

SLATS' DIARY

Friday—a beautiful day. I like beautiful daze if I woodent hafta wark in a ole garden. I feel tired all the time now only wen I can go a-fishing. ma & pa is trying to get me to drink sassafras tee. They say it is to cure spring fever & makes fokes want to wark. I cant get the idee. I hope pa will drink a hole lot of it & want to do all the wark they are to do in the garden his summer. Washed my teeth off.



Saturday—ma sent me to the dentists shop to-day to see what cud he do for 1 of my teeta. I new what he coud do he wood pull it. but I went as ma tuk me to the dore & then went a shopping which was pa payday. I set in there & I was the nex 1. then a lady cum in & I in sisted she shud take my tern. & then a little child cum in which was suffing awe full & I let her have my tern. I believe in ladsy & children 1st as they say when a ship hits a iceberg. Then ma cum to the dore & ast me Was I ready & I sed yes. She sed what did he do to it. I sed Nothing I had gave my tern up to others. She sed yure a gonna get it when we get home. Dal. Not only my tooth hurts now.

Sunday—pa & ma including me went to see a nother littel babie. Whenever they are a new baby in town they want to go see it. Thissen was a week old & wile it was bigern my pup was it cudent stand up & beg like he does.

Monday—they was a church wedding tonite & are family tuk me to see it so I cud lern sum thung. As the bride & her opponent walked in a yung woman sung a song to them. pa sed ma What is that song. she replied & sed it is called Because. pa sed Huh this wont be the last time he hears that wurd believe me. Getting married is lots eazier than I thot. All you do is to hold hans & let the preacher do all the wark then you kiss 1 a nother & yure married for as long as you wanta to be. It is very solim.

Tuesday—Pa got a letter from a store where ma bys cloze. He calls it his monthly financial letter.

Wednesday—Teacher was explaning the wurd Chagrin (I looked in the dickshunary to spell it) and ast little Tony Dattillo to make a sentence with it in. Tony sed I meeta nice littla girl on da street, I smile to her and Chagrin.

Thursday—Washed teeth agen.

FRANCE AND GERMANY

(Charlotte Observer) The American people can very well afford to place confidence in the proposition that Marshal Foch, on behalf of the French government, is determined to be on hand for "the rendezvous" arranged with Germany on May 1. The mobilization of French troops has not been ordered as an idle threat. Belgium may be counted on to stand by France and it is probable that the government of Great Britain would be forced to keep step with the advance movement into German territory. Italy will not be inclined to further adventure with Germany, but if Germany fails to make good on the indemnity payment by the specified date the French military invasion is to be extended into the Ruhr district and possibly into Berlin. If France should have the company of Great Britain and Belgium, so much the better, but France is going, if she has to go alone. And the sympathy of all people familiar with past experiences suffered by the people of France at the hands of a victorious Germany will be wholeheartedly with France. She must exact full compliance from Germany at this time, or place herself in position inviting another conquest by Germany later on. France is now on top and the balance of the world wants to see France, backed by her allies, adjust a situation which will insure France staying on top for all time. It is now or never for France.

WILL PRINT A DAILY NEWS-PAPER IN THE AIR

Initial trials will soon be made in the publication of a daily newspaper from airplanes in flight, a new phase of journalism, says a dispatch from London. Airplanes will leave Paris and London daily. Machines from Paris will print editions of the Aerial Mail in French and those from England will print their copies in English. Batches of the papers will be dropped by parachute in Boulogne, Rouen, Amiens and other cities where there are subscribers. The machines will be equipped with wireless in addition to complete printing plants and will issue news of politics, finance, sport and that of a general character.

It is pleasing to learn that ears are coming back in style and that lovely women will soon be able to listen as well as talk.—Chicago Tribune.

The Dempsey-Carpentier bout will be fought in Jersey City Saturday, July 2.

"What right have you to wear that medal for bravery in combat?"

THE COLOMBIAN TREATY RATIFIED BY THE SENATE

The Colombian treaty, growing out of the partitioning of Panama, was ratified last week by the Senate. It provides for the payment by the United States of \$25,000,000 to the South American republic, but has yet to be approved by the Colombian assembly. The vote on ratification was 69 to 19, or 11 more than the necessary two-thirds majority.

The Harding administration, through ratification of the treaty, won its first fight in the Senate. The President in a message to the special session of the Senate March 9, five days after his inauguration, recommended ratification as "very helpful at the present time in promoting our friendly relationships." This recommendation was supplemented last week by Senator Lodge, the Republican leader, who in reply to attacks of Republican Senators of the progressive group, declared ratification of the pact was part of a great national foreign policy contemplated by President Harding "towards our neighbors in the southern and eastern hemisphere."

Forty Republicans were joined by 29 Democrats in voting for the ratification.

