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THEIR EFFORTS FAILED It is regrettable that an effort has been made to abolish the office of is more regrettable that personal matters were allowed to be the underlying cause that led to petitioning the board of county commissioners agent. The petition was signed largely by person who were not interested in farming. The county commission-

The office of the county agent has farmers of the county, who have ac- a movable headpiece as good as new. cepted the efforts of the agent and who have co-operated with him in carrying on his work. Hundreds of sponsible for improving methods and discovered, it is asserted by Pr of the farmers who have accepted State University.

agent. They show that they care world's oil supply is produced in the nothing for the business of farming United States. Much oil is imported PAPERING WALLS nor for those engaged in this great here from Mexico, second in oil probusiness. They were prompted not at a constantly decreasing rate each by public good, but by personal en- year mity. It is good that their efforts failed

the mountains into Watauga and sums other counties soon may be realized, is the belief now among those who are close to the road affairs of the stranger, "and I want to borrow the State. Such a highway has been five dollars. the dream of years. It traverses a Finally the banker, half from facloser business relationship between the southeast urged the proposition posit box to keep these things in. to a point where private interests undertook the construction of the A lost wind sighing in the wood.

The road when it was com- A wistful soul misunderstood. road. The road when it was completed formed the main artery of travel linking that section of North A rose half bloomed torn from its Carolian with the bigger portion of the State. It served the purpose of a railroad and hundreds of "mountain A free by storm wind overborne schooners" have hauled the produce A wreck wave-beaten on the shore. and mine products to Lenoir for sale A song forgotten and sung no more. or shipment. Later, as the Blowing Rock section was developed as a summer resort, the tourist travel added to the unceasing stream of people is 23 miles in length, leading from Oh, sad are these, but sadder yet Lenoir to Blowing Rock. The last Remorse that never can forget! nine miles of the road, or that which leads from the foot of the mountain; to the top, makes a clamb of nearly

the road is necessary to North Caro- Larmon, Pauline Corpening, Willie lina from a practical standpoint. It Corpening. Robert Crump, still serves a number of the "lost Green and Edgar Sigmon. A provinces" as their main route of travel. It still forms the connecting link between those counties and the SENATE PASSES A NEW FARM State. A hard-surfaced road along this route across the ridge to Boone would in a large measure redeem these counties to their mother State. These counties form rich storehouses that are necessary to other sections of the State. The time has come when the State should recognize them. It is believed that the time is here now. Let us hope so.

The outcome of the meeting of a committee of the State highway commission, soon to be held at Blowing ter. It would fall between June and Rock, will determine to a large extent this important question.

### METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

There is not much of interest transpiring. The church work is movtranspiring. The church work is moving along in the normal way. The usual services next Sunday, which we hope will be well attended. Subject at 11 a.m., "Wagons from Egypt Land;" subject at 8 p.m., "I don't want to go to heaven yet." Morning service one hour only. Evening service forty-five minutes.

E. R. WELCH, Pastor.

**CURIOUS ADVERTISEMENTS** Curiously worded advertisements which are funny without intent, are common in the London papers, it would seem. A contemporary recently offered a prize, says the Manchester Guardian, for the best collection of such announcements, and the following is the result:

"Annual sale now on. elsewhere to be cheated. Come in "A lady wants to sell her piano, as

she is going abroad in a strong iron frame

"For sale-a pianoforte, the property of a musician with carved legs. Wanted-a room by two gentlemen about thirty feet long and twenty feet broad."

Bulldog for sale; will eat anything; very fond of children. Wanted-by a respectable girl, her

"Mr. Brown, furrier, begs to anown skins.

Wanted-a boy to be partly outto discontinue the work of the county side and partly behind the counter."

agent. The petition was signed large. "Wanted—for summer, a cottage for a small family with good drain-

Last-near Highgate Archway, an | Dula leader. ers realized this and, without a dis-senting vote, passed adversely on the with a bent rib and bone handle." Widow in comfortable circum-

stances wishes to marry two sons," "To be disposed of, a small phaebeen made of great value to the ton, the property of a gentleman with ing in the same community for Fri-

> AMERICAN OIL WILL LAST ONLY SIXTEEN YEARS

The oil supply of the United States preaching services. cases might be mentioned where the will be exhausted in 16 years, if prescounty agent has been directly re- ent rates o fproduction are kept up COMET WILL BE NEAREST THE is asserted by Prof. conditions. His work is an invest- John A. Brownocker, State geologist ment that has brought returns. Any and professor of geology at Ohio

