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Tarolina of any law prohibiting the teaching of evolution in the public schools or colleges of the State. It is known that students in other institutions of learning are opposed to

theory of evolution, but we are not convinced that any law will prevent its teaching. Neither are we convinced that the law will help the cause of the fundamentalist. There are hundreds of persons in North

any evolution bill. Give the students the facts, we say, and they can form lution of necessity destroyed all be-lief in a Supreme Being or in the words of Holