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RAILROAD SCHEDULE

Table with 3 columns: Destination, Time, and Direction. Includes routes to Washington, Durham, and Charlotte.

BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a
precious blessing in after years.

GLADNESS AND SINGING.—Serve
the Lord with gladness; come before his
presence with singing.—Psalm 100:2.

DEFEATING TUBERCULOSIS.

Census bureau statistics indicate that
the battle against tuberculosis is gain-
ing ground each year and if the present
program can be maintained it will not
be many years until this disease will be
classed along with typhoid fever and
other maladies which are now controlled.

The census bureau figures show that
the number of deaths from tuberculosis
per 100,000 population declined from 150
in 1918 to 97.4 last year, taking the
country as a whole. Some Southern
States show an average higher than the
national average, but the same is also
true of northern States. In the South
the high rate is undoubtedly due to
deaths from the disease among the ne-
groes, and it shows also that the States
must devote more attention to the curb-
ing of the disease among the colored citi-
zens.

ENGLAND PAYING.

Great Britain is not waiting for some
unforeseen circumstance that might per-
suade the United States to cancel the
war debts. France and some of the
other debtor nations are still asking and
hope for a cancellation policy, but Eng-
land is showing a determination to pay
her part of the debt by sending cash to
the United States.

Great Britain has just made a second
payment on her war debt. The pay-
ment amounted to \$92,000,000, of which
\$69,000,000 was semi-annual interest
charges and \$23,000,000 to reduce the
principal.

The first payment, made last spring,
was on account of interest only. That
this is actually the first payment on the
principal. For several months the British
government has been accumulating
Liberty Bonds with which to make this
payment and virtually the entire amount
of the installment was paid with such
securities. Being able to purchase the
bonds at slightly less than par it is es-
timated that the British government saved
\$1,800,000 by making the \$92,000,000
payment in Liberty Bonds.

England's policy in regard to the war
debts is making many friends for her in
the United States. Conditions through-
out the country are not all that could be
desired, but despite high taxes, unemploy-
ment, dissatisfaction and other things,
England is showing a fine spirit in her
financial dealings with Uncle Sam.

We believe William G. McAdoo could
go to a Democratic convention now and
receive the nomination without much
trouble. What will happen in the next
few months is a different thing, however,
and by the time the convention is called
he may not be as strong as some other
Democrat. He is in the fight, however,
and can be expected to wage a real cam-
paign. Four years ago he was a "re-
ceptive" but not a fighting candidate and
that fact may have accounted for his de-
feat at the convention. He is expected
to show his full strength next year at
the convention.

The biggest store in the world under
one roof is in Moscow. It is a gigantic
department store, or bazzar, under a
thousand different heads, selling all
kinds of goods and carrying on every
kind of business.

Paris Drapes Her Evening Frocks



Slightly, just over so slightly draped are these evening gowns that show the pleasure of Paris in each graceful line. They are all sleeveless as dinner and evening gowns are this season and they have three different necklines that are popular this season.

TODAY'S EVENTS

Thursday, December 20, 1923
Only one more day of Autumn
Centenary of the birth of Dominic
Manney, Catholic bishop of Mobile.
Prince George, youngest son of their
British Majesties, comes of age today.
Bishop Garrett, of Dallas, ranking
bishop of the Episcopal Church, today
enters upon his 50th year in the epis-
copate.
The town of Groesbeck today cele-
brates its 50th anniversary as county
seat of Limestone county Texas, by lay-
ing the cornerstone for a \$300,000 court
house.
A Federal election is to be held to-
day in Kent county, New Brunswick,
to fill the vacancy in the dominion
house of commons caused by the death
of A. T. Legere.
The President and Mrs. Coolidge are
to give a dinner at the White House
this evening for the members of the
foreign diplomatic corps and their
ladies.
Interest in the secret consistory to
be held in Rome today has been lessened
by the official announcement that no
foreign Cardinals are to be created at
this time.
Bids are to be opened at the Mars
Island navy yard today for the sale of
the seven United States destroyers

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

Cartoon by Condo. Two men talking. One says: 'DON'T TALK TO ME ABOUT "CLEAN" POLITICS, MR. TRUE! I WOULDN'T TRUST THE BEST MAN ON EARTH! WHAT HAVE YOU GOT UP YOUR SLEEVE NOW THAT YOU WANT TO PUT OVER?' The other replies: 'MY GOOD RIGHT ARM!!!'

Everybody Wants Hams and Turkeys for Christmas

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TWENTY GOLD HILL LOTS IN TRANSFERS

Total of Twenty-Four Pieces of Land Changed Hands in Rowan Tuesday, Salisbury Post.
Of the real estate transfers listed with the register of deeds for Rowan county yesterday the bulk of the transactions embraced lots in "Miller Heights," Gold Hill township, twenty of these being sold. There were four other deeds filed, two for city home lots and two pieces of county property. The listings were as follows:

John S. M. Miller to J. A. Misenheimer, two lots in Miller Heights, Gold Hill township, to J. A. Misenheimer, \$495; four lots in same place to Irvin Wagner, \$100; three lots to L. R. Fisher, \$172.50; two lots to Carl L. Fesperman, \$250; three lots to A. T. C. Morgan, \$150; four lots to J. N. Weaver, \$100; and two lots to C. A. Trexler and W. S. Brown, \$400. All of these lots are in "Miller Heights," Gold Hill township.

