

Despite the use of his machine and the youngster held the tree with one hand and clutched the rope of the struggling kite with the other.

The tree was an especially tall one, higher than the nearby housetops, in fact, and as the branches were not obligingly situated the boy concluded to wait until he was discovered. While he spent the afternoon in the cold, all kinds of rumors were reaching his home. One was to the effect that George was seen flying over the Schuykill in tow of the kite, while others were that he was going in the direction of Chestnut hill.

His relatives and boy companions scoured the hills and woods until near nightfall, and finally James Brogan, a neighbor, who was making a short cut over the hills, heard his cry for help and rescued him from the tree by means of spliced ladders.

The boy was blue from cold and his hands and body were cut and bruised. He was taken home and Dr. R. B. Lentz was called in to attend him.

#### Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of The Surry County Loan and Trust Company will be held at ten o'clock Wednesday morning January 18, 1911  
Geo. D. Fawcett,  
Sec.

#### Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The regular annual meeting of the shareholders of The First National Bank of Mount Airy will be held at ten o'clock Tuesday morning January 10, 1911.  
T. G. Fawcett,  
Cashier.

#### Judge Walker Dead.

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 29.—Judge Seth Walker, of Chattanooga, Tenn., died at noon today at St. Mary's hospital. The body was taken south by his son, Seth Walker, Jr. tonight.

After successfully negotiating the course once Martin was blown far to the south of the field, where he narrowly escaped disaster several times among the high wires and trees. By skillful maneuvering of his machine he finally tacked back to the course and the crash came as he was trying to make a landing.

Two or three thousand men and women were within a few feet of him when he dashed into the wire fence just in front of the grandstand. Latham was in front of the judges' box when Martin brought his machine to earth.

Latham saw the danger and rushing out, caught hold of the machine and desperately tried to turn it away from the fence, but miscalculated its speed and was dashed to the ground. The running gear of the machine, which weighs 900 pounds, missed Latham's face only by a few inches, and Martin and his biplane sped into the fence with force enough to break the iron posts upon which the wire was stretched. Martin was hurled over the fence, but was unhurt.

#### Hospitals For Insane Ask \$190,000 Increase.

Raleigh, Dec. 29.—The annual report of the state board of charities recommends to the general assembly that the appropriation for the maintenance of the three state hospitals for the insane be increased from \$545,000 to \$685,000, and insists that there should be additional room provided at the Raleigh hospital and at the Goldsboro hospital for negroes. The board wants a \$50,000 receiving building provided where special cases can be received and specially treated by experts.

The board recommends a parole board to relieve the governor of the pardon burden.

**DeWitt's** White **Salve**

livestock, two branches of farming of particular importance in Western North Carolina, but he is an all round agriculturist.

Mr. Mason is to work in co-operation with the North Carolina Commissioner of Agriculture and the United States Agricultural Department, and with all other agencies in advancing the farm interests of his territory. An important feature of his work will be co-operation with Mr. M. A. Hayes, Agent of Land and Industrial Department of the Southern Railway, with headquarters at Harrisburg, Pa., who is devoting special attention to soliciting farm settlers for Western North Carolina. Mr. Mason will visit all such new settlers and advise them as to the lines along which they can work to the best advantage in their new homes.

#### Two and a Half Million are Hungry in China.

Washington, Dec. 29.—An affecting picture of the ravages of the famine in China is afforded by a report to the state department by the American consul at Nanking, enclosing extracts from the Shanghai newspapers. The consul says that the famine is even more severe than that of three years ago, since it affects a larger territory (seven counties in the northern part of the province Anhui Kiangsu), and a greater population, in this case numbering 2,500,000 persons.

The famine is owing to serious floods last summer, which utterly destroyed the autumn crops. The roads are filled with refugees who, in many cases in their desperation, are robbing and plundering the villages where food-stuffs and money are to be found.

#### Death in Roaring Fire.

may not result from the work of firebugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the quickest surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at E. H.

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Rheumatism is usually manifested in the joints and muscles. It is here its sharpest twinges of pain are felt, and stiffening of ligaments and tendons first commence. The pain of Rheumatism is caused by the contact of the sensory nerves with the gritty, acid formation which uric acid causes to accumulate in the corpuscles of the blood about the joints. The stiffening of muscles and joints is usually gradual. Constantly the blood deposits the uric acid into the joints, and slowly the natural fluids are dried up and destroyed. Then Rheumatism becomes chronic and serious. Rheumatism is sometimes inherited, for like all blood diseases it can be transmitted to offspring. This explains why some persons are afflicted with the disease, and suffer its pains, who have otherwise been perfectly healthy.

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throbbing muscles and painful joints, and filters out of the circulation the irritating matter which causes every painful symptom of the disease. When the blood has been purified and enriched by S.S.S., it nourishes the different members that have been weakened and starved because of imperfect blood.

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#### Wilmington Orders Compulsory Vaccination.

Wilmington, Jan. 2. At a meeting of the board of aldermen held this afternoon, compulsory vaccination was ordered for the city of Wilmington and City Superintendent of Health Aekerman was instructed to employ all assistance needed to carry out the orders of the board. An appropriation of \$10,000 was made to employ special officers to guard houses where there is small pox. A guard will be placed at the front and back of each residence and day and night guards will be kept on duty. The su-

day at the present time there are 126 cases of smallpox in Wilmington, it being confined nearly altogether to the negro sections. So far there has not been a death from the disease. The authorities found that it was a rare thing for a negro to be vaccinated, unless compelled to do so and decided that the only way to prevent the disease from spreading was to order compulsory vaccination.



Notice.  
By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Surry County as Commissioner and Adm. of John T. Matthews decd. I will sell at public auction on the premises on Saturday the 4th day of February 1911 at 10 o'clock p. m. the following real estate to wit lying in Surry County N. C.

1st. tract adjoining M. L. Matthews, T. F. Reeves L. K. and C. C. Matthews being the home place of said John T. Matthews decd. containing 40 acres more or less.

2nd tract adjoining the above tract C. H. Mooney S. J. Atkinson L. K. and C. C. Matthews and other containing 70 acres more or less.

The above land will be sold subject to the widows dower and the homestead right of the minor heirs. Terms of sale 1-2 cash 1-4 in six months and the remainder in 12 months, said land will be sold for assets to pay debts.

This December 30th 1910.  
C. C. Matthews,  
Comr. and Admr.

Demand CREMO for your milk cow. Accept no substitute. You will make a serious mistake if you do. Your retail Merchant will supply you.

#### Administrators Notice.

Having qualified as Administrators on the estate of W. D. Haymore, decd notice is hereby given to all parties owing the estate to make immediate payment to save cost, and all persons holding claims against the estate to present them properly proven in the time prescribed by law of this notice will be plead in bar of their collection.

This Jan. 3, 1911.  
W. B. Haymore,  
Adm. W. D. Haymore, decd

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