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TETE ABOUT TO BE REWARDED

natured representative from Rowan dozen men aripped his hand and county, who saved the weifare work brushed a tear from their eyes; for this state, got increased appropriations for Confederate soldiers, railroad men, with their wives and and abolished free stock range, is daughters to consult for our inverest. about to be rewarded for his twenty- We are reminded that life itself is a five years of service in behalf of his train and the paid to beaven a ru party and his state. Newspapers and road, God's truth the rail, God's party leaders, almost by acclamation, the fire, and His promises the si-have noninated hum for Congress-lights. Oh we recognize Thee as the man-at-Larke, a choice we feel certhe optimization of the strength of the second in the seco state. He was by far the alternoor of the tay the track and ballast the road; inneutation in the last General Assistock; Thou are the owner and con-sembly, always made a good speech, troller of all. We look to Thee for and usually routed apposition by his strong available and big thights the checks for one date bread. By strong argideouts; and his friends the cherks for our daily bread. Be believe he would give a good account merciful in handling our human misof himself in Congress. So constitued takes and blunders and do not dis-et this were the members of the lexis, induce that they, in the closing days "We are strateful for the Bible, of the session address of this letter to Thy book of rules and instruction; lim

you that! Permit us in this informal. Thy promises and warnings are our way to say to you that in the event headlights and hand lanterna; help North Carolina is to have a concress- us to use them so as to save our man at large we are for you for train from wrock. Deliver us from that high honor with all our hearts, broken rails, blind switches, false Do not think that we ny unawary of sizeals, and mistaken orners. Bo the sreat personal sacrifies you have with us on every high bridge of remade in behalf of democracy in the sponsibility, on every high fordest of re-broadest sense of that word, nor that trouble; let the light of Thy promises we are anappreciative. The broad shine our bright. Grant us passes vision, rearless and illuminating for our wives and children and bet stand which yes have always ration them so with us. When the storias of prophytical costs of prophytical costs of prophytical costs. on every public issue valuate tail to of temptations and trials come, say excite admitation.

God has blessed you with great abil- way, kept secure by Thy guardian ity, a wonderful mind and above all care, always show the sreel rail and true character. We know that you rock ballast, and be suid and firm have a great future before you. It and free from destruction. Deliver is for these and many other reasons the from the snares of our enemy. May that we are proved to scala say that the headlight of the truth share we are for you. We bed therefore bright on a thrown switch, take that in you our state and nation signal or fatal distruction would have a wonderfully officient wreekage of our train. M servant in this broader field. To mention your personal winter and save us. ingen usen unght lead some who have not been record with your aspenintance is the conclusion that we are train in on proc. Let about th enter the field of daffery. Thy promises burn to 1 but, nevertheless, these hind us to be went to the Grand Co We are shall to submerfue ture S1937.

The county commissioners or the Second N. C. Junior Resources," chisled on the mountment on the square and cladden the hearts of the living Union county men who fought in this company during the Civil War, although their area averaged but 17 or 18 years. In some manner "Co. F" was left off the memorial, and those who battled under its standard coel the omission keynly. The boys," Mr. B. H. Benton said to Thename of their regiment and company they die." This is a mighty small reRecognizes God as General Manager of Road and Chief Dispatcher, At an annual meeting of the con-

netors and engineers sometime ago Rev. George E. Stuart, one of the avortics with tailroad men of the was asked to take part and open the meeting with prayer, rays an exchange. He was loudly ap-stepped upon a platform to offer prayer. The railroad men with their wives and dauchiers precent, reverently howed their heads, and George Stuart, with trembling lips and deep emotion, offered the following pray-"Pete" Murphy, the joyial, good- er, an das he left the platform

to Lord, we meet us a body of 52 to:

be morelful in our examination and "Dear Pete; For we love to sail look with charity upon our failures. 306-306-306-306 its from the fatal slides and wash-"As a parlimentarian and debater with that have wrecked so many we do not know of your superior trains on the read of the. Let our May. the emotycney brake of a strong will

"As we make burilast put, headed honieward, if it Thy will, order our timin in on time. Let the light o Thy promises bern to light the last 'Y' & A. 1. 111 through to the Grand Contral Station of the skies may we have the approving smilles of the general man nor and sumfintendent; sich with local chapter of the Daughters of the low the pay-coll, receive our wages Contederacy multit to have with F. and have an efernal lay on with God and engels and the loved ones at home. And we will praise Thes for ever. Amen."

