

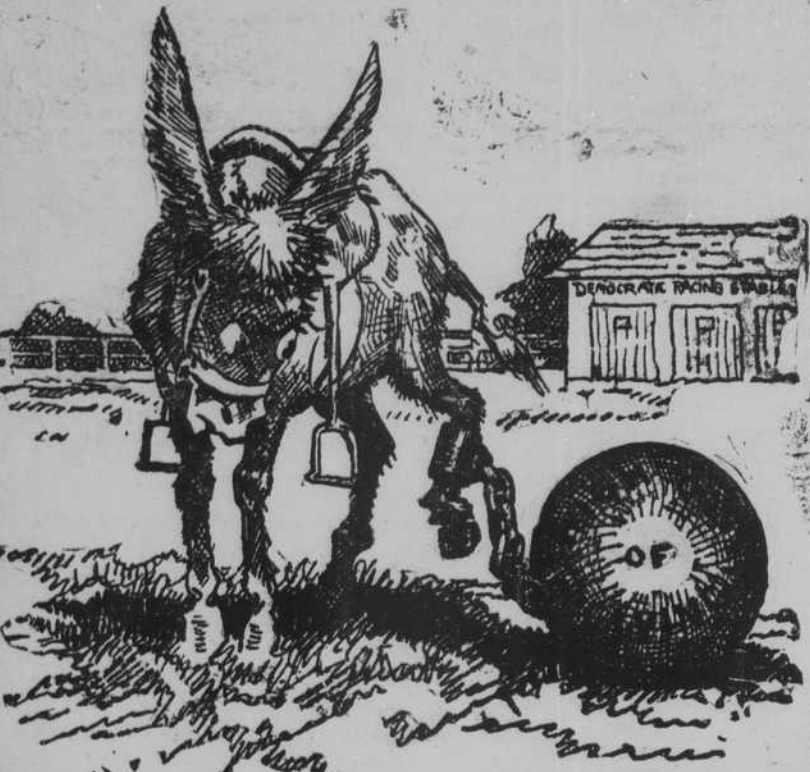
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"How Can I Win, With This Chained to My Leg?"



Grant E. Hamilton of Judge

BIG RICE SURPLUS IN CHINA

\$10,000,000 Worth of Grain Stored in One City; American Buyers Hold Back.

Hongkong.—Hongkong has been stocked with rice bought for export and held for a rise in prices even during the rice shortage, which has become serious in some cities of southern China and other parts of the Orient.

The manager of a big commercial firm here estimated that there was more than \$10,000,000 worth of Saigon "long" rice stored in Hongkong.

Recently the price fell rapidly and dealers and exporters found themselves loaded up with rice while the banks were pressing for the payment of bills. Japan was not able to buy owing to the tightness of her money market, and it was stated that America, ordinarily one of the largest buyers of rice in this market, has ceased to purchase because she had obtained a sufficient supply.

There were food riots in Shanghai in the latter part of June owing to the high prices of rice there. On June 29 there was only a four days' supply of rice available in Shanghai.

WHAT THE ANTIS DON'T TELL YOU

Anti-suffragists tell you that between 1916 and 1918 the Socialist vote increased 22 per cent. So it did, but what the antis don't tell you is that the increase came in the year 1916-1917, when women were not voting.

The Socialist state vote for governor in 1915 was 28,623 less than the city vote alone for mayor in 1917.

City vote:
1918, for governor..... 83,578
1917, for mayor..... 145,828
1918, for governor..... 86,427

A decrease of 58,901 in the city Socialist vote in the year women voted.

If you are going to disfranchise anybody for being a Socialist, disfranchise the men. They contribute the bulk of Socialist votes.

Population of Tennessee Over Twenty-one Years of Age

White women, 419,646. Colored women, 122,707. Therefore, there are 296,939 more white women in Tennessee than colored, or more than three times as many white as colored women.

White women, 419,646. Colored men and women, 241,849. Therefore, there are 177,797 more white women in Tennessee than colored men and women together.

Monster Hailstones.

Norwalk, O.—Reports from various parts of the country indicate that the largest hailstones on record fell in this district during a storm on Thursday. Near Weaver's Corners two hailstones, each said to be as large as a cricket ball, penetrated the roof of a farm

Finds Freak Corncob.

Muscotah, Kan.—A "freak" corncob, one half of which nature had painted a deep red and left the other half white, was found here by Alex Willis while selecting and shelling seed corn. The ear was of Reed's yellow dent variety, was mature and well developed. The two colors blended perfectly.

Where the Dead Exceed the Living.

Wilmington, O.—Wilmington's city of the dead has a greater population than Wilmington's city of the living, according to census figures. There are 5,071 sleeping the long sleep in Sugar Grove cemetery while Uncle Sam's enumerators counted only 4,257 persons living in the town.

GREATEST PLANE MOTOR IN WORLD

Most Powerful Airplane Engine Ever Built in United States Made in Detroit.

Capable of Driving Machine at 200 Miles an Hour, Says Designer, One of Liberty Motor Creators—is Fireproof.

Detroit.—A new 500-600 horsepower airplane engine, the most powerful ever built in this country and the most powerful in the world except for a few racing freaks, has been completed here. It is expected to develop speeds far greater than anything yet achieved. In addition it is fireproof, and it can be started "cold" after a long dive, thus ending two of the greatest dangers that aviators have had to face.

This announcement was authorized by Col. Jesse G. Vincent, designer of the engine, who is known as one of the creators of the Liberty motor.

The new engine, in spite of its great power, is no freak. It is intended for steady, long-time service, either for heavy duty or for great speed, and is designed for American quantity production methods.

Made for General Use.

While the men who are handling the new engine expect that it will push a plane at least 200 miles an hour, the engine was not designed for this purpose alone, and is capable of wide and general use. It weighs only 1,040 pounds per horsepower.

The lessons which Colonel Vincent learned during the war in his study of the actual performance of the Liberty motor, as well as of the best makes from both allied and enemy countries, are embodied in this design, and as a result there are several notable advances.

Most important is that the motor is fireproof for all civil purposes. This has been attained by putting the carburetor below and outside of the crank case, with all vents outside the cowling so that there is no possibility of conflagration from a back fire. This arrangement also has the advantages that it gives gravity feed, thereby eliminating the weight of extra piping and of the feed pump, and that it makes the carburetor much more accessible.

Exhaust Valves Changed.

Another change has been in providing two inlet and two exhaust valves for each cylinder, instead of one. The result has been a bigger and steadier flow of gas to the cylinders, and a very high mean effective pressure even at great speed. A double finger valve lift is used, and this permits changes in the cam-shaft and rocker-arm mechanism which make this engine much superior to any predecessor in the troublesome matter of leakage from the cam-shaft housing.

A third change is in the use of a single duplex carburetor, instead of the usual two carburetors. The difficulty of synchronizing the throttle and altitude controls of two carburetors has always been a bugbear to aviators, but it had been felt that two or more were necessary to give the requisite flow of gas. It has been found in the tests, however, that this single duplex gives splendid economy and other details which, in the opinion of Colonel Vincent, fully justify the design. He predicts that it will promptly become a standard practice with airplane en-

Members Of Williams Family Have Reunion

About 55 members of the Williams family, descendants of Jesse Williams and his wife Ruth, held a reunion at the home of Aunt Lou Williams in East Bend Saturday. The inclement weather prevented many from attending but all present had a joyous time.

Mr. Monroe Williams and wife of Cummitts, Ga., were present. He is a son of Jesse Williams and a brother of the late Franklin Williams of East Bend and also brother of Mr. Ellis Williams who lives near King Knobs. Monroe Williams left this county 49 years ago and settled in Georgia, where he has been since and this is his first visit back to Yadkin county. Dr. John L. Williams and wife of Guilford College were present. Mrs. Williams was formerly Miss Annie Edgerton a minister of the Friends church, and well and favorable known in Yadkin county. Mrs. W. A. Hall, Miss Gertrude Hall and Master Fred Hall of Yadkinville were present, and these constituted the company from outside East Bend.

Mrs. Hall and children say that everybody greatly enjoyed the occasion and that good things to eat were there in abundance and a long table was spread on the porch and dinner served after Mrs. Dr. Williams returned thanks.

Mr. Monroe Williams and wife left Sunday for their home in Georgia.

Former Yadkin Lady Dies at Elkin at 88

Elkin, Aug. 17.—Mrs. Mary Pearson Poindexter, familiarly known as "Aunt Pop," died at the home of her daughter Mrs. W. M. Cundiff Friday night at the age of 88 years. She was the oldest person living in Elkin.

Nearly all her life was spent near Richmond Hill in Yadkin county the famous Judge Pearson's law school. She was a consecrated christian woman and loved by all who knew her.

It Pays To Advertise

Wouldn't it be helpful if one could tell at a glance whether the fair feminine persons who has caught our eye is a maiden willing to wed, a widow who is inconsolable, or one who is willing to be consoled? They have it arranged that way in Japan.

The Japanese women have certain ways or arranging the hair to indicate their state and feelings, and as they do not wear hats, all who run may read. Girls who would wed arrange their hair in front in the form of a fan or butterfly, and adorn it with silver or colored ornaments. Widows who are also looking for second husbands fasten their hair at the back of the head by means of tortoise shell pins, and widows who are resolved to remain faithful to their departed spouses cut their hair short and wear no ornaments in it.

