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FRIDAY,

## THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER

By Mrs. THEO. B. DAVIS

Have you been to one of those demonstration dinners that men representing various manufacturers of cooking ware have been putting on in this section? If not, you've missed something.

First of all, I admire the cleverness of the idea. After you "have eaten the salt and the bread," not to mention the beef, onions, potatoes, carrots and apple sauce served by the smiling gentleman you simply cannot be so rude as not to listen to the eloquent description of the many and great advantages to be derived from using their utensils and to the numerous involved explanations of essential elements of food preserved in some magical manner in the process of being cooked in those wonderful containers. Mere politeness requires filling out a card with your name and address and the courteous reception of the salesman when he calls to break gently to you the news of the price of the entire set. From then on you must, as the man urged me to do, "let your conscience be your guide." With me it was not more a matter of conscience than of purse. The iron Dutch oven and skillet will have to serve this branch of the Davis family a while longer, health or no health.

However, I do really want to try that round cooker that is big enough to use in canning. May Corbett told me her mother has one and I intend to go over there and ask Mrs. Narron to let me try it myself and see if I can get the heat up to the proper temperature for canning a few old hens that seem to think they are ladies of leisure out in our chicken yard. If it will tenderize one I have in mind I shall give the manufacturer a free testimonial in this column. Until then I am from Missouri.

One funny thing happened at the meal we were served by the cooking man. My husband got mixed on the carrots and enthusiastically praised the ones not cooked the new way. You see, he doesn't like carrots anyway, and the more flavor they lose the better they taste to him.

If you ever want a game that is screamingly funny try the one that I saw played—and tried to help play—last Monday night after a class meeting at Mrs. Willard White's. Mrs. Corbett had us line up in two groups and gave each group the outer part of a small matchbox. The stunt was for the leaders to fit these boxes on their noses and without touching the hands to them transfer them to the noses of those next in line. These in turn passed the boxes in the same manner to those next them, the line finishing first winning. A dropped box or one touched by the hands meant having to start all over. It was the craziest per-

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## Club News

The general meeting of the Women's Club for November will be held on next Tuesday p. m. at 3:30 with the Garden Department in charge of the program. Mrs. Hinton has arranged for speakers who will be heard with pleasure and profit. A good attendance is earnestly desired.

Mrs. Hinton requests that all club members having plants or shrubs for exchange or donation bring them to the general meeting on next Tuesday p. m. You may be able in this way to secure some flowers that you especially desire.

Members of the Wendell Garden Club are expected to present the program.

The meeting of the Department of Literature of the Woman's Club on Tuesday night was of unusual interest. In addition to members present there were a number of prospective members invited as well as the entire membership of the Junior Club. This resulted in a greatly increased attendance.

Mrs. F. E. Bunn, Chm., presented Mrs. R. E. Pippin, who spoke on Short Stories of the South, the subject for the evening, and gave a brief review of The Captain Stories of the Black Border, by Ambrose Gonzales.

Miss Velma Presslar of Wake- ton's faculty spoke on Days Off in Dixie, by Archibald Rutledge, naturalist and writer, emphasizing his powers of description and his deep love for his native section.

Mrs. C. V. Whitley discussed Under the Levee, a volume of short stories by Earl Sparling, giving the plot and reading selections from one.

Mrs. C. E. Flowers gave a reading of the Civil War period, bringing to a conclusion an enjoyable and instructive program.

Registration of guests showed a tie between Mrs. Flowers and Mrs. Lela Horton as to prospective members; the prize, a pair of pickle forks, was therefore divided between them.

Several new names were added to the roll. It was voted to hold future meetings of this department at night instead of afternoon until further notice.

At the close of the meeting Mesdames J. K. Barow, C. E. Flowers, R. H. Herring and E. C. Daniel served refreshments and the social hour brought to a pleasant close the first joint meeting of the two women's clubs.

## Church Debt To Be Paid Soon

The campaign for paying the debt on the Zebulon Baptist Church is progressing in a fine way, and the canvassing committees hope to reach the final goal in the next few days. Payment of subscriptions are coming in freely and there is a confident spirit that it will all be secured by continued effort and cooperation.

The pastor and his helpers greatly appreciate the hearty response they have met with in this undertaking.

## CHURCH NEWS

### BAPTIST

The drive to secure funds for paying the entire indebtedness on the Baptist building will probably be satisfactorily completed at an early date.

There were four additions to the membership on last Sunday—Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blount and Mr. and Mrs. Ray, all by letter.

The Y. W. A. met on Monday night with Miss Ruby Dawson.

The Fidelis Matrons Class met for a business session on Monday night in the home of Mrs. Willard White with Mrs. G. K. Corbett joint hostess. A contest was decided upon to run for several months, points to be based on the six-point record system with extra points for new members.

The Sunday School Association of the Raleigh Association will meet with the Sunday School here on the afternoon of Sunday, Dec. 2. All who are concerned about this phase of work are invited to attend.

