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**MUCH TO BE DONE.**

The statements of Dr. Stiles, of the Country Life Commission here, as to the North Carolina death rate and the way the statement was received in certain quarters has, as we predicted, brought forth more comment of an adverse kind than would have been the case had we accepted the statements of Dr. Stiles as coming from a man who was sincere in their utterance, and was trying to do us good. And now, since all the evidence is in, it has been shown conclusively that the doctor knew what he was talking about. That he was not only sincere in his utterances but had, besides his own personal observation and experience, the facts and figures behind him, has been demonstrated.

We can understand the spirit which objects to any criticism of southern methods and conditions, especially when the criticism comes from the outside, but there is nothing to be gained by that kind of "patriotism," a patriotism which refuses to see our faults. The Atlanta Constitution well says in discussing this subject:

"There is nothing to be accomplished by concealment of the fact that from a sanitary standpoint there is much to be done to bring the south abreast of the times. However disagreeable it may be, we have got to recognize it and meet it—and go about applying the remedy."

"With cooling time, Gov. Glenn of North Carolina, doubtless realizes that he made a mistake when he attacked the country life commission because it pointed out the south's sanitary defects and produced the unquestioned statistics in support of its assertions. There is scarce a thinking southerner who will not agree that he jumped too quickly to the wrong track."

"Statistics of southern cities show that their death rates are excessive in comparison with those of the north; the same is true of the country districts."

"In the south conditions have contributed to make the death rate large. One of these—the chief ones—is the presence in large numbers of the negro race and its characteristic indifference to the commonest sanitary precautions."

"Figures show the death rate among the negroes in southern cities is 50 to 100 per cent greater than among the whites, a fact which, in a measure, is responsible for the excess in the white death rate above that recorded in the better regulated cities of the north."

"But disease is spread by contact and by dissemination of the germs from those who are its victims. These people are the cooks, the nurses, and the intimate household employes of the white race; the two races come into contact, more or less close, not only in the home, but on the street cars, upon the streets, in business, in fact at almost every point of routine daily life."

"Therefore the work involved becomes not only a question of humanity, but one of self-protection."

"The south must wake up to the presence of these undesirable and dangerous conditions and set about the work of correction."

"There is, just now, no more serious phase of the race question than that which involves proper sanitation, or the lack of it."

"It does not need to be proven that the more dirt and filth men tolerate, the more they weaken and die. It is rather to be admitted and shown that this condition exists among us to a greater degree than it should, and that its fatal consequences are too terribly apparent."

"If the country life commission has succeeded in adding to the sense of realization of these dangers, which is in the state of its first awakening, it has done a laudable work."

**"THIEVES AND HOGS"**

In response to the suggestion of Mr. Taft that consumers appear before the ways and means committee of congress and press their claims regarding the proposed revision of the tariff schedules, Mr. Charles Francis Adams has written to Representative McCall of Massachusetts, as follows: Having in mind the fact that those who want the tariff to remain as they

are, or be increased, appear before the committee in throngs, while the reformer and those who desire reduction stay away:

"You, my dear Mr. McCall, know perfectly well the reason for this. Those first referred to are directly and pecuniarily interested, and as such naturally divided into two classes. Speaking after the fashion of men, they are either thieves or hogs. I myself belong to the former class. I am a tariff thief, and I have a license to steal. It bears the broad seal of the United States, and is what is known as the Dingley tariff. I stole under it yesterday; I am stealing under it today; I propose to steal under it tomorrow. The government has forced me into this position and I both do and shall take full advantage of it." The other class, he says, "comes under the hog category; that is, they rush squealing and struggling to the great Washington protection trough and with all four feet in it they proceed to gobble the well."

It is particularly noticeable that the "hogs" are now rushing before the committee and clamoring for a hearing and urging the "protection" of their special interests. Mr. Adams, while admitting himself a "thief" by virtue of the law, says he would "like to see every tariff schedule, including his own, swept out of existence," but says if he went to Washington on a public mission of that sort he would receive from the committee "scarcely a respectful hearing, if any hearing at all," and that thousands of persons feel that way and that they cannot afford to go to Washington and "ask to be heard before a committee which they know in advance is both prejudiced and packed against them."

Mr. Adams states matters rather abruptly but the hearings the committee have been giving seem to bear him out in his contention that the committee only cares to hear the clamorings of the "thieves and hogs" and that the actual reformers as represented by the consumers are not specially desired by the committee to come before them.

