right about that. The cool bath warms you up, stimulates your circulation, increases your metabolism, makes you burn fuel faster. The warm bath, on the other hand, relaxes, slows down metabolism, tends

**A FACT WORTH KNOWING.**

Scientific observation has shown that carbohydrate food—starches, sugars, glucose, etc., as in bread, fruits, vegetables, cereals, syrups—is rather more sustaining for hard work than is protein food. There is no waste of energy in useless heat production from carbohydrates. This fact is worth keeping in mind these days when conservation of meat is a patriotic matter and the utilization of garden truck, corn products and the various other substitutes for wheat is a patriotic duty.

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