Next Monday p. m. is the time for meetings of the Northside and Central missionary circles. Members are urged to bear this notice in mind.

### HALES CHAPEL

There will be a special Thanksgiving service at Hales Chapel on Next Sunday p. m. Sunday School will also be in the p. m., beginning at 2:00 o'clock. An offering for the Orphanage will be taken.

### METHODIST

Because of the absence of pastor Read who is at Conference until Monday there will be no preaching service in the Methodist Church next Sunday. Other services will be held at the usual hours.

## Antone's Sale

Have you been in Antone's Department store lately? Well, he is putting on a big fall sale of merchandise and his prices are very attractive. If you are going to need anything in dry goods, clothes, shoes and such, see him before you buy. And don't fail to read his full page advertisement on the back page of this copy of the Record.

## Potato Oddities

In our shop are two unusual potatoes. The first, brought in by Herman Carter is about the size of a child's arm and is remarkable chiefly for its length of about 20 inches.

The second potato was grown by Joe Knott and is coiled into the almost perfect semblance of a snake with head erect and long, slender tail emerging from the coils. But for eyes and fangs being absent we should hate to have it on our desk.

We shall probably eat the long potato; but we should have to be extra hungry to find the coiled snaky one appetizing. It looks too much alive.

## Does Your School Want \$250.00?

If so, the Zebulon Record has a plan by which you may get it.

There are 4000 families in the territory served by this paper. Of these 3,000 ought to have the Record.

Now here is how your school, class or any organization may easily earn from \$100 to \$500. We will publish a special issue for your school with interesting facts about it. We will send you enough copies to supply every family in the school district. You are to see that these copies are sent to each home.

Then tell the parents that the paper will give your school and community news each week. Besides that there will be interesting county, state and national news.

But best of all a fine serial begins in this week's Record. It will run for several months. The story itself is worth far more than the cost of the paper.

You collect \$1 for each subscription. Keep half of it, and send us the balance. This is an opportunity for your school, or class or society to "mop up" several hundred good easily earned dollars.

Superintendents, get your teachers together, make your plans, send for sample copies, send in your school news, and make the needed money, for your library, band, athletics and other things you've been wanting so long.

## News Briefs

### Relief Funds

Gov. Ehringhaus is expected to recommend to the next General Assembly the setting aside of funds to supplement the federal relief appropriations for this state. If adopted, this will be the first instance of the kind in this state.

### New Building for Woman's College

Contracts have been let totaling more than \$100,000 for the erection of a new alumnae building at the Woman's College and work is to begin at an early date. A PWA grant of \$31,400 will be used a part of the building fund.

### Markets Closing

A number of tobacco markets in the eastern belt will close this week, as buyers find it necessary to go to Kentucky for the openings there. Prices in the middle belt in N. C. and in Danville, Va., continue good.

### Fog Lifts

Londoners are rejoicing over the lifting of fog so heavy that shipping service in the city had to be suspended. Accustomed as the city is to fogs, this was much worse than usual.

### In Georgia

President Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt have gone to Warm Springs, Ga., for a two weeks vacation. On their arrival last Sunday night they were greeted by crowds at the station, rejoicing to welcome them.

The Leaning Tower of Pisa (Italy) which has added nearly a foot to its inclination during the past 100 years, is now over 14 feet out of plumb.



Found a letter in my mail box one morning this week and its being unusual in nature, thought you might like to be in on it.

Dear Mr. Swashbuckler:

Since you seem (I said "seem") to be an authority on the subject of "Where and When to Neck" I am writing you in the mutual interest of my boy friend and me.

He is not of the bashful type, nor is he by any means a "bull o' the woods" but every time we go for a moonlight drive he refuses to neck. That is, he fails to respond to the natural impulses of mutual adoration as I think he should. This has been going on for several months and we have been parking on an average of twice a week near a deserted house where few people ever go.

I am not unattractive for I've been judged good-looking by the most popular of judges, public opinion. Other boys like to date and caress me but my one big moment fails to reciprocate amorous and tactful hints and advances.

What can I do, he just refuses to pet, neck, love, and whatever else there may be that is to be done by two people in love. What, if you can tell me, am I to do?

Anxious

Dear Anxiety Plus:

Your case is one for the psychologist. Not merely just another psychologist, but one experienced in such matters (like unto myself).

His labedo needs turning outward. (Don't get excited, that's just a technical term we psyc's use).

You'll have to start him off slowly as an over-dose might be just as exasperating as the case is now.

Take him to New York and let him rubberneck.

Then let him rubyourneck.

Try parking somewhere else. I couldn't even get romantic in the vicinity of a haunted house.

Try under the shade of a darkened floor lamp.

Get some curves like Mae West's.

And don't put up any danger signs.

Maybe your lips say yes and your eyes say onay.

That was what Mae's trouble was before I sent her to Hollywood.

Practice stretching so that your physique will show.

If this doesn't work, then you'd better send for the mortician. He's either dead, a pansy, or a female.

Hope you are the same.

Swash (Dorothy Dix) Buckler