A St. Louis husband of the weak and docile kind tried to learn to swear because his wife thought it was a manly habit and expressed admiration for men who were proficient in profanity. But he couldn't master the language and now he wants a divorce, we suppose, because he is unable to please her in this respect. It is a new plea, but having done his best and failed, he certainly has some grounds for desiring a separation.

The "lone bandit" has entered a new field. In Chicago the other night a man entered a gambling room where sixty gamblers were playing and at the point of a pistol relieved the crowd of all their money, about \$4,000. Well versed in a species of robbery themselves, the game was a new one to the gamblers and their wits deserted them in the playing.

An Indiana butcher has become conscience-stricken and has inserted an advertisement in the papers begging the forgiveness of all the people he has wronged and offering to make restitution. But he doesn't belong to the beef trust.

**DECEMBER MAGAZINES**

The Strand Magazine. The Christmas number of the Strand Magazine is strong in fiction and those articles of a curious and unusual nature which have come to be associated with this popular monthly. The most prominent place is given to Hall Caine's new novel, "The White Christ," of which no less than 12 chapters, excellently illustrated, are given. The story opens well and should prove one of the most enthralling serials of the year. Other fiction is supplied by E. Phillips Oppenheim, Edward Price Bell,

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E. Frankfort Moore and E. Nesbit. A very original and entertaining article is one entitled "Tales with Tangrams," by Henry E. Dudeney. Possibly very few readers know what Tangrams are and will be none the wiser when they are told that it is a "fashionable Chinese puzzle." Briefly the science of Tangrams is the art of rearranging a square which has been cut up into seven sections, and some pictures which can be made out of these scraps of black or colored paper are very amusing and ingenious. Mr. Dudeney relates by means of Tangrams various interesting stories dealing with Gretina Green and "Bohinda's Lovers," and also gives "The House that Jack Built." It is related that Napoleon when banished to St. Helena "being now in a debilitated state and living very retired," passed many hours a day in exercising his patience and ingenuity with the game of Tangrams. Another article which will attract considerable attention is "An Esperanto City," being a forecast made by Dr. Carl Hoffender regarding the "universal language." "Evergreens" is the somewhat curious title of an article by the Hon. Mrs. Fitzroy Stewart dealing with women who have defied time and retained their beauty to an advanced age. The illustrations to this feature are printed in color. Winston Churchill concludes "My African Journey," his last paper dealing with exciting encounters with hippopotami—a forecast of what our president may expect when he covers the same ground next year. Harry Furniss continues his "Comic Side of Crime" and "Beautiful Homes and Gardens" deals with the historic and magnificent estate of the Duke of Norfolk.

**A White Woman in Cannibal-Land.**

Miss Annie Ker tells some gruesome stories in the Wide World Magazine for December about her experience in a land peopled with cannibals. "The village of Wedau," she says, "where I disembarked, had been, not many years before, the scene of frequent cannibal feasts, and I have many photographs which illustrate the methods by which hapless captives were carried off the fields in the bad old days, to be afterwards cooked and eaten. The victim, sometimes only stuned or wounded, was lashed by the hands and feet to a stout pole, which was borne on men's shoulders through the village. Sometimes several of these unhappy wretches were captured at a time, and the treatment they received before being mercifully killed was cruel to a degree. Samuela Algeri, a Wedaunan Christian, once related to me incidents of great barbarity which had taken place in the village in connection with the slaughter of a man taken prisoner by the villagers. The poor wretch asked in vain for water to drink, and was stoned and otherwise tormented for a considerable time before being given the coup de grace. This was customary." It is interesting to learn from Miss Ker's article that girls as well as boys learn cooking in Wedau at a very early age.

**Young's Magazine.**

A fat fiction number for the holidays, of 22 complete stories and a novelette, is offered by Young's Magazine, in its December issue, presenting a unique collection of realistic tales unfurling human in their emotions, ranging from chuckling comedy to blackest tragedy, from the exclusive circles of smart society to the sordidness of an East Side dive, and from the Orient to "little old New York." "The Witch-Women," the month's novelette, is a powerful, strange story of a vampire creature, a beautiful, litesome girl of heavily-lidded glances and soft allurements, who transforms a fine, clean, ambitious young man into a cringing, soulless man-thing, until finally he but it's all in the story. "The Two Teddies" is a story of that unpleasant topic, "the social sore," and "A Woman's Revenge," by Maurus Jokai, is an intensely emotional piece of work, an exciting yarn with an un-falling whirl of action and unflagging interest. "An Understanding" is one of Inez Thompson's brilliant society stories told with a vividness that make her characters live before your eyes. Delaney, the elegant, blasé, penniless clubman, reappears in Forest Halsey's "An Up-to-date Good Samaritan," and in audacious contrast is "For Love of a Moslem Lady," by Oubrey Lanston, a scene from the harem with clever Oriental atmosphere. There are four French translations of decidedly modern flavor, a page of laughs with theatrical people and philosophy of love and life in "At the Sign of Eros."

