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THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER

By MRS. THEO. B. DAVIS

In a recent publication I read that no man is really educated unless he has the desire to share his knowledge by using it to help others. Maybe I have been too hard on those persons who insist upon giving advice upon any and every subject.

But if we are really interested in the welfare of others, it is hard not to give advice; hard to keep from remonstrance when we see them making what we think are mistakes; hard to merely let them all alone.

Probably one great reason that mothers-in-law are so dreaded is that they are so deeply anxious for the young folks to make a success in every phase of life—though a part of it may be plain bossiness.

It pays to advertise. I honestly believe that statement. Two weeks ago I said in this column I hoped to have an herb garden some day. On Monday after the paper was published Mrs. T. Y. Puryear, our Pleasant Hill correspondent, sent me some thyme plants for that garden, with some flower slips. The thyme was so sweet I pinched off some of the shoots to put in a vase on the table. Then a few days later came a card from Gladys Baker, on an R. F. D. route, saying she has borage, dill, catnip, tansy, flag, spearmint, sweet fennel, sweet basil and summer savory—and will divide with me. I am delighted and shall go out there just as soon as possible. Down at Hilliard's pond I found pennyroyal, some of which I brought home and set out. Almost before you know it that herb garden will be flourishing. As regards further donations for it, my name is Jimmy.

Pennyroyal, as you may already know, will keep fleas away from the cat's box, if sprigs of it are placed therein fairly often. And it or the extract will kill fleas in the fur of any animal. But, if used, don't make the mistake we did once with our collie. Scrubbing her with the pennyroyal infusion, we began on her body. The fleas rushed toward her head and into her ears. She simply went crazy. I thought she and the children were all going to have fits. After that we carefully put the pennyroyal around her ears first to drive the pests from them before putting her into the tub. Of course there are a good many other remedies for fleas, but one doesn't mind smelling pennyroyal and it is not greasy.

Doesn't thinking of herbs remind you of the ancient Jews, tithing mint and anise and cummin?

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Bunn and daughter, Margaret, who were called several weeks ago to Elizabethtown to be with Mrs. Bunn's mother, Mrs. F. A. C. McLeod, during her critical illness and subsequent death, have returned home.

Learn to see in another's calamity the ills which you should avoid.—Publius Syrus.

Democrats Have a Great Convention

The Democratic State convention held in Raleigh on last Thursday was largely attended. Speeches were made by Senators Reynolds and Bailey, Hon. Cameron Morrison, Ambassador Daniels, Harold Cooley and others. More than 3,000 were in the auditorium, which was partially cooled by several tons of ice in the ventilating system. Harmony was said to be greatly in evidence.

The platform adopted endorsed state and national administrations, pledged support to the schools and favored increase of teachers' salaries as soon as possible, called for study of plans of unemployment insurance and old age pensions. The New Deal was lauded. No mention was made of the liquor problem nor of the sales tax.

Bootlegging Gasoline

An effort is being made in this state to stop the importation of gas from Virginia. The fact that gasoline costs five or six cents more to the gallon in N. C. than in Va. causes the trouble. After this it will be unlawful to come across the border with more than is in the tank of the car, and officers will try to see that none is smuggled in. Those found carrying more than the amount allowed will be required to pay the tax assessed in this state.

Negro Lynched In the North

Manchester, Mass., June 26.—A negro man was accused of striking a white man who intruded at an ice cream supper given by negroes. Reports said a number of white men went to the festival to break it up. One of them cursed Dick Wilkerson, negro farm hand and felled him with a club. A few hours later his body was found in an oat field. It had been stripped of clothing, shot four times and beaten with an axe. Eight men have been arrested for lynching the negro.

And this happened in the North.

Official Ballot Second Primary

FOR SOLICITOR, STATE SENATOR AND MEMBERS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

For Solicitor
Seventh Judicial District
(Vote for one)
WILLIAM Y. BICKETT
J. C. LITTLE

For State Senator
(Vote for one)
L. Y. BALLENTINE
CARROLL W. WEATHERS

For Members of State House of Representatives

(Vote for three)
MRS. STELLA K. BARBEE
DR. S. E. DOUGLASS
CLARENCE E. MITCHELL
E. M. THOMPSON
J. SHERWOOD UPCHURCH
W. BRANTLEY WOMBLE

REVIVAL CONTINUES AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Revival services have been in progress at the Zebulon Baptist church since Sunday. Services are held twice each day, 8:00 o'clock in the morning and evening. Rev. Sam T. Habel, pastor of the Nashville Baptist church, is doing the preaching. Mr. Habel is a young man and is an earnest preacher. Considering the unusual hot weather and the rush of work among the farmers, the attendance has been good.

The meetings naturally are handicapped by the absence of Pastor Herring Tuesday. He was taken ill rather suddenly Tuesday and was not able to attend the services. At this time he is somewhat better. The meetings will continue through next Sunday.

D. V. B. S. Final

The closing exercises of the Daily Vacation Bible School were held on Monday night just before the preaching service, and greatly pleased the audience. Grouped by departments and directed by Mrs. F. E. Bunn, Mrs. Iscar Strickland and Mrs. Raymond Pippin, with Miss Inez Pitts at the piano, the children gave Bible drills, stories, memory verses and songs with promptness and precision.

