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CLARK DENOUNCES WATER PROHIBITION

Asheville, Aug. 25.—Amazement has been expressed by Rev. Dr. Willis Clark, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, over the action of the city authorities in prohibiting the use of water for "baptism or sprinkling" the water shortage. Dr. Clark is urged by a number of persons to make public his views on the matter. He has issued the following statement:

"I have been asked to express my opinion on bulletin number three got out for general distribution among citizens of Asheville by those in authority in the city government because of their concern over the shortage of water. In this bulletin water used for baptism is put on a par with water used for plumbing fixtures and washing floors, etc."

"The person who wrote that bulletin has no conception of the sanctity of baptism as a Divine rite or else he is guilty of blasphemy. If the latter is the case then he or she will have to give an answer for his act to God as it is from Christ Himself we get the authority for the use of water in baptism. If a person in this enlightened Christian age has no conception of the sanctity of baptism or sprinkling, as the bulletin states, then my conclusion is that he is mentally deficient and his placing the use of water for baptism on the same plane as the use of water for automatic toilets, cleaning floors, etc., is a clear index of such deficiency. There are hundreds of citizens

and visitors who like myself have read prohibition number six of bulletin number three with amazement then with indignation, then out of a sense of Christian charity, with pity for the state of mind of the one who wrote that prohibition."

How is it Possible? Rudolph Valentino and his wife have agreed to take "an indefinite marital vacation."

Mr. Valentino says, "I took her to the train and kissed her goodby. We don't want any divorce—only a rest."

The lady says she wants a vacation, and that will amaze at least a million women. One of them, in Washington, went to see Valentino's picture thirty times in succession. Just imagine leaving the real thing

Customer—You've made two mistakes in this bill, one in your favor and one in mine.

Grocer—In your favor? Where?

The deputy warden of the penitentiary was looking over the new arrivals. Among them was a tall, forlorn-looking gentleman of color who seemed to take it very hard, sighing so deeply that the deputy asked:

"What's the matter, boy?"

"Mah, sentence, sgh!" was the mournful reply. "Ah, can't do me! This leath time the judge done gib me!

"How much are you doing?" inquired the deputy.

"Life," exclaimed the new arrival.

"Well," remarked the deputy, not unkindly, "just do what you can of it."

Young Man Charged With a Serious Crime.

Statesville Daily.

Walter Holland, a son of W. P. Holland, of Statesville, was arrested Saturday evening and placed in jail on a charge of criminal assault on a young woman living four miles south of Mooresville.

Holland is about 21 years of age. He is in the employ of the Statesville Chair Company, having held a job with that company for the past five years.

The warrant, dated August 22, 1925, charges criminal assault on the person of Lucy Horton, at the home of her parents in Coddle Creek township, the date of the alleged assault being July 6, 1925.

The preliminary hearing for the defendant, who is held here without bail, will be given at Mooresville some time this afternoon before Magistrate Herbert A. Holstead. Young Holland emphatically denies the serious charges brought against him in this criminal action.

There's no ill-luck in turning back if you are on the wrong road. If kissing were intoxicating lovers would all oppose prohibition.

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On the Square Phone 22

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THIS GOOD COUNTRY AIR IS GIVING ME AN AWFUL APPETITE—I WISH WE COULD GET SOMETHING TO EAT

IF YOU'LL STOP THE CAR I'LL GO UP TO THAT FARMHOUSE AND TRY TO GET SOME FRUIT

SURE!

I SEE AN ORCHARD

MAYBE I CAN GET SOME APPLES FOR NOTHING!

THEY'LL KNOW YOU'RE A TOURIST AND MAKE YOU PAY A GOOD PRICE

HEY THAR! WHAT'S TH' IDEA OF TRESPASSIN' THROUGH THIS FIELD—CAN'T YE SEE THIS SIGN?

DON'T GET FRESH WITH ME YOU OLD HICK—WHO'S THE OWNER OF 'EM APPLES?

I AM—AN' I'M NO HICK EITHER—CONSNAN YE!!

HURRY MR. GONN AND PICK 'EM UP—HERE COMES THE APPLES!

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BY TAYLOR

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BY WILLIAMS

YOU'RE DOGGONE RIGHT THEYS MONEY BERRIED HERE! WY I SEEN TH' BANDITS BERRY IT AS PLAIN AS ANYTHIN', RIGHT IN THIS ZACT SPOT. N' BY GOLLY EVERY DREAM I EVER HAD YET HAS COME PURTY NEAR TRUE.

MY GOSH, I HOPE SO! AFTER ALL THIS WORK WERE GONNA DO.

FIRST OF ALL—I THINK I'LL BUY MY MA N PA AY SWELL HOUSE THEY LIKE SO WELL. NEN I'LL START A ICE CREAM PARLOR FER POOR KIDS—FREE FER NOTHIN'. AN-NEN.

MOMENTS WE'D LIKE TO LIVE OVER— FAITH HOPE AND CHARITY.

BY CONDO

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