**CRINKLEY'S STORE NEWS.**

Bowls and Pitchers, 60c., 75c., 90c., \$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.75.  
 Men's Dressy Rain Coats, \$6.25, \$7.50  
 Bed Blankets and Comforts.  
 Ingersoll Watches, Latest Models.  
 Heating Stoves, \$1.35 to \$8.00.  
 Trunk and Bag Headquarters.  
 Men's Stylish Patent Leather Shoes, \$1.75 up.  
 LADIES' HATS AND CAPS.  
 MEN'S HATS AND CAPS.  
 CARPET DEPARTMENT.  
 9x12 Axminster Rug, \$20.00.  
 9x12 Brussels Rug, \$11.50.  
 9x11 Brussels Rug, \$10.00.  
 9x12 Pro. Brussels Rug, \$6.00.  
 9x12 Wool Ingrain Rugs, \$6.50.  
 9x12 Cotton Ingrain Rugs, \$3.80.  
 FURNITURE.  
 Reed Rocker, Specials, \$2.70, \$3.40.  
 Round Dining Table, \$10.00.

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**FOR THANKSGIVING:**

TURKEY ROASTERS.  
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 Thos. H. Briggs & Sons,  
 The Big Hardware Men,  
 RALEIGH, N. C.

**PAIN**

Pain in the head—pain anywhere, has its cause, also usually, in blood pressure—nothing else usually. At least, says Dr. Shoop, and to prove it he has created a little pink tablet, that tablet—called Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—cures blood pressure away from pain centers. No effect is obtained, possibly, if the patient, though safely, it surely equalizes the blood circulation.

If you have a headache, it's blood pressure. If it's painful periods with women, same cause. If you are nervous, restless, nervous, it's blood congestion—blood pressure. That purely is a certainty for Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets stop it in 20 minutes, and the tablets simply disperse the unnatural blood pressure.

Brush your finger, and doesn't get red, and swell, and pain goes. Of course it does. It's congestion, blood pressure. You'll find it where pain is—always. It's simply common sense.

We sell at 25 cents, and cheerfully recommend

**Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets**  
**HENRY T. HICKS**

**VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.**

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of the County of Wake, made at October term, 1908, in an action there-in pending in which G. W. Britt is plaintiff and Cornelia Price and others are defendants, the undersigned commissioners, who were appointed in said decree, will offer for sale at the courthouse door of said County of Wake, at 12 o'clock, noon, on Saturday the 13th day of December, 1908, the following described real estate in the City of Raleigh, to-wit:

That lot of land, with the houses located thereon, situate at the South-east corner of the intersection of South Blount and East Davie streets in said city, fronting 105 feet on said Blount street and 132 feet on said Davie street, and being parallelogram in shape, and being the same lot of land conveyed by Eugene Grissom and wife to Cornelia Price, trustee, by a deed recorded in the register's office of Wake County in Book 125, at page 502, which is referred to as part of this notice.

The terms of sale are: One-half of the purchase money cash; the other half with interest from day of sale to be paid within six months from day of sale, note to be given therefor by the purchaser, and the title reserved until all of the purchase money with interest is paid.

This November 7, 1908.  
 R. L. RAY,  
 J. N. HOLDING,  
 Commissioners.  
 Daily t. d. s.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF HARDEN & HOLDER.**

By order of the Superior Court of Wake County, North Carolina, dated November 13, 1908, made in an action in said court, wherein J. R. Holder is plaintiff and George M. Harden is defendant, the undersigned, J. W. Harden, was appointed receiver of the partnership theretofore existing between said J. R. Holder and George M. Harden and of its business and of all the property, assets and effects of the same, and pursuant to said order notice is hereby given to all the creditors of said partnership to present and make proof to the undersigned as such receiver of their respective claims against said partnership, on or before Thursday, January 14, 1909. All persons indebted to said partnership are hereby notified to make prompt payment to the undersigned as such receiver.

This November 18, 1908.  
 J. W. HARDEN,  
 Receiver of Harden & Holder, at Raleigh Banking & Trust Co., Raleigh, N. C.  
 d. 33 days.

