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## MOONSHINE IN A GRAVE

### Novel Scheme of Moonshiners Discovered in Ga.

A negro was passing by a country cemetery near Atlanta, Ga., in the gray of the morning when he saw a head apparently bob up out of a grave and then suddenly disappear. The negro did not stop to investigate, but decided that the climate at this particular spot was not as healthy as he would like and, with the speed of a locomotive made his way to the nearest house. Arriving there, he reported the occurrence and an investigation was started which developed the fact that this particular grave had been opened and a distillery built inside. The owner of the distillery had opened the grave, built in the still and covered over the top with plank and then heaped the earth in a way to give the impression of nothing more than a grave. At the end, but very carefully hidden he had left an entrance. The owner was at once arrested.

### Honor Roll of Graded School for February.

First Grade. Fred Buff, Willie Deitz, Marvin Sublett, Louis Whitener, Summie Whitener, Mary Edward Clement, Elenora Deal, Grace Seaboch, Edward Morton, Jessie Pope, Ollie Wells, Carroll Dysart, Clifford Jones, Albert Miller, George White.

Second Grade. Earnest Bumgarner, Doris Hutton, Stewart Imo Edwards, Russell Fisher, Annie White, Maurice Morton, Vera Gibbs, Cecil Huffman, Clement Geitner, Earl Rink, Clinton Cilley, Sterling Menzies, Carrie Hahn, Elbert Ivey, Norwood Rogers, Paul Stevenson, Geegge Johnston, Robert Jones, Lovey Miller, Paul Deaton, Pamela Starnes, Annie Killian, Irene Dysart, Moses Kennedy, Aileen Aiken, Essie Hoke, Jessie Patrick, Dessie Thornburg, Annie Sigmon, Louis Whitener.

Third Grade. Willie Bryan, Louise Elliott, Hattie Fox, Lou Hahn, Faustina Jones, Pearl Sublett, Kate Wacaster, Sadie Whitener, Herbert Fritz, Robt. Garth, D. C. Huffman, Adrian Huffman, Donald Menzies, Harry McComb, Harvey McComb, Hugh Seagle, Evelyn Lang, Eubert Whitener, Sanford Winkler, Ress Sharpe.

Fourth Grade. Grace Chester Gertrude Cooper, Josephine Dy-sart, Lola Henkel, Annie Miller, Charles Moretz, Ethel Starnes, Florence Sharpe.

Fifth Grade. Myra McFalls, Victor Seaboch, Marvin Bumgarner.

Sixth Grade. Catherine Stevenson, Gladys Reid, Jamie Leyerly Fred Campbell, Rose Martin, Ramona Rich, Margaret Taylor, Ralph Whisenhunt, Voorheis Garth, Grace Johnson, Mary Huffman, Hilda Field, Loula Lee Wolfe.

Seventh Grade. Frank Allen, Claude Abernethy, Lourie Deal, Edgar Fox, Frances Geitner, Blanche Little, Antha Lytle, Millie McComb, Adelyn McComb, Frank Martin, Summie Miller, Jennie Reinhardt, Annie Reinhardt, Sadie Salvo, Ora Sublett.

Eighth Grade. Mary Allen, Mary Bumgarner, Leroy Deaton, Imogene Finger, John Geitner, Beulah Huffman, Estelle Payne Sam Hahn, Elizabeth McComb, Grace Patrick, Katherine Shiner, Earnest Starnes.

Ninth Grade. Mabel Cooper, Gertrude Deal, Bertha Harris, Addie Michael, Frank McComb, William McComb, Eva Penny, Henry Whitener.

Tenth Grade. Gertrude Finger Arthur Huffman, Bessie Rainey, Essie Robinson.

## Peter Summy.

The home of Peter Summy was in Lincoln county, and in 1768 he appears in connection with the history of Daniel Reformed and Lutheran church in Lincoln county. He is named as one of the trustees of the property at the time. His will is on record at the court house at Lincolnton. Ex-Sheriff Nixon, an eminent citizen of Lincoln county showed me the will.

My recollection is that he names in his will two sons. Their names are given as Jacob and Fredrick. Jacob and Fredrick lived to be grown and raised families in Lincoln county. I have been informed that the home of Peter Summy was where the late Dr. Crowel lived. This locates his farm on the west bank of the South Fork river. The farm is a fertile one. I suppose he was among the first settlers in Lincoln county. He followed Henry Whitener to North Carolina. I am of the opinion that he belonged to the German race of people. I shall be glad to know if this is a correct history of Peter Summy. I wish to know if he was the patriarch of the Summy family in Western North Carolina.

The Summy family rank among the best families in North Carolina, Tennessee and other Southern states.

The late Judge McCorkle of Newton, married martha Wilfong. Her mother was a Miss Summy, a daughter of George Summy, who was a son of Jacob Summy, who was a son of Peter Summy.

J. H. Shuford, King's Creek.

## DELICATE CHILDREN

Doctor Told This Mother That Vin'ol is a Fine Remedy—Mrs. Flagg Tells How Her Daughter Was Restored to Health By Vinol.

"Our little daughter, six years of age after, a severe attack of the measles, which developed into pneumonia, was left pitifully thin, weak emaciated. She had no appetite, and her stomach was so weak it could not retain food. She lay in this condition for weeks, nothing the doctor prescribed did a bit of good, and we were beginning to think she would never recover.

"At this time we commenced to give her Vinol, and the effect was marvelous. The doctor was amazed at her progress, and when we told him we were giving her Vinol, he replied, 'It is a fine remedy, keep it up.' We did so, and she recovered her health and strength months before the doctor said she would."

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Don't wait until your blood is impoverished and you are sick and ailing, but take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea now. It will positively drive out all winter impurities, 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Moser & Lutz.

## Society News.

Mrs. J. B. Gibbs was hostess to the Round Dozen Book club on the afternoon of March 3rd when every member was present. The hostess' special book is "The Dawn of a Tomorrow," by Mrs. Burnette. The story which is a very short one, is liked very well by the members. At the request of the hostess, Mrs. Le Roy Whitener read a delightful chapter from "Aunt Jane of Kentucky." After adjournment delicious refreshments in two courses were served. Each member found a cluster of hyacinths on her plate. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. B. Ramsey March 17.

Wednesday March 3rd Mrs. A. A. Shuford Jr. was the hostess of the Hickory Book Club. Ex-Pres. Elliott's oration in Texas was one of the matters of current interest. The discussion of "The Vermillion Pencil" by Homer Lea was made especially interesting by criticisms and points of view sent by Mrs. Gordon Cilley of Philadelphia. The dining room was lighted by Chinese lanterns and candles with Chinese shades. The place-cards were very dainty hand painted affairs with Vermillion pencils and figures in allusion to the book. Sacred lilies and other flowers added their share to the pleasure which was given by the delicious refreshments. Adjournment to meet next with Mrs. G. H. Geitner March 17th.

Thursday March 4th The Traveler's Club met with Mrs. E. B. Cline. Response to roll call with quotations referring to Vulcan and Vesta.

Miss Geitner gave a lecture on Alexander and his Conquests in which she skillfully epitomized the most celebrated parts of the story of the world conqueror.

Mrs. K. C. Menzies in her paper "Hellenistic Thought and Influence," showed the scope of the intellectual conquest by Greece of a large part of the world. As the quotations were about the Fire-Gods Miss Schenck read the celebrated desription of the "Shield of Achilles" as forged by Vulcan from Bryant's translation of the Iliad. Thus ended a program of unusual merit. After current events refreshments in three courses were served before the reluctant leave taking.

Last week Feb. 25 Mrs. C. M. Shuford entertained the Traveler's Club. Quotations were upon Hermes or Mercury. Mrs. E. B. Cline gave a fine paper on Demosthenes, the world's greatest orator. Mrs. G. N. Hutton gave an account of the battle of Cheronca when Philip of Macedonia crushed the liberty of Greece Mrs. O. M. Royster read selections from Shelley's Ode to Liberty. Delightful refreshments were served before the close of a very pleasant meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Chadwick who left March 1, for California have been heard from several times on their way. After a visit in St. Louis they expect to reach Los Angeles March 9th. The many friends they made during their stay in Hickory of over five months will hope to welcome them here again before many months.

This is the most dangerous time of the year to catch cold, and it is the hardest time to cure it. If you should take a cold, a few doses of Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup will act very promptly. Its laxative principle cures the cold by a gentle but natural action of the bowels. Children especially like Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup, as it tastes so good, nearly like maple sugar. It is sold by C. M. Shuford and W. S. Martin.

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HICKORY, N. C.

## Irrigation and Drainage of North Carolina.

Spokane, Wash., March.—Irrigation and drainage go hand in hand in a way and as much importance attaches to the problem of removing a superabundance of water from certain areas as it does to the bringing of water to arid and semi-arid lands.

Joseph Hyde Pratt, Ph. D., state geologist of North Carolina Geological and Economic Survey says this in a letter to R. Insinger, chairman of the local board of control of the National Irrigation Congress, which will meet in Spokane August 9 to 14:

"We are very much interested in drainage in North Carolina," Mr. Pratt says, "and now have a general drainage bill before our legislature."

"I would suggest in regard to kindred subjects to be discussed at the 17th sessions, such as drainage, forestry and deep waterways, that you have several papers relating to the work that the states can do themselves and also in co-operation with the federal government; also in regard to forestry to show how the perpetuation of the forests and their protection from fires and their extension would be of great benefit not only to the areas to be irrigated but also to areas that are to be drained.

"In other words, forestry is of great importance to the subjects of irrigation and drainage. There is a wide work for each state to do in connection with the protection and perpetuation of its forest areas."

Mr. Pratt suggests that Mr. Insinger write to John Wilkinson Belhaven, N. C., president of the North Carolina Drainage association; Dr. C. P. Ambler, Asheville, A. D. Tompkins, Charlotte, president of the National Appalachian Forestry association and W. B. Blades, Greensboro, for their views on the beneficial results the discussion of drainage and forestry at the congress would bring to the country.

## FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

For children; safe, sure. No opiate

Bring your job printing to the Democrat office for good work.

## The Legislature Adjourns.

The business of both branches of the Assembly was closed Monday and the Members began leaving Monday night. A few bills were carried over for final ratification Tuesday.

## THE LURID GLOW OF DOOM

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had for five years defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, sores and all blood disorders and rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by C. M. Shuford W. S. Martin and Moser & Lutz.

While Mr. Bryan may deny the soft impeachment that he is an "out and out" candidate for President, we respectfully submit that he is about the "outust" candidate there is.

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To the Legislature: No married man can afford to advocate a tax on bachelors. It looks too much like the confession of an envious spirit which is no compliment to his wife.

## IT SAVED HIS LEG

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica salve cured it sound and well." Infalible for skin eruptions, eczema, salt rheum, Boils, fever sores, burns, scalds, Cuts and Piles, 25c a C. M. Shuford, W. S. Martin and Moser and Lutz.

Just to give some conception of the expensiveness of war, permit us to say that it costs as much money to fire a twelve-inch gun as the average editor makes in two years.

The gospel of smiles does not sound very rich to the fellow who struggles along on sweat-shop wages.

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

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