According to Prof. Borwnocker the his work and have co-operated with United States has petroleum reserves formation received at the Harvard him are willing to say this. It is amounting to six or seven billion bar- College observatory from astronothose who who have not accepted the rels. The rate of production in 1920, mers in various parts of the world efforts of the county agent and have ever, this is thought to the highest. The comet will make its nearest apnot co-operated with him who are mark production will reach, he said proach to the sun on June 13, and willing to have the office discon- geologists believe. The production will be at its brightest at about the

Tuhs, Prof. Brownocker points out, It is absurd that a few persons who this country cannot produce oil for eye, as it will be of approximately the

duction, but, Prof. Brownocker says,

A BARGAIN (Houston Post)

The other day a stranger entered wall paper. MAY REALIZE THE DREAM the eludiana National Bank and want-the dream of a great highway ed to borrow \$5. He was told that leading through Lenoir and across the Indiana National Bank and want-

> "But," he went on, "lending money is your business, isn't it?"
> The banker admitted that it was,

"Well, I have good security," said ate

natural route over which there has tigue and half from amused curiosbeen a trend of travel since pioneer days. A number of years ago the cost of 30 cents paid the stranger drew people of this section became thor- from his pocket \$10,000 worth of oughly aroused over the need of a government bonds and handed them will suspend opinion until she gives better road across the mountains. Its over as security. Before the banker up.-Newark News, vast possibilities as a developer of could express his astonishment the

"Now, this is something like it! the counties on the northwest side of Over at the other bank they wented the Blue Ridge and the counties on me to pay \$10 just for a safety de-

SAD THINGS

A friend that never comes again. A puppy whimpering in the rain. stalk.

child that never learned to walk. hearts estranged by broken

plight. wanderer homeless in the night. nest wind-blown and reft of song. A grave bed scarcely three feet long. A garden ravaged by the hail. Fair ships that never homeward sail.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAW DINNER Mrs. George Crump and children 3,000 feet. This section of the road ner June 5. Those present were his is through a scenic wonderland. It children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Bentley and daughter, Mr. Aside from the scenic standpoint Bartley Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. wishing him many happy returns of

RELIEF BILL

Another farmer's relief measure the bill of Senator Curtis, Republican, of Kansas, to loan up to \$50, 000,000 to Federal farm loan banks to distribute among farmers at not more than 5 1/2 per cent interest, was passed last week by the Senate, with assurances of early House approval.

FOR WHAT PURPOSE?

Representative Drane of Florida has presented a bill in the House proposing the addition of another month to the calendar, to be known as Cen-July. It would automatically cause the thirteenth of each month to fall July. on Friday.

GOODSON BUYS CHAIR PLANT The plant of the Carolina Chair Company, located at Lincolnton, was sold Monday by Mark Squires and C. E. Childs, receivers. The highest bid was made by Mr. Goodson of Lincolnton, and it was for \$17,100. The plant is said to have been worth

\$60,000. Apparently the only way to reduce navies is to have another world war. BAPTIST REVIVAL SERVICES JUNE 20 TO JULY 3

We find it advisable to begin our evangelistic services a week earlier than previously announced. This will avoid a conflict with the opening week of the summer school, and will allow Brother Bradshaw to fulfill other important duties. The services will begin on the third Sunday in this month, and Brother Bradshaw will reach us Monday, the 20th.

Our first series of cottage prayer meetings will be held Friday evening at 7:30 as follows: With Mrs. P. L. Killian, Mr. Beach and Robley Kil-lian leaders; with Mrs. Laura Shell, Misses Mary Dula and Evelyn Horton leaders; with Mr. J. W. C. McCall, Mr. McCall and Mr. J. A. Pearson leaders; with Mr. R. H. Pipes, Mr. Pipes and Mr. Emory McCall leaders; with Mr. Julius Minton, Mr. Joe been made to abolish the office of passage to New York; willing to take county demonstration agent. And it care of children and a good sailor."

Prestwood and Mr. Higgins leaders; with Mr. Duncan McCall, Messrs. J. with Mr. Duncan McCall, Messrs. J. E. Poteat and Elam McCall leaders; nounce that he will make up gowns, with Mr. Fred Kirby, Mr. F. P. Coffey capes, etc., for ladies out of their and Mr. Mallard leaders; with Mr. Lawrence Smith, Mr. Y. D. Moore leader; with Mr. L. R. May, Rev. J. E. Hoyle leader; with Mr. Luther Caudle, Mr. Spurling leader; with Mrs. J. M. Harless, Miss Crews leader; with Mrs. Clawson, Mrs. B. H.