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Beginning at a point in the centre of said Newbern Road, said point being opposite a stone on the North side of said road (this being the Southeast corner of the tract of land sold to Malinda Howle by Edmond Womack and Andrew Turner), runs thence along the old Thomas Jenkins' (now Howle's) line North 4° 30' East 656 feet to a stone, thence West 254 feet to a stone, thence North 4° East 561 feet to a stone, formerly a red oak, thence North 5° 45' East 2139 feet to a stone on the East side of a drain ditch (Leach's corner), thence along Leach's line North 85° 30' West 1303 feet to a stone on the South side of a path, and about 165 feet East from the centre of Curtis Branch (Mahler's corner in Leach's line), thence along Mahler's line South 3° 30' West 3193 feet to a point in the centre of said Newbern Road, opposite a stone on the North side of said road, thence along the centre of said Newbern Road South 71° East 800 feet; South 78° 30' East 202 feet; North 89° East 490 feet to the beginning, containing 96 and 75-100 acres, more or less, according to survey on November 26th, 1906, by W. C. Riddick, civil engineer, and being the same land conveyed by W. Thomas Howle to Mrs. Maggie Lee Starling by deed registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County in Book 212, at Page 245.

Said farm is well timbered and embraces a 4-room residence, a tenant house, a 2-room barn, stables and a well of water.

Time of Sale—12 o'clock M.  
 Place of Sale—County court-house door in Raleigh, N. C.  
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**NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE.**

With the consent and at the request of mortgagors and under and by virtue of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed from M. R. Wiggins and Susie May Wiggins, his wife, and H. E. Cole and Virginia D. Cole, his wife, dated August 23, 1907, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wake County in Book No. 220, page 186, default having been made in the payment of two of the notes secured by said mortgage deed; one falling due February 23, 1908, and another falling due August 23, 1907, the undersigned, as attorney for the mortgagee, will on MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1908, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, sell at the courthouse door in the city of Raleigh, N. C., to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lot or parcel of land, the same being described as follows:

A certain piece or tract of land lying and being in Raleigh Township, Wake County, the same being now within the corporate limits of the city of Raleigh, and being lots No. 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 of Block No. 5, according to a certain map dated June 30, 1906, made by Riddick & Mann, which map is recorded in Book of Maps, 1885, of Wake County, at page 78 of the Register of Deed's office of Wake County, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of Glenwood Avenue and Devereux Street, running thence North along West side of Glenwood Avenue one hundred and fifty-two and four-tenths (152.4) feet; thence West along the line between lots 21 and 22 to an alley; thence South along the East side of said alley one hundred and sixty-eight (168) feet to Devereux street; thence East along northside of Devereux Street one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the beginning.

This 29th day of October, 1908.  
 A. B. ANDREWS, JR.,  
 Attorney for Mortgagee.

**VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.**

By virtue of authority conferred by a certain Deed of Trust from Miller E. Starling and Maggie Lee Starling, his wife, dated December 4th, 1906, and registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Wake County, N. C., in book 212, at page 246, I will on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1908, sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash, all that tract of land on the North side of the Newbern Road (also called the Smithfield or Rock Quarry Road) in St. Mary's Township, Wake County, North Carolina, about three miles southeast of the city of Raleigh, and bounded by a line as follows:

Beginning at a point in the centre of said Newbern Road, said point being opposite a stone on the North side of said road (this being the Southeast corner of the tract of land sold to Malinda Howle by Edmond Womack and Andrew Turner), runs thence along the old Thomas Jenkins' (now Howle's) line North 4° 30' East 656 feet to a stone, thence West 254 feet to a stone, thence North 4° East 561 feet to a stone, formerly a red oak, thence North 5° 45' East 2139 feet to a stone on the East side of a drain ditch (Leach's corner), thence along Leach's line North 85° 30' West 1303 feet to a stone on the South side of a path, and about 165 feet East from the centre of Curtis Branch (Mahler's corner in Leach's line), thence along Mahler's line South 3° 30' West 3193 feet to a point in the centre of said Newbern Road, opposite a stone on the North side of said road, thence along the centre of said Newbern Road South 71° East 800 feet; South 78° 30' East 202 feet; North 89° East 490 feet to the beginning, containing 96 and 75-100 acres, more or less, according to survey on November 26th, 1906, by W. C. Riddick, civil engineer, and being the same land conveyed by W. Thomas Howle to Mrs. Maggie Lee Starling by deed registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County in Book 212, at Page 245.

Said farm is well timbered and embraces a 4-room residence, a tenant house, a 2-room barn, stables and a well of water.

Time of Sale—12 o'clock M.  
 Place of Sale—County court-house door in Raleigh, N. C.  
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