There were 115 enrolled in the school with an average attendance of 88. An enjoyable feature of last week was a picnic on Friday at Lake Myra.

Certificates were given to all who attended with gold stars for perfect attendance.

The faculty of the school wish to again express their appreciation for the co-operation by the community. Milk, ice, lemonade, cars for taking the children to the picnic were all furnished without cost, and were gratefully accepted.

Fidelis Class Meeting

Mrs. Buck Fuller delightfully entertained the Fidelis class of Wakefield Baptist church at the monthly business meeting in her home near Louisburg. Miss Jane Hoyle sang "A Hymn of Thanks" by E. Ketter. Mrs. A. S. Bridgers told about the Associational meeting at Flat Rock. Officers for the coming year were elected. After the business session Mrs. P. P. Pace entertained the class with several musical selections. Following the music the hostess invited the class into the dining room where she served them iced tea and sandwiches. She was assisted in serving by her sisters, Misses Margaret and Savon Eddins. The dining room was lovely in its delicate color scheme of green and white.

The Central Circle of the Baptist W.M. S. met on Tuesday p. m., in the home of Mrs. F. E. Bunn, with seven present. Mrs. A. S. Hinton presided over the business session. The day's topic was the same as that discussed by the Northside circle and was presented by Mrs. T. B. Davis. It was decided to take a mission study book at circle meetings. During a pleasant social hour the hostess served iced tea and sandwiches.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Cockrell.

Time Limit Is Extended For Tagging Cotton

Cotton which was harvested and ginned before June 1, 1934, may be transported or sold before July 1 without bale tags, but thereafter all cotton must be tagged before it can be moved or sold.

The time for tagging had originally been set for June 1, but an extension was granted at the request of AAA authorities.

Cotton produced and ginned before June 1 will not be subject to the 50 per cent Bank head tax but must be tagged and accounted for just the same as cotton produced this year, according to Dean I. O. Schaub of State College.

The tags will show who produced the cotton and when and where. Taxable cotton will be so marked. Exempt cotton will be tagged as to show that it was either produced before June 1 or else came with in the allotment of the grower.

Application blanks for bale tags have been supplied most of the county agents. Growers with cotton should fill out the blanks and the agents will send a man around in a few days to tag their cotton.

The dean also pointed out that a number of growers have been confused by the figures sent them in the notice accompanying their rental checks. Many seem to think that the "farm allotment" refers to the amount of cotton they may raise this year.

Such is not the case, the "farm allotment," or "domestic allotment" is that portion of the normal crop that has been sold within the United States in average years. The portion was figured at 40 per cent of the average production of the base period.

This 40 per cent is the amount of cotton on which the government is making parity payments of not less than one cent a pound to growers who signed reduction contracts.

New CCC Ruling

Enrollment for CCC work last year was based on the promise of the applicant to send home \$25.00 of the monthly cash wages. That same promise must be made this year, with the additional proviso that none of the money sent home is to be returned to the sender. Boys in camp are furnished so much free that they are said to need little money to spend and the fact that many families have sent back to them the money the boys were supposed to contribute to family support meant that many unnecessary things were bought. Radios, golfing equipment and fishing tackle made some camps look more like pleasure resorts than places of work. And the CCC boys are employed as a part of the relief program, which makes such spending highly inconsistent.

Chicken Thief

H. Spicer, of Narrows, Va., declares that bullfrogs have stolen a number of his frying-size chickens, diving with them into the water of a pond at the edge of the chicken yard. Draining the pool revealed 12 chickens at the bottom and 40 frogs were killed.

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By The Swashbuckler

(CENSORED, B' HECK)

Vote for Cooley On July 7th

The congressional primary is over; the real election approaches. A special election for the short term has been called for July 7—Saturday of next week.

Harold D. Cooley is the Democratic nominee and it is expected that every good Democrat will go to the polls July 7 and vote for him. There are no Pou Democrats or Zollicoffer or Cooley Democrats in this election. All are, or should be, just Democrats—loyal to the nominee of the party and zealous to cast a vote for him.

It is easy to say that the district is safely Democratic and that one more vote won't make any difference. If every Democrat in the district takes that attitude the district will not be Democratic at all. A good man is running on the Republican ticket and some sections of the fourth district will give him a majority.

The Courier-Journal urges all its and vote. Give the new congress- readers to go to the polls July 7 man a vote which will assure him prestige in Washington. It won't do Harold Cooley any good, but it will greatly benefit the district by enabling him to serve his constituents better.

And while thinking about the special election July 7, don't forget the second primary in Wake county tomorrow—June 30. Full legislative delegation and a solicitor must be named. Copy of the official ticket will be found elsewhere in this paper.

Revenue Offices To Greensboro

Raleigh, June 26.—An effort has been made for sometime to move the U. S. Revenue office from Raleigh to Greensboro. At last it has been accomplished and the office will be moved July 15. The office force comprises about 85 employees including the field force and the payroll means considerable money to be spent in the city favored with its location.

Greensboro has a new postoffice building that has ample space to accommodate the revenue department. Raleigh's postoffice is already crowded and for sometime efforts have been made to secure an appropriation to enlarge it. This change of the revenue department means that the postoffice in Raleigh will not need to be enlarged at this time.