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Many newspaper men on this side of the Atlantic know Northcliffe, and they know him to be the most dynamic, get-there sort of man they ever encountered in England. A fighter from "Fightingville" but not the kind who turns around in a circle waving his arms.
His course is that of the bee and not the boomerang. At this moment this journalist is doing more than any other one man in Europe to change the warfare on the Kaiser.
Next to the Kaiser he is going to have the largest say in the grand-swinging of armies and fleets—a war between an emperor and an editor.—Exchange.

South Carolina Sheriff Is Found Dead in Hotel.
Elizabeth N. J., Dec. 28.—John W. Davis, sheriff of Oconee county, S. C., and William C. Foster, superintendent of prisons of the same county, were found dead today from the effects of inhaling illuminating gas. The officials had come from Wallhalla, S. C., to take back John Walker, a negro, accused of murder in Madison, S. C. The police are convinced their deaths were accidental.

MORTGAGE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by John M. Sloan and Catherine Sloan dated the 15th day of Sept., 1915, and Recorded in Book No. 5 at page 306 in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Scotland County default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court-House of Scotland County at 12 o'clock on Saturday the 7th day of Jan., 1917, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:
Being a certain tract or parcel of land being now in Scotland County, formerly Richmond County, in Laurel Hill Township, adjoining the lands of Mary Jones, Mrs. and others, and being the same tract of land conveyed by John M. Sloan by Ed Sloan by Deed dated Oct. 6th, 1902, and Registered in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Richmond County, in Book "GGG" at page 100. And Beginning at a corner in the fourth line of a ninety acre tract Granted to James McPherson, 8 chains and 78 links from the southeast corner of the N. 1/4 of Sec. 12, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., to a corner in the second line of a street in Muddy Creek Swamp, 24 links said line S. 80 W. to a corner in said line 25-80 chains, Sec. 12, T. 12 S., R. 12 E., and 50 links to a corner containing 30 acres more or less.

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Wages for Wives.
We are glad to see fair minded thinking men—and especially married men—seriously considering a very practical domestic problem which has placed woman in a false position and retarded her development more than is realized even by herself. The following editorial appearing in the Raleigh News and Observer in the straw which indicates a change in the direction of the wind which is to bring joy and peace into the home, though a clearer conception and fuller understanding of the rights of those who

make the home.
"Domestic happiness as between husband and wife," says the Raleigh editor, "has its financial side to be considered, for when the vows of wedlock have been spoken there is a relation established into which the dollar must enter. Of course when the husband is a man of great wealth or of means to provide a retinue of servants the financial side of the home automatically adjusts itself.
"Not so, however, when the husband is a man of small or of moderate means, for in such cases there must be a mutual understanding of finances

and a co-operation of efforts. Shall the husband give his wife access to the money he earns on the same terms with himself? That is, if he have a bank account shall he make that account subject to his wife's check as well as his own? Shall he make a weekly or monthly allowance to his wife for the covering of household expenses? Shall he attempt to make household purchases and pay the bills himself? Shall he dole out to his wife money as she calls for it? Shall he demand an accounting of the helpmate? Shall he pay his wife wages? "These are questions which must be answered in all households in which the wife has duties connected with the home to perform, and the answer must in a large degree depend upon whether or not there is a real business partnership between the husband and wife, and whether the wife has that knowledge of business affairs to enable her to deal with the matter of purchases and payments. If not, then it is the first duty of the man to render all possible assistance in giving his wife that knowledge. When conditions are such that there is a real working partnership between the two then there is reached the ideal in household economies. But no matter what are the individual circumstances no husband has the right to make of his wife a suppliant for money. If she has to make requests even for small change for the home she is put in a condition which must be humiliating. The husband who can do so should always have it so that the wife have consideration as a partner in business.—Exchange.

Hard Work Spells Success.
Following rainbows in the form of get-rich-quick schemes is the shortcut to failure. Governor Phillip told the Commerce Club of Marquette University. He said that for every plunger who scores a brilliant success there are thousands of failures among men who bank on the turn of a single card in the business world. Conservative men are great business leaders of the country, he asserted. Here are a few of the Governor's "punches" on "the road to success."
Find out what you want to do and do it well.
Don't be a plunger—don't chase rainbows—be a conservative.
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EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
IN THE DISTRICT COURT.
In compliance with Section 51, Act of July 1st, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the UNITED STATES," it is ordered by the Court that the
First National Bank,
Of Laurinburg,
North Carolina, be and the same is hereby designated as a depository for the money of Bankrupt estates, in and for the bankruptcy division of the Eastern District of North Carolina.
(Signed) H. G. CONNOR
U. S. District Judge

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