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MONDAY EVENING, MARCH 31, 1919.

Well at least the P. M. General announced an increase in the telegraph tolls and didn't camouflage an increase under the guise of reduction as was the case in the long distance talk business.

The Tobacco Board of Trade's endorsement of the good roads bond issue is not quite a 16 to 1 proposition but almost: It stands 11 to 1.—There is food for thought in such odds.

One objection to Uncle Sam's management of railroads, wires and other public utilities is that the old man reserves the privilege of increasing the freight without permitting the dear people any time to wrangle.

The announcement coming from Raleigh that there are 17,000 insurance agents in the State should convince the fellow who hasn't yet fortified himself with adequate protection that excuses won't go with that army of wind-jammers.

Well the first morning on the new clock time made a fellow feel somewhat like kicking the alarm machine out of the window, but then the second day will come easier and before the week is out the average mortal will forget that he lost a whole hour Saturday night.

The Morganton News-Herald has discovered that the lack of a good road leading out to a bridge where a construction force is at work in Burke County has cost Morganton approximately a million dollars in loss of trade from the contractors alone.—To be sure if all such losses could be accurately computed, they'd make the average knocker seek a hole and the friends of progress and do-something-ness, who are championing the cause of good roads, stronger fighters.

SCHOOLS NULLIFYING TIME LAW.

The Federal Department of Education thinks so much of the value of the back-lot gardens and their material contribution to the food supply of the world, that a corps of experienced educators are doing field work in the interest of such gardens.

Only last week Regional Director Frank Harper of the United States Army Garden was in Kinston in conference with the local school authorities in regard to the work. Mr. Harper was for eleven years superintendent of the Raleigh City Schools.

One of the objects of the daylight saving plan is to promote the city gardening work and make it possible for shop, factory and office folk to till their back yards. Under the inspiration of the agitation in 1918 and the opportunity afforded by the extra hour in the evenings for work, most every vacant plot in the cities of the country was made to bloom and produce.

In spite of the foregoing the Kinston schools are partially nullifying the good effects of the law by altering the hours. The boys and girls of the Kinston schools, who may be persuaded and who may be interested in gardening, will have thirty minutes a day less to work than will those in other localities where the law is being observed by the schools.

The Free Press believes that the schools ought to be exemplars of progress and patriotism and leaders in those forward movements whose good points require vision to appreciate fully.

WILL DO THEIR PART.

Secretary Carter Glass has every confidence in the American press to help Uncle Sam pull the forthcoming victory loan over the top.—And Mr. Glass will not be disappointed. No agency in the country has done more than has the loyal press—and the great bulk of it has been loyal to the core—in making possible the success of the government undertakings which transformed the United States from a peace abiding nation to a most formidable fighting machine.

The Victory Loan will succeed like the others. Some people may not at first realize why it is necessary for the Government to keep on calling for money after the war is over. It will be made apparent to them, however, that the sons of countless American homes are still in France and on foreign soil and the good faith of their home folks is pledged to see them safely back home and to see to it that they do not want for a thing that is needed to keep them in good health and happiness while they are standing guard on the Rhine.

The press will do its part.—And so will the people.

The circus is coming on election day but good citizens can see to it that their vote is cast before they go to the performance.

There is a demand for a real peace league being sounded by some half hearted supporters of note. Of course nobody wants a make-belief league.

Make This Test For Acid-Stomach

There are millions of people who suffer almost daily from the horrors of an acid-stomach—indigestion; sour, gassy, stomach; distressing heart-burn; sickening food-repeating; painful bloating and that miserable, puffed up, lumpy feeling after eating. Many of these people have tried treatment after treatment; medicine after medicine; others have gone to doctors and stomach specialists and some to hospitals but in spite of all of their efforts they have obtained no lasting relief or a permanent cure.

These symptoms simply mean acid-stomach. If allowed to run on, they are very likely to cause a lot of serious trouble. Dyspepsia, rheumatism, gout, lumbago, sciatica, splitting headache, dizzy spells, nervousness, sleeplessness, mental depression, melancholia, a feeling of listlessness and all-goneness—these are just a few of the disorders which can be traced to acid-stomach. As a matter of fact, acid-stomach is often the direct cause of those almost incurable conditions known as catarrh of the stomach, intestinal ulcer, and cancer of the stomach. The lives of those who suffer from these serious troubles are nothing short of daily agony. Surely, then, you must see how important it is to go at once to the seat of the trouble—acid-stomach. You know what acid-

mouth does to the teeth—how it eats right through the hard enamel and causes them to decay. Think then of the havoc that must be caused by excess acid in the stomach!

Even if you are not suffering any immediate stomach pains, but are not feeling just as fit and fine as you should, you should by all means make this test: go to your drug store at once and get a big box of EATONIC. It is in the form of pleasant-tasting tablets—you eat them like a bit of candy. EATONIC is prepared for just one purpose—correcting acid-stomach by driving out the excess acid. EATONIC literally absorbs the excess acid. It brings instant relief from the pains of indigestion, heartburn, belching, sour, gassy stomach, bloating, etc. It makes the stomach pure, sweet, cool and comfortable, puts it in a normal, healthy condition, so that your food is properly digested. You need every bit of strength you can possibly get out of the food you eat—and EATONIC helps you get it.

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"But I feel now like I am good for many years yet, for Tanlac has fixed me up so I can eat any and everything without any bad after effects and since gas has stopped forming in my stomach I am not troubled with palpitations or shortness of breath. I have gained six pounds already and am working hard on my farm every day now and am glad to recommend Tanlac for the wonderful way it has helped me."

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"I don't wanta," he replied lazily. "If I did folks would pester me all the time to show 'em goods." "Thus did an old Missouri store-keeper pay unconscious tribute to the business getting value of advertising. He missed a lot of business, of course, but there's another side of it.

Lots of people who really wanted this particular brand of coffee were unable to get it because no one ever told them where it was to be had.

You know yourself that it would take you twice as long to shop if there were no advertisements to guide you in your buying. You wouldn't know where to start. You'd miss a lot of good value just because no one ever told you about them.

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