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Prescilla Ashley dec'd this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within one year from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons owing said estate are requested to settle at once. This July 31, 1920.

C. D. Ashley, Administrator of Prescilla Ashley deceased

Brewer Boys Convicted Sentenced To Prison

Lexington, N. C., Aug. 12—Wm. Brewer and his two sons Charles and Harvey were convicted here last night of performing a criminal operation on young Robert Hudson a few weeks ago. William Brewer was given ten years at hard labor in the state penitentiary and his two sons were given 15 years each at the same place.

The crime was one of the most heinous in this state in many years and completely shocked this community when it perpetrated.

Bolt Hits Revival; Kills 2 Preachers

Laporte, Ind., Aug. 10—"If lightning should strike this tent to-night how many would be ready for it? the Rev. John Timber, evangelist, of Jackson, Mich. asked a congregation of Free Methodist crowding a tent at Springville here last night. Outside a storm was threatening.

A few moments later a bolt of lightning entered the canvas top killed two ministers on the platform, burned the Rev. Mr. Timber dangerously and knocked down many of the worshippers.

Fancy Farming Costume.

The picture of Cox dressed in a silk shirt, white collar and stiff straw hat out in the field shocking wheat will catch the farmer vote, it is so true to life.—Pittsburg Gazette New.

Gaston Chevrolet Sets A New World's Record

Columbus, O., I.—Gaston Chevrolet sets a new world's record for 139 miles over a dirt track here, today when it covered the distance without a stop in 89 minutes and 23 seconds.

"He'll Keep Us Out Of War," Cox's Slogan

Dayton, Aug. 9.—Another "keep us out of war" campaign is the plan of Geyenor James M. Cox and Democratic leaders.

The success which greeted the 1916 slogan of "He kept us out of war" has determined the use of a slogan as nearly like it as possible. The old one is to be replaced in this campaign by "He'll keep us out of war," a slogan based upon the Democratic claim that ratification of the Wilson covenant of the League of Nations will result in world peace.

Good Prices Coming

Mr. Tom Pepper, proprietor of Pepper's Warehouse, at Winston-Salem, was in Yadkinville last week talking with the farmers with reference to the 1920 crop of tobacco, which is now beginning to be saved by the farmers. Mr. Pepper assured the farmers that they may expect good prices for their product when the warehouses open, which will be some time he said a little after the first of September.

Mr. Pepper experienced a very great success with his warehouse last year, which was the first year but expects even more business the coming season, when the present coop is marketed.

Yadkin County Civil Court Calendar For August

FOR TRIAL

Thursday, Aug. 26.

Benbow & Hanes	29	P. H. Norman vs Universal Auto Co
Womble		
Williams & Reavis	40	Oxwell Ceteine Co. vs J. G. Huff
Benbow		
Williams & Reavis	41	W. M. Story vs D. E. Dobbins
Reece		
Williams & Reavis	43	Oxwell Co. vs J. M. Whittington
Benbow & Hanes		
Barker	59	Vanhoy vs Pinnix
Williams & Reavis & Hanes		

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Barker	69	Chatham vs Cook et al
Williams & Reavis	71	Booker vs Booker
Hendren	94	Adams vs Adams
James	95	Elkin Eational Bank vs J. H. Mackie
Purveyar, Hanes & Benbow		
Wilson	96	Merchants Bank & T. Co. vs Adams
Williams & Reavis	97	Universal Auto Co. vs Cummings

Motion Docket

Williams & Reavis	1	Isaac Jenkins vs Gaston Horn et al
Stewart		
Benbow & Hanes	6	Thomas Craft vs Margaret Williams, Adair
R. C. Puryear		
Benbow & Hanes, Reece & Holton	8	Mackie vs Hodges
Benbow & Hanes, Reece & Holton	9	Logan vs Hodges
Benbow & Hanes and Reece	23	Holleman vs Speaks
Williams & Reavis		
Barker	42	Brown-Greer Garage Co. vs Barranger Garage Co.
Benbow & Hanes	44	Speer vs Joyner
Reece		
Williams & Reavis	76	Childress vs Stinson
Reece		
Williams & Reavis	77	Childress vs Childress
Parrish	79	Willis vs Watkins
Williams & Reavis		
Hendren	82	Greenwood vs Greenwood
Williams & Reavis		
Williams & Reavis & Hanes	88	Mackie vs Nicks
Reece		
Hendren, Williams & Reavis	93	Shore vs Shore

Witnesses are not required to attend until day set for trial of case in which they are subpoenaed.

J. L. GRATER, Clerk.