



WHAT JOY THEY BRING TO EVERY HOME

as with joyous hearts and smiling faces they romp and play—when in health—and how conducive to health the games in which they indulge, the outdoor life they enjoy, the cleanly, regular habits they should be taught to form and the wholesome diet of which they should partake. How tenderly their health should be preserved, not by constant medication, but by careful avoidance of every medicine of an injurious or objectionable nature, and if at any time a remedial agent is required, to assist nature, only those of known excellence should be used; remedies which are pure and wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, like the pleasant laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. Syrup of Figs has come into general favor in many millions of well informed families, whose estimate of its quality and excellence is based upon personal knowledge and use.

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MUCH CLOTHING WAS CARRIED AWAY.

Negro Women Make Big Haul of Normal School Girls' Laundry—Frazier's Appointment Pleases Greensboro.

Special to The News.
Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 27.—Among all classes of people here regardless of political bias or prejudice, except among the select circle of professional officeholders of both parties, there was intense satisfaction at the news Saturday that Professor Frazier would be appointed postmaster for Greensboro. People generally did not consider it any of their business, this appointment of federal office to a politician, and were not taking sides with the factions, until it became known that Judge Douglas had filed charges affecting Professor Frazier's business integrity and private character, and then they got mad. He has never been one of the "elect" among the Republicans of the county or a typical professional politician, but has always been a gentleman and trained with white people.

Saturday, in Superior Court here, Judge Ferguson heard argument in the case of Blackwell against the Mutual Reserve Life Association of New York, praying for the appointment of a permanent receiver. Late in the afternoon Judge Ferguson dismissed the motion for a permanent receiver and also discharged the temporary receivership created pending the hearing.

The W. F. Clegg commission Company today received the first solid carload of peanuts ever received in this city. They were shipped from Norfolk and weighed 24,000 pounds.

A negro boy named Cornell Hood, aged 12, was fearfully injured yesterday afternoon by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge. The accident occurred at the rear of the South Davis street school building. The right hand was blown off about an inch below the wrist joint. Particles of brass were embedded in his eyeballs, and, if he lives, he will be almost if not totally blind.

For the past few months it is estimated that at least a hundred dollars' worth of clothing has been stolen from the students of the State Normal and Industrial College by negro women at work in the college laundry. The loss became so serious the police were put to work on the case. As a result of two days' investigation the public station looked like a laundry. The officers had captured large bundles of clothing from four negro women, the effects of only this week's pilfering, and the trial of the culprits was held. Superintendent England, of the Normal College laundry, identified the property which the officers had captured in their possession. Nina Wood, one of the defendants, was able to give bond for her appearance at Superior Court, but the other three went to jail.

Sam Wharton, a colored man engaged on the street paving force, while wheeling a load of crushed rock across the street car track this morning, was struck by a car and thrown nearly across the street, but not seriously injured.

With the approach of the term of Superior Court for the trial of criminal cases, interest in the Matthews murder case begins to revive. It will be remembered that the case was continued from last court till Wednesday of the February term. An effort will be made to finish all the other jail cases and it may be Thursday before the case will be reached. For the past month Dr. Matthews has greatly improved in mental and physical health. He can now converse with coherence, but declares he has no recollection whatever of events preceding or connected with his wife's terrible death.

AN ENJOYABLE OCCASION.

Mrs. S. C. Penn's Beautiful Home The Scene of Much Enjoyment.

Special to The News.
Reidsville, Feb. 27.—One of the most enjoyable entertainments of the season was the George Washington Party, given by "The Ladies Aid Society" of the Presbyterian church, at the residence of Mrs. S. C. Penn on Main street.

The program was a delightful one, consisting of vocal music, by Mrs. Francis Womack, Mrs. Wallace Milliner, Miss Hettie Ford and Mr. Sam Hines and recitation by Miss S. Jean Carter. Refreshments were served in the beautiful dining room, tastefully decorated in red, white and blue bunting. A miniature cherry tree was in the center of the table, laden with ripe cherries. Hatchet-shaped sandwiches were served with coffee. Hatchets placed at every plate were souvenirs of the occasion.

Mr. W. P. Watt reached home last night from Philadelphia, where he has been spending some time in a sanitarium. Dr. James Irvin, of Danville, accompanied Mr. Watt and his condition today is thought to be encouraging.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Montgomery has been quite ill with acute indigestion. The little fellow is better today and with proper care will soon recover.

The Kids will have a party out at Miss Maud Anderson's, one mile and a half from town tonight. They went out in wagons and were having a good time right.

Appropriate exercises were held at the Reidsville Seminary in honor of George Washington's birthday. A drill by the little folks of Miss Williamson's room was one of the principal features of the exercises and showed careful training.

Prof. and Mrs. Hayes open the doors of their home tonight and give a reception to the pupils of the school. All pupils are invited from 8 to 10 o'clock. These receptions will be given every month.

CASTRO'S NEXT MOVE.

May Call On Uncle Sam to Act As Arbitrator.

By Associated Press.
Willemstad, Island of Curacao, Feb. 26.—It is learned from an official source at Caracas that President Castro's next move in the French question will be to call upon the United States to arbitrate the question of the amount of damage done by France in permitting the fitting out of the filibuster steamer "Ban Rié" at Fort de France, Island of Martinique to prey upon the Venezuelan commerce and transport the troops during the Matos revolt.

