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POWER DEVELOPMENT AT ASHEVILLE HINTED

It is suggested that 500,000 horsepower plant be built on the French Broad River.

Asheville, Oct. 2.—The unfolding of a tentative plan to develop approximately 500,000 horsepower from the French Broad River and its tributaries, the Big Pigeon, the Little Pigeon and the Hiwassee, in the area between Asheville and Brevard was the chief purpose and high point of the Southern Appalachian power conference, held here today at the call of the North Carolina department of conservation and development.

The plan was presented by Major Harold C. Fiske, district engineer for the United States war depart-

ment, with headquarters at Knoxville, Tenn. Major Fiske has just completed a water power survey of the French Broad basin, as provided by a recent act of Congress and is still engaged in a more extensive survey of the Tennessee River basin.

The conference was attended by more than thirty engineers, manufacturers, technical men, owners of property in the area under discussion and other interested persons. John H. Small, former representative in Congress from the first North Carolina district, and at one time chairman of the rivers and harbors committee of the house, presided over the conference as chairman at the request of Governor A. W. McLean.

The scheme briefly as presented by Major Fiske today for the develop-

ment of the latent water power of the French Broad basin, is to construct a giant dam across the French Broad near the mouth of the Swannanoa near Asheville and the construction of a mammoth reservoir for the conservation of water and water power.

The project insofar as it concerns the North Carolina streams is set out in its visionary stages, and was outlined by Major Fiske not as an undertaking within itself, but as a component part of a gigantic enterprise embracing both the French Broad river basin and the Tennessee river and its tributaries.

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The Angel Gabriel herself could not have changed the House of commons," is one of Lady Astor's latest bits.

DINNER STORIES

Draining Her Crankcase.
Little Johnny, a city boy in the country for the first time, saw the milking of a cow.

"Now you know where the milk comes from, don't you?" he was asked.

"Sure!" replied Johnny. "You give her some breakfast food and water and then drain her crankcase."

Knew Who He Was.
George Washington was very small and very new to the life of the public school.

"And so your name is George Washington?" said the teacher.

"Yesum, Jorge Washin'ton."

"And I suppose you try to be as nearly like him as a little boy can, don't you?"

"Lak who, ma'am?"

"Like George Washington."

The youngster looked puzzled. "Ah kaint help bein' lak Jorge Washin'ton," he replied stoutly, "ese that's who Ah am."

Here is Clifford B. Cook, who is charged with perjury at the inquest into the slaying of his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Underwood Cook, Winton, la., dry crusader. He was released on a \$2,000 bond. He is shown in a state guard uniform.

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Business on Up-Trend.

A good barometer of business conditions in the Carolinas is the demand for trained bookkeepers, stenographers and office clerks.

In connection with the King's Business Colleges of Raleigh and Charlotte efficient Employment Bureaus are conducted and President Layfield of these schools asserts that there has been an unusual demand for his graduates since September 1st. Calls are daily received from banks, railroads, manufacturers, insurance companies, wholesale and retail merchants, etc., and as a rule, excellent salaries are offered.

President Layfield also states the King's schools have had an unusually fine registration this fall, 211 new students having entered since September first. Excluding the Home Study department, there are now nearly 400 students in attendance at the two schools.

Mr. Layfield attributes this larger enrollment to healthy business conditions, to a wider knowledge of the work being done by the King's schools, and also to a more aggressive newspaper advertising campaign which has been conducted during the summer.

These popular schools observe no vacation and as the instruction is largely individual, new students are received conveniently at any time. The second division of the Fall Term will begin on October fifth.

It is so hot in Panany, Straights Settlements, in the Malay Peninsula, that traffic cops sometimes stand on little squares of matting to keep the pavement from burning their feet.

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Stewart Washington Letter

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Congress will consider the advisability of having the nation finger-printed.

Police Commissioner Enright of New York proposes it. He wants the government put in charge of the job and would have the prints kept on file by a national police bureau in Washington.

It would be an easy way, he says, of enabling the authorities to keep tabs on the citizenry, sometimes to its advantage and sometimes otherwise, depending on how it behaves itself.

Such a system already exists in Argentina, where it works well, Enright adds.

VERY true, only the system isn't confined to Argentina. It prevails in several South American countries and some European ones.