The leaders hre requested to report attendance and any points of special interest to Miss Roberta Crews, and are also requested to arrange the home for a prayer meetday evening of next week. We invite all the people to join us in these services of preparation and also retheir co-operation in the

EARTH JUNE 13

Winnecke's comet, the expected month has caused much comment. will probably not come within 10,-000,000 miles of us, according to in rate is expected to decline this year, same time. It is doubtful, however, whether it will be visible to the naked

Papering the walls with Austrian bank notes proved such a good advertisement for a St. Gall restaurant that other innkeepers have taken up the idea, says a dispatch from Geneva. They have found that the cost was little more than that of good

WADDILL CONFIRMED

Nomination of Edmund Waddill, Jr., of Richmond to be district judge for the fourth circuit in place of the late Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, was confirmed last week by the Sen-

Henry Ford now predicts synthetic We've been suspecting Lizzie. Where there's so much clucking and eackling there should be an egg. Little Rock Arkansas Gazette.

Heinie is finding there's no way to settle but up.-Greenville Piedmont.

Tommy Milton last week won the 050-mile race at Indianapolis in a hours and 34 minutes, an average of 89.62 miles an hour.

Worth Saving.



The features of this girl portray the finest type of Pelish childhood that now lies enguifed in hunger and disease and all their attendant miseries. Relief already administered by America has preserved her beauty and freshness, albeit her eyes betray the suffering she has seen, but literally millions in her own and adjacent countries still have no one to look to but America as another winter of horror closes in upon them. To the end that their prayer may not go unanswered eight leading American relief organizations have banded together in a joint appeal in behalf of Europe's suffering children. They are the American Relief Administration, the American Red Cross, the American Friends' Relief Committee (Quakers), the Jewish Joint Distribution Committee, the Federal Churches of Christ in America, the Knights of Columbus, the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A.

### DODGE BROTHERS

Announce a substantial reduction in the price of their cars effective June 8th.

# live here in town should have taken the active part in drawing and circulating the petitions. They are not interested in the work of the county agent. They show that they care the final file produced in the work of the county and the county agent. They show that they care the county agent is produced in the county agent. They show that they care the county agent is produced in the county agent. They show that they care the county agent is produced in the county agent. They show that they care the county agent is country cannot produce oil for agent will be of approximately the sixth magnitude. Several astronomers predict a meter two or three years. More than 60 per cent of the work of the comet's approach. More than 60 per cent of the world's oil supply is produced in the comet's approach. AUSTRIAN MONEY IS GOOD FOR

INCORPORATED

### UNIVERSAL THEATRE

**PROGRAM** 

THURSDAY, JUNE 9 Dead Men Tell No Tales Seven-Reel Special Matinee 4 p.m., Adm. 15c and 25c Night 7:30, Adm. 10c and 35c

FRIDAY "The Silver Horde" Rex Beach A story of the great Northwest

SATURDAY "Thunderbolt Jack"—No. 11 Jack Hoxie 'Dollar's Worth' Century Comedy Pathe News

Matinee 2 p.m.

MONDAY "The Thief" Pearl White The story of what a woman will do to get finer clothes than her to get finer clothes than her

TUESDAY "Money Changers" All-Star Cast A smashing romance of New York's underworld

neighbor

WEDNESDAY "Fighting Fate"—No. 12 William Duncan "Big Secret" Sunshine Comedy Pathe News Matinee 4 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16 'Rich Girl, Poor Girl' Gladys Walton money necessary to happiness? See Gladys Walton in "Rich Girl, Poor Girl," and decide for yourself

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their deeds of kindness and sympathy shown us through the death of our loved wife and mother. May the Lord's richest blessings rest upon them all.

J. W. Hollifield and Family. W. M. Hollifield.

LAND ENTRY No. 6797

North Carolina, Caldwell County. Dr. C. L. Wilson enters and lays laim to the following described piece or parcel of land, containing 0 acres more or less, in Yadkin Valley township, in said county and State, on the waters of Yadkin river, on Lenoir's Mill creek and Martin's

Beginning on Greer Bros', outside corner, running east to the top of Green mountain; thence with top of Green mountain; thence with top of said mountain to Chas. C. Steele's corner; then north to the beginning, so as to include all vacant land only.

C. L. WILSON.

Entered this June 6, 1921.

JNO. M. CRISP,

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Owing to a change in my business I will offer my entire stock of new and up-to date merchandise, consisting of

Gents Furnishings, Clothing, Shoes, Notions and Ladies' Ready-to-Wear

regardless of cost, beginning Saturday, June 11th, and lasting 10 days. Be on hand early and take your chioce.

This is your opportunity to buy good goods cheap. I have cut the bottom out of the prices to move the goods.

Store will be closed Friday to arrange stock."

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY TO SAVE MONEY

W. F. Wakefield

119 North Main St. LENOIR, N. C.