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WAR STRAIN ON CHILDREN

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and New Bedford, Mass. The number of women in industry has increased since the United States entered the war and in the new workers an increase was found in the proportion of married women to single women. The higher cost of living was given as one reason for the return to wives of positions in the Chicago stockyards which they held before marriage. The report adds: "The employers feel that within the next few months it will be practically inevitable that this increase in the number of women employed and in the proportionate gain of married over single women will go still further."

While close studies of maternal and infant mortality have shown the superior healthfulness of the country over cities, as a whole, it was found that isolation and low incomes may together overbalance fresh air and wholesome surroundings. Particularly in western grazing states, where the population is sparse and scattered, it was found that lack of care and medical attention greatly increased the death rate among mothers and babies. Welfare work by industrial corporations in cities has reduced materially the mortality among mothers.

"The importance of the care a mother receives before and at her child's birth is being constantly more recognized," the report comments. Whether or not children released from labor are obtaining the full benefits intended for them by the Child Labor law will be the subject of future studies by the bureau, which will endeavor to find out if they have gone into occupations not forbidden by law or are in school or are both out of work and out of school. Chairmen of the state councils of defense have been asked to report on the number of children not in school.

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AMUSEMENTS

DANTE'S INFERNO AT PASTIME TUESDAY, DEC. 11

The special attraction at the Pastime Tuesday, December 11th will be "Dante's Inferno" the Poet's conception of Hell. The following is a short synopsis of the story:

The Divine Comedy of Dante, one of the greatest monuments of human genius owes its origin to a little girl who had barely reached the age of nine years when she became its inspiration. Dante when a boy of nine attended a festival in his native city of Florence. The children were always deeply interested in these festivals in which flowers and prayers formed a prominent part. At this festival the boy Dante met a little girl and was immediately ravished by her angelic beauty. It is said by the writer of this story that the beauty of Beatrice, or as she was often called, "Bice," was strikingly spiritual and the sentiments is produced in the heart of Dante were of the purest kind, untainted by even the remotest suggestion of any sensual affection. It appears that Dante only saw Beatrice a few times afterwards and then only for brief moments, but so deep had been her sweetness and purity that her image never left his mind and he early resolved to make her immortal in a manner never before attempted. In this, as we all know, he succeeded. Beatrice has become the embodiment and symbol of pure and uplifting womanhood to all who have ever in the course of the centuries heard of the poem. Beatrice died at the age of twenty-four in 1290 and it was then that the plan of Dante to immortalize her took definite shape. The great poet places her in Paradise, where she dwells in floods of crystal light among the blessed. While he is lost in the wild forest Beatrice sends Virgil, a pious pagan poet of olden days to be his escort through the Inferno (Hell or the underworld) until such time as she herself will become his guide through the other portions of the created universe. So much for the origin of the Divine Comedy. It must be seen to be appreciated.

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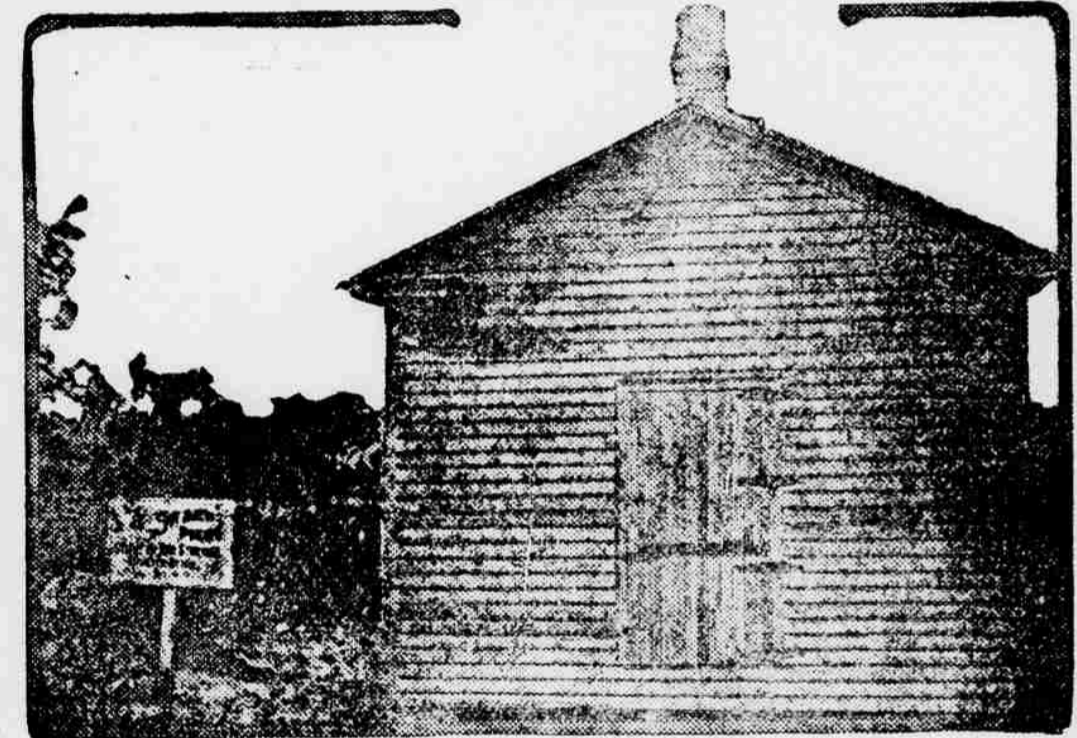
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J. W. Hoke

P. S. Several good, used cars for sale.

SAVE THE SWEET POTATO CROP



AN EXCELLENT TYPE OF STORAGE HOUSE FOR POTATOES.

Though North Carolina produces a good crop of sweet potatoes each year, a conservative estimate places the loss due to poor storage facilities at 50 per cent of this crop. Also, through lack of storage facilities prices for potatoes are lowered at digging time by the dumping of more potatoes than the market can care for. This produces a shortage from the latter part of March until the last of July when the early crop begins to make its appearance. For this reason the Division of Horticulture in co-operation with the National Department of Agriculture is now conducting a campaign to have as many storage houses built in North Carolina as possible.

The sweet potato crop this year will be the largest in the history of the country. North Carolina will produce the largest crop in the history of the State, and will thus provide a surplus of a product that will be needed to take the place of other foods which have become high and scarce, owing to the war conditions. With this large crop on hand the question has arisen as to the best methods to save all of the crop harvested.

Experience has proven that storage houses are more to be depended upon than the old style earthen banks. These houses are wooden, hollow-wall structures with a special system of ventilation, and may be constructed to hold varying amounts from 500 to 50,000 bushels of the roots at one time. They have proven very successful in keeping the potatoes, having been tried both in an experimental and practical way, at the Fender branch station. At this station it was found that the loss in the houses was practically nothing, while a third of the roots were lost when placed in the old-style banks. In some cases the whole bank has been a total loss, or 20 per cent of the potatoes injured from the standpoint of marketable stock.

Many large growers over the State have already manifested much interest in these houses, many having built new houses or remodeled their old ones.

The Division of Horticulture is supplying, upon application, plans for building the houses, and will give advice in the erection and operation of them. It is estimated by Mr. R. G. Hill of the Horticultural Division that the building of houses advocated by his division will mean a saving to the farmers or the community, and will also mean that needed food will be saved to supply the market that now cannot be supplied during every year from March to July.

Extension Circular No. 30, "The Storage of Sweet Potatoes," and Farmers' Bulletin No. 847, "Potato Storage and Storage Houses," will be supplied free of charge, as long as the supply lasts, to all making application.

F. H. JETER, Agr. Editor, Agricultural Extension Service.

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NOTICE
Having qualified as executrix of the estate of J. A. Sellers, deceased, late of Catawba county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hickory, N. C., on or before the 12th day of November 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will be required to make immediate payment. This 12th day of November, 1918. MRS. L. V. SELLERS, Executrix of estate of J. A. Sellers, deceased. 11 12 4t Mon

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MIKE THE MESSENGER

IT MUST BE SOME HANDBAG BY WALT DESMOND.

OH! DEAR—I'VE LOST MY HANDBAG AND I'VE LOOKED ALL OVER AND I CAN'T FIND IT—MAYBE YOU HAPPENED TO SEE IT!

YES! M—UH—I MEAN NO! DO YUH KNOW WOT WUZ IN IT?

IT'S A SMALL BLACK GLAZED LEATHER HANDBAG—ABOUT SEVEN INCHES LONG AND FIVE INCHES WIDE AND THE ONLY THING IN IT WAS A HANDBURCHIEF AND A COUPLE OF MATINEE TICKETS—

—THREE SAMPLES OF RIBBON—A DOOR KEY AND TWO LITTLE KEYS—A LAUNDRY LIST—A PAIR OF WHITE KID GLOVES—A RECEIPT FOR A SHIRT I HAD LEFT TO BE DYED—TWO SPOOLS OF THREAD—

BUT—

—A CARD OF THANKS AND EYES—A BOTTLE OF SMELLING SALTS—SOME CAMPHOR TABLETS—A SHORT LEAD PENCIL—A SHOPPING LIST—A PAPER OF PINS—A GLOVE BUTONER—A CALENDER—IT SEEMS TO ME THAT WAS ABOUT ALL!

BUT—ER—

GEE WHIZ!—IF YUH KIN PUT ALL DAT IN A FIVE BY SEVEN HANDBAG YUH COULD PUT TH' CONTENTS OF A SEVEN ROOM FLAT INTO A SUITCASE

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