The final vote ended eight days of debate, the treaty by agreement having been taken up by the Senate immediately after the convening of the 67th Congress in extraordinary session. Opponents of ratification, composed largely of what is known in the Senate as the progressive Republican group, were vigorous in their denunciation of the pact throughout the discussion. They declared that its acceptance would place a stain on the name of Theodore Roosevelt, would be a useless squander of public money and would amount to compliance with "a blackmail demand on the part of Colombia."

IT WAS A GOOD YARN, ANYHOW

(Greensboro News) With mingled emotions we have read the editorial quoted below which appeared in the New York Times. Since the Daily News bit like the Times we shall engage the Times to do our explaining for us:

"A dispatch from Washington that was printed the other day—in the Times, alas! as well as in other papers—told about the death of an old negro, James Jones, who alone knew what became of the Great Seal of the Confederacy and who took the secret with him to the forever unresponsive grave.

"The tale had several merits, including, presumably, that of rehearsing with correctness the ancient negro's sincere belief. It lacked, however, the larger merit of being true as regards the seal, and several readers of the Times have been kind enough to give it indubitable proof that there is no mystery at all as to the place where anybody who chooses can see that reminder of the Lost Cause.

METHODISTS ADOPT TITHING TO RAISE FUNDS

Southern Methodism is looking largely to the spread of the tithing habit among her membership for the financial success of the Christian education movement which is now claiming the interest and attention of that denomination. Already more than 12,000 Methodists have signed stewardship cards signifying their intention of setting aside one-tenth of their incomes for charity and church work. The month of March was designated as stewardship month throughout Southern Methodism and during the month the 17,000 congregations of this church were urged to adopt the principles of tithing.

Leaders of the church have made many interesting comparisons and contrasts showing just what might be accomplished if every Methodist church member would tithe systematically. They show that the collection of \$33,000,000 would be a very simple matter if they could count upon the tithe of all Southern Methodist income. They say that the lowest wage of any group of workers recorded in the 1910 U. S. census is that of the Alabama waiters, 57 cents a day, and that if the membership of the Methodist Episcopal

APPLY SULPHUR ON YOUR ECZEMA SKIN

Costs Little and Overcomes Trouble Almost Over Night

Any breaking out of the skin, even fiery, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying Mentho-Sulphur, desires a noted skin specialist. Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It never fails to relieve the torment without delay. Sufferers from skin trouble should obtain a small jar of Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like cold cream.

Local Manager Wanted

Unusual Opportunity for Right Man

A large brokerage firm doing a successful business with dell-rated concerns throughout the country, wants a capable man at once to develop and handle their local business.

The opportunity is an unusual one because of the possibilities offered for substantial earnings in a highly respectable business which will steadily increase as it becomes more firmly established locally.

The position requires a man possessing executive and sales ability, with business experience and having commercial banking connections, although no investment is necessary. He may devote only a portion of his time to the business at first if desired, though we prefer a man who is able and willing to give the business his entire time and best efforts.

The local branch should pay from \$2500 to \$10,000 the first year, according to population and the ability of the manager, as the commodity which we handle is a staple, always in demand, and which our large buying facilities permit us to sell at less than average market prices.

Owing to the demand, we must fill this position at once. Send your application to Guarantee Coal Mining Co., 1337 Como Bldg., Chicago, Ill., but do not write unless you can satisfy us as to honesty, reputation and business ability.

Church, South, had only the per capita income of the 1910 Alabama waiters, and tithed it, there would be available for religious work each year \$36,811,250. This would provide all the money needed for the maintenance and current expense of the church each year, pay the total annual payment of the Centenary pledge, the annual payment of the Christian Education pledge, and leave a comfortable balance for other work. Two individual girls of \$200,000 has been announced before any funds have been solicited, and when the time comes for the financial campaign, May 29-June 5, it is predicted by those who ought to know that the total will exceed even the tithe represented by two million tithing Alabama waitresses.

A lot of men fail to recognize Opportunity because it knocks instead of flatters.—Hartford Times.

FLORESTON SHAMPOO. Creates a soft, creamy lather that cleanses the hair and scalp. Removes all dirt and dandruff, makes the hair soft, fluffy and easy to do up. See at Druggists, or by mail, Hissoc Chemical Works, Patheque, N. Y.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed on the 17th day of July, 1919, by C. C. Hardin and Lula Hardin, his wife, to W. A. Hewitt, to secure the payment of \$300.00, said mortgage being recorded in Book No. 84, page 486, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Caldwell county,

N. C., and default having been made in the payment of said note at its maturity, the undersigned assignee of W. A. Hewitt will sell at public auction at the court house door in Lenoir, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on

Wednesday, May 4th, 1921, at 1 p. m., the following tracts of land embraced in said mortgage, viz.:

First Tract—Beginning on a stone in A. D. Jones' line, said stone being 18 poles southwest of his white oak corner near Freemason creek, and runs south 46 west 42 1/2 poles to a stone, A. D. Jones' corner; thence south 53 1/2 east 64 poles to a stone in the old Connelly line; thence east 58 poles to a black gum on the bank of Freemason creek; thence up said creek with its meanders 36 poles to a stone, W. H. Fincannon's corner on the bank of Freemason creek; thence south 46 west 16 1/2 poles to a stone; thence north 44 west 70 poles to the beginning, containing 18 1/2 acres more or less.