It's a fact, however, that the Argentines have developed it very scientifically—and tactfully, too, or the people mightn't like it so well, for at first thought there's something distinctly disagreeable about the idea of being finger-printed and mugged.

BISHOP CHESHIRE HAS ROW WITH KLANSMEN

Trouble Started When Klansmen Insisted That Bishop's Son Move His Automobile.

Tom Best in Greensboro News.

Raleigh, Oct. 2.—James W. Cheshire, son of the distinguished prelate of the Protestant Episcopal church, has not been indicted for violation of the laws of the invisible empire, and he seeks to be tried in that domain.

Not that Mr. Cheshire thinks highly of Klan courts, Kloros, Klorocantons and its impudent intrusion into state affairs. Mr. Cheshire displeased the klan at the recent Kloro. He had been away from the city and when he returned he found the klan had taken possession of the house of his father, who he thought belonged to all the people and as one of the citizens parked his car according to the city ordinance.

Put the higher law, the ordinance of the invisible empire, had repealed the rules under which Mr. Cheshire had been living. The police ordered him to move his car and Mr. Cheshire, thinking that he was still a citizen of the municipality, also that the police were, declined to pull out. He left and the police shunted his car from the blue of march for the grand Kloro. Mr. Cheshire brought the car back on the streets and says he was insulted by the police. He still harbored the delusion that the folks owned the streets, but that night the K. K. K. had it and, the police force, Mr. Cheshire defied the K. K. K. and then challenged the police to turn him up for trial.

Whereupon, Bishop Cheshire, father of the young man who had violated the supreme law, received a letter in which "W. Bryan" who is the chief of police, is referred to. The bishop's letter and Bishop Cheshire's stinging retort follow:

"I have just received through the mail an anonymous communication as follows:

"Bishop Cheshire,

"Raleigh, N. C.

"You made bad move Friday night. Remember police force is all K. K. K. And we can make any one come our way. And W. Bryan don't like it."

"A. K. K. K."

"I wish to take this opportunity of saying to my unknown correspondent and to his fellow K. K. K., on the police force and off, that I consider the Ku Klux Klan, in its principles, methods and organization, absolutely inconsistent with the Christian religion, which many of them profess, a menace

EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

WAIT A MINUTE—I WANT TO SEE YOU BEFORE YOU LEAVE.

WELL, WHAT IS IT NOW, MRS. TRUE? I'M IN A BIG HURRY!—OUT WITH IT!!!

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OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS

WHAT'S THIS?

OH I JUS HAD A LOTSA NIGHT CRAWLERS LEFT OVER FROM FISHIN, AN IM GVIN' UM T' MRS FIRTHS C'NARY, GOSH SHE'LL BE SPRAZED WHEN SHE GETS BACK, WE'LL HAVE 'IM FATS A HOG FER HER!

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY— TAKING CARE OF THE NEIGHBORS CANARY.

J.P. WILLIAMS

MOMN POP BY TAYLOR

NEWS ITEM
MR & MRS HENRY TYTE ARE STAYING WITH THE GUNNS UNTIL REPAIRS ON THEIR HOUSE, WHICH WAS RECENTLY DAMAGED BY FIRE, ARE COMPLETED

AFTER BEING USED TO A FEATHER BED I CAN'T SLEEP ON AN ORDINARY MATTRESS—OH WHAT A NIGHT!

AND MRS GUNN NEVER THOUGHT TO LEND ME HER CURLING IRON

QUARTER PAST SEVEN AND NOT A SOUL UP YET—I ALWAYS EAT BREAKFAST AT 6:30

I WONDER HOW WE'RE EXPECTED TO SLEEP WHEN MR GUNN SNORES SO LOUDLY—

AND WHERE'S THE MORNING PAPER?

GUNN TOOK IT ALONG TO THE OFFICE—WHY HE HURRIED OUT SO QUICKLY HE DIDN'T EVEN GIVE ME A CHANCE TO ASK WHERE HE KEPT HIS SMOKING TOBACCO

AND MRS. GUNN JUST ORDERED A LOT OF GROCERIES AND MEAT WITHOUT CONSULTING ME—HOW DO THEY KNOW WHAT WE LIKE?

LOOK! I JUST FOUND HIS CIGARETTES AND THERE'S ONLY TWO LEFT IN THE BOX!