TO GROW A FOREST FOR A CITY PARK.

Barren, Unightly Hill to Be Planted for Beauty and Use in Imitation of Natural Woodlands.

Public-spirited citizens of Helena, Montana, have for some time been agitating a plan to convert the unightly slopes of Mount Helena, which lies just outside the city, into a forest park. A great deal of interest has been awakened throughout the State by this project, for the people of Helena will not be the only ones to benefit by it. Successful forest planting will be difficult, owing to the semiarid conditions, and will call for expert skill in the selection of suitable species, the details of planting, and subsequent care of the plantation. A solution of the problem will serve as an object lesson of forest planting under similar conditions elsewhere.

In the city parks the kind of decorative effect sought is generally secured by the art of the landscape gardener rather than by that of the forester. In the case of Helena there will be reared, not single individuals or small groups of trees, such as are set in the conventional park, but a true forest. Later on the trees may be cut for timber, without in the least interfering with the integrity of the park. A good many cities have parks which are partly or wholly woodland, preserved in their natural state, but no one thinks of cutting the timber when it is grown. Commonly owned forests, however, maintained primarily as productive properties, are not unknown in Europe. The educational value of such a forest is well worth consideration. A knowledge of what forestry means would be a good deal more common in this country if other towns would imitate the example set by Helena.

In order to secure a thoroughly practical plan for the execution of the park project, the Helena Improvement Society availed itself of the cooperative offer of the Government Forest Service, which places its trained foresters at the disposal of those who wish to establish plantations of forest trees. During the summer a representative made a study of the conditions on the ground, and, as a result, a detailed planting plan has just been submitted to the Society.

The proposed park contains about 900 acres. There are about 140 acres already covered with young timber, and 400 acres more on which some timber is growing. Planting will be done on about 600 acres. Western yellow pine and red fir are the trees recommended for most of this area. These species compose nearly all of the present stand, so that their adaptability to existing conditions of soil and climate may be depended upon. Besides this, they are among the most stately and also the most valuable trees of the western forest. Finally, seed from these trees is readily obtained in abundance in the neighborhood, so that ease and economy in the planting operations will be secured by their use. Other trees adapted for the park are limber pine, lodgepole pine, blue spruce, Coulter pine. The spacing recommended, 6 by 6 feet, would give 1,210 trees to the acre on land which is without trees. Where the land is already partly stocked, from 800 to 1,000 trees per acre will suffice. The total number of trees required is estimated at 575,000. To provide these a special nursery will be started.

What Did He Mean.

Miss Milyuns—Yes, but why should I love your Lordship?
Lord Gettheocnyne—Well, er—er—you—aw—so different from other women, d'ntcherknow.

RUNNING SORES COVERED LIMBS

Little Girl's Obstinate Case of Eczema—Instantaneous Relief By Cuticura—Little Boy's Hands and Arms Also Were a Mass of Torturing Sores—Grateful Mother Says:

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"In July of this year a little boy in our family poisoned his hands and arms with poison oak, and in twenty-four hours his hands and arms were a mass of torturing sores. We used only the Cuticura Remedies, washing his hands and arms with the Cuticura Soap, and anointed them with the Cuticura Ointment, and then gave him the Cuticura Remedies. In about three weeks his hands and arms healed up; so we have lots of cause for feeling grateful for the Cuticura Remedies. We find that the Cuticura Remedies are a valuable household standby, living as we do twelve miles from a doctor, and where it costs from twenty to twenty-five dollars to come up on the mountain. Respectfully, Mrs. Lizzie Vincent Thomas, Fairmount, Walden's Ridge, Tenn., Oct. 13, 1905."

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WINTER ECZEMA SKIN HARD AND DRY

Some skin diseases are active in Summer, while others wait until cold weather to manifest themselves. Winter Eczema sleeps in the system through the long hot months, and gives no sign of its presence; but at the coming of Winter the trouble asserts itself and it becomes one of the most painful and distressing of all skin diseases. The blood is filled with poisonous acids which seem to be excited by the cold; and as these are thrown off through the pores and glands, the skin cracks and bleeds, the flesh becomes hot and feverish and the itching intense. The natural oils which keep the skin soft and pliant are dried up by the cold, bleak winds, causing it to become hard and dry, giving it that shiny, leathery appearance, characteristic of the disease. The head, face, hands and feet are the usual points of attack, though other parts of the body may be affected. So painful and distressing is the trouble that the sufferer constantly "doctors" and treats it trying to get relief. Soothing washes, medicated ointments and salves are used, but aside from giving temporary relief they do no good. The cause is poisonous acids in the blood, and these must be removed before a cure can be effected. The only cure for Winter Eczema is S. S. S., the greatest of all blood purifiers. It cleanses the entire blood supply of the acid poisons and sends a fresh, healthy stream to the diseased skin, healing and softening it and curing the painful, itching eruptions. "S. S. S." enters the blood and purifies it of all waste and foreign matter, and cures Winter Eczema—surely; besides it does not contain any harmful mineral to derange or damage any part of the system. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice you need, free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

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