Vance B. Miller to James W. Eagle and wife, small tract of land on national highway, between Salisbury and China Grove, adjoining J. L. Boston lands, \$1 and other considerations.

Lee Gillespie and wife to A. B. Wilson, undivided interest in 38 acres land adjoining the J. T. Goodman land, \$271.43.

J. E. Younce and H. L. Arey and wife to James P. Mattox, lots on Mocksville Avenue, being lots 2 and 3, block 72 "Confederate Park," \$100 and other considerations.

Granite Realty and Insurance Co., to Grover Saunders, lot on Thomas Street, former Goler property, \$5 and other considerations.

New York is to have a skyscraper church. It will be located in the upper part of the city, and the cost is expected to be about \$4,000,000. Atop the temple, rising to a height of fifty-four stories, will be a thirty-two foot cross, the loftiest thing in New York City.

which were wrecked off the southern California coast recently.
A State-wide conference is to be held at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute today to prepare a permanent program for the development and safety of agriculture in Alabama.

Ray McCoy, of North Carolina, Believed Dead, Is Found Alive.
Philadelphia, Dec. 19.—Ray McCoy, 28, believed dead for 12 years by his aged parents in North Carolina, was temporarily detained at City Hall today while word was sent to his home. His father is the Rev. C. Daniel McCoy, of the Iola Baptist church, Franklin, N. C. The detective who located McCoy, stated that "it might do the old folks good to know their boy was this side of the grave."

McCoys, however, said he would not returned even though money for the journey might be forwarded.
"I set out to make my fortune," he said, "and so far have met nothing but failure."

A first step towards an amalgamation of the railway and transport workers in England has been taken by a joint conference of the Transport Workers' Union and the National Union of Railwaymen. The combined organizations will have a membership of nearly 1,000,000.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE PERSONAL PROPERTY.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executors of the Will of the late J. R. White, and by virtue of authority conferred in said Will, will on Saturday, January 5th, 1924, at the Court House door in Concord, N. C., at twelve o'clock M., sell for cash to the highest bidder, the following described personal property, to-wit:

Three, State of North Carolina, Bonds, 4 per cent., interest bearing, each \$500.00.
One \$1,000.00, Fourth Liberty Bond, 4 1-4 per cent. interest bearing.
One share of North Carolina Railroad Company, stock.
Two shares of Concord National Bank stock.
This the 13th day of December, 1923.
BAKER MORRISON,
JOHN P. ALLISON,
H. I. WOODHOUSE,
Executors of J. R. White's estate.
Maunse & Sherrin, Attorneys.

DINNER STORIES

A farmer was having his house re-covered. The old tin roof had been torn off and rolled up in a heap in the corner of the yard. A friend happened by one day and suggested that the farmer ship the tin to the Ford plant. He went on to tell the farmer that Ford would pay him well for the tin. The farmer thought it over and decided he would send it to the Ford plant, for even though he got nothing for it the tin would be out of his way. In about three weeks after he shipped it, he received a letter which read something like this:
"Your old car was tore up so bad we decided to ship you a new one, but be careful next time."

"I am not going to talk long this evening," said the speaker. "I've been cured of that. The other night I was making a speech when a man entered the hall and took a seat right in the front row. I had not been talking an hour when I noticed he was becoming fidgety. Finally he arose and asked:
"Shay, how long you been lecturin'?"
"About four years, my friend," I replied.
"Well," he remarked, as he sat down, "I'll stick around; you must be near through!"

Seventh Child Named "Enough."
The office was crowded with the wedding party. All were silent while the bridegroom filled in the blanks. For the purpose of this story we'll call him Smith, says the New York Times.
The secretary looked over the marriage license. It gave the groom's name as "John Enough Smith."

"The clerk at the license bureau has made a mistake; see what a ridiculous middle name he has given you—'Enough!'"
Without looking up the groom replied dryly:
"Be no mistake on the part of the clerk. My mother gave me that middle name—I was the seventh child."

An Innocent Good Time
A colonel who was a stern disciplinarian gathered his officers about him and issued orders for the regiment's forthcoming train journey to the coast.
"I don't object to an innocent good time on the men's part during this journey," he said, "but you will see to it that there's no swearing, no sky larking, no card playing, and no little cigarette smoking as possible."

"Pardon me, colonel," said a timid voice, "but would you object if I took a little plain sewing to occupy my company and myself?"

The speaker waxed eloquent, and after his peroration on woman's rights he said: "When they take our girls, as they threaten, away from the educational, what will follow? What will follow, I repeat?"
And a loud masculine voice in the audience replied, "I will!"

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