Second Tract—Beginning on a rock, W. H. Fincannon's corner, and runs north 35 west 60 1/2 poles to a white oak near Freemason creek; thence north 59 west 13 1/2 poles to a rock; thence south 35 west 63 1/2 poles to a white oak; thence south 53 1/2 east 4 poles to the beginning,

corner W. H. Fincannon's line, containing 7 acres more or less.

This the 1st day of April, 1921. W. A. HEWITT, Mortgagee. C. M. ROWE, Assignee.

L. F. Klutz, Attorney, Newton, N. C.

STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND ENGINEERING. SUMMER SESSION—June 14th to July 27th. Courses for High School, Elementary and Prospective Teachers. Courses for College Entrance and College Credit. Catalogue upon application. Apply for reservations at once to W. A. Withers, Director Raleigh, N. C.

Think It Over

If you want good times to come stop thinking about hard times. Earn all you can. Spend with good judgment. Lay aside a part of your income.

A surplus in this bank will do more to ward off the bad effects of times like these than anything else.

Think it over.

Bank of Granite

J. W. Hoke, President R. R. Houck, Cashier GRANITE FALLS, N. C.

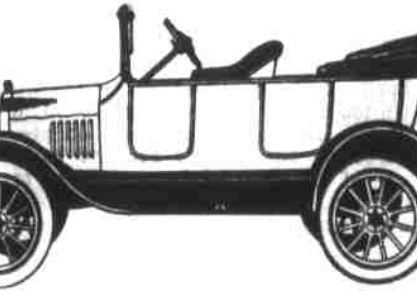
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Kill That Cold With HILL'S CASCARA QUININE FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe. Neglected Colds are Dangerous. Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze. Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache. Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's. ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION. State of North Carolina. Department of State. To all to whom these presents may come—Greeting: Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Hestine Drug Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the town of Lenoir, county of Caldwell, State of North Carolina (L. F. Stine being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, therefore, I, J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 4th day of April, 1921, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law. In testimony whereof, I have here-to set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1921.

J. BRYAN GRIMES, Secretary of State.

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Pile Sufferers. CAN YOU ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS? Do you know why ointments do not give you quick and lasting relief? Do you know the cause of piles is internal? That there is a stagnation of blood in the lower bowel? Do you know that there is a harmless internal tablet remedy discovered by Dr. Leonard and known as HEM-ROID, now sold by druggists generally, that is guaranteed? HEM-ROID banishes piles by removing the internal cause, by freeing blood circulation in the lower bowel. This simple home treatment has an almost unbelievable record for sure, safe and lasting relief to thousands of pile sick sufferers, and saves the needless pain and expense of an operation. There is no reason why it should not do the same for you. 30-2 BALLEW'S CASH PHARMACY.

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time during the day or before retiring. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores of the skin, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus driving a cold from the system. Try it the next time you suffer from a cold or the grip. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore safe and harmless.

RUB BACKACHE AND LUMBAGO RIGHT OUT

Rub Pain and Stiffness away with a small bottle of old honest St. Jacobs Liniment

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a 30 cent bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Liniment" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right into the pain or ache, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone. Don't stay crippled! This soothing, penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the ache and pain right out of your back and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin. Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica and lame back misery so promptly!

Home Sweet Home by Jack Wilson. A comic strip with four panels. Panel 1: A man says 'HEY POP, LET'S GO FISHING!' and the man replies 'YEA SAY?'. Panel 2: The man says 'NO! I BELIEVE IT'S GONNA RAIN' and the man replies 'WHILE I DIG SOME MORE WORMS'. Panel 3: The man asks 'YOU CALL UP THE POSTOFFICE AND ASK WHAT THE WEATHER IS' and the man replies 'ALL RIGHT, POP'. Panel 4: The man says 'WELL, IS IT GONNA RAIN OR NOT?' and the man replies 'THEY HAVENT MADE UP THEIR MIND YET - THEY APE UNDECIDED!'. Panel 5: The man says 'THAT'S FUNNY, I NEVER HEARD OF SUCH A FORECAST - WHAT DID THEY SAY?' and the man replies 'UNSETTLED!'.