GREGATION WILL WORSHIP AND NOW SHE WANTS DIVORCE. WITH BAPTIST BRETHREN, AS Founded a Divorceless Sect. but THIS WILL BE THE LAST SERV.

Would be Free of Husband. ICE OF REV. J. E. WRAY AS PAS-

(From the Kansas City Star.) Once upon a time there was a negro preacher who was very fund of TOR OF THAT CHURCH.

tablit hunting. He was on his way

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Jackson Barnett is sixty-nine years old, and was born near Fort Sill in ryetta his guardian saw to it that for men. He was one of the the Old Indian Territory. He dif- he was located in a comfortable home fered in nowise from any other Creek on thirty-six acres of farm land near Indian baby, and was educated in that city. the love of the woods the same as personal charge over the affairs of contributions to all war aids. Today the other Indian children with whom the swarthy multi-millionaire and he is a millionaire in Liberty and he was reared. saw to it that he had a housekeeper.

Six years ago off was first discov- a body servant, and a special cook ered on his original allotment of The home was pleasantly furnished, land near Glenn Pool. Riches began the little farm stocked with live

to pour upon him from these oil- stock and poultry, and altogether life By E. Leslie Gilliams, in Leslie's) wells in such magnitude that he had was made pleasant and carefree such is the distinction that Jackson meant. All that he realized at first dious white man. Barnett, of Henryette, Oklahoma, was that he had no reason to want During the pas To his credit in Washington for anything. The government, how- wells on his lands have gushed forth there is more than \$4,000,000, to ever, then stepped in, realizing that more than 14,000,000 barrels of

enough to suit even the most fasti-During the past six years the oil-

reaching close to \$50,000 a month.

When the government, after on Esstand call for financial assistance Jackson Barnett, full-blooded Cherokee, an swered as readily as did the younge When the Cherokee moved to Hen- members of his tribe answer the call of Okmulgee county citizens to show his patriotism in the purchase of Liberty bonds, and by most liberal he is a millionaire in Liberty and Victory bonds alone, owning more than \$1,500,000 of them.

True toil is true leisure

The guardian assumed

Unused Tools,

"If deconstructures the old tervare, "the fast thing A knowed as ANCE LAST SUNDAY, home as I researcher it," an elderly An was standar theah my bilite in PREVIOUS SUNDAY, business man who had been visiting one han' an' de rabbut in de otheah." there having of his boyhood said to a "What if cours concretention had friend, "The lawn issue area for, seen you, parson?" he was asked. dead, and the garden that father man of God. "that wouldn't a made took so much pride in is overgrown with hurdocks and brambles. The 'gasion to do as A's says an' not as orchard is growing old like the rest Ah does." most of the tiers and shrubs are "Wellof us, but there's fine fruit there still. tive, but he hasn't used it."

we can neglect. Not long ago a New strictest tenets of her religion is that York banker stopped his car it a which forbids divorce. Just how sin farmhouse to mak his way in the woman who came to the door he rec-may be judged by the fact that at ognized Attelia Webster, an old schoolmate whom he remembered as Fire," known as Zerephath in Bound naving been the provider and bright. Brood, N. J., it is wicked to have est girl in the academy they had both Christmas trees, to go the theater, attended. She was a failed, slatternly to dance, to play cards, to rouge, to woman, and her bruse was bl-kept smoke, to drink, to read novels. and unattractive. Her visites res has always been this way, even be-minded her that she had led her fore the sun of enjoyment in these classes in history and he came and United States was overcast by the had even written creditable postry. "I never read aroth is now except. Yet it is not dealed among the

that," she said dully. the girls come to me with their subis upon the grounds of desertion. Kent and their hard questions, but i'm too White has been in England the pasrusty to help them note. The work seven years doing spiritualistic work round the notice restore that ' (10) and Bishop White has made several tend to."

ence. The knowledge and cultivation and is said to be envious of her elethat her school course had given her vation to a bishopic in the "Pillspoems welcome at the office of the divorce suit. village paper, and that might have been a priceless resource in her maturer years. She was less attractive, less happy, less useful, than God had selling the Lee pneumatic tires, which intended she should be. The tumble- are guaranteed to be puncture-proof. down tool house with its array of Thin pieces of steel and brass are unused, rusty toola-what is it but a mixed in the rubber casing fully, symbol of unused faculties, of a protecting the tube against nails and skrunken and withered soul?

dred yellow tulips next spring near puncture-proofs. There's a reason, Pittsburgh will plant sixteen hun-Neptune Fountain in Schenley Park in the form of two large gold stars. in memory of Pittsburgh soldiers who fought and fell in the World War.

to church one Sunday morning w a rabbit jumped up beside the read inscribed on the monument before instinct proved stranger than religious training; forgotten was the ED TO BE PRESENT AT SUNDAY

they die." This is a inightly shall of highers frighting, forgotten case in the proof is the barghters should arise to the or casion. Increase is clother, his Blub, forgotter is sub-of of FIFTY-THREE IN ATTENDmend the rabble. "An' thale Ah was," he related af: ANCE LAST SUNDAY OVER THE

' said the chose-hued

And now here is Bishop Alma though the trees need priming. But the saddest thing I snw was the col-tool house. It's falling to pieces, and known as the "Pillar of Fire—a subthe custy tools hang there-bansed. limated form of Methodism the mem- eternity to wipe out. Oh, the sins Sam has had all the equipment father hers of which are called by the un- of the world! ever had to make the place attract rodly "Holy Jumpers"here is Bishov tive, but he hasn't used it." Alma White sueing her husband Garden tools are not the only ones. Kent White, for divorce, when one of

It

the newspaper and not much of "Holy Jumpers" that Bishop White "Sometimes is sueing her husband for divorce.

Amelia's prettiness of accepted to see him, to plead with him to re-aprightiness of analysis had also turn. But he will not. He has ever peared - killed by surging multifer- refused to see her when she called. might have been invaluable to her as of Fire." Bishop White recently went a mother, but she had never used on another pilurimage to England to them. Killed, too, was the imagina- plead with him to return and his tion that had ouce made her little continued refusal has resulted in the and less than on-chalf of one per cent.

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glass. A well-known eitizen bought one on trial. He has since equipped the other three wheels with

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CENTRAL

METHODIST

CHURCH

WARCH 13, 1921.

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NO EVENING SERVICE. CON

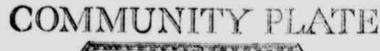
That terrible traxedy being un-Greensboro is about the nastlest thing that has occurred in the state stain has been left that will require

But what I started out to say was not to contribute to the circulation and spreading of the dirty business. but to contemplate for just a moment how eagerly the public await. grasp and become absorbed in the published details of this crime against decent society of the state. I walked through the long train, pulling out of the station at Greensboro, Thursday morning, f or Raleigh. Every seat was taken by a passenger. Every living thing had in his or her hand a copy of the morning paper, completely absorbed in the court proceedings that concerned the dirty Lexington affair. So absorbed, two passengers forgot to quit the train at their destination. After the passengers read the account, some seemed to be re-reading the account as if they sought to memorize it; and the balance engaged in analyzing the testimony and unravel the ungodly affair.

Had the leading article concerned the generous act of a millionaire giving to the cause of education, or the cause of the Christian church, or the cause of suffering humanity, or for the relief of distressed humanity, probably not ten per cent of the passengers would have seen the story. would have considered it of sufficient moment to discuss it with his fellow passenger.

Scandal, vice, infidelity, corruption and crime never want for an audi-ence to breathlessly follow their doings on the stage of action. And in every town there seems to be maintained an official circle of gossipers who feel it their bounden duty Lee to keep alive the smut and slime and pass it along. And some of these folks think themselves important en-Decent society is a long sufferer.

> England is planning to harness the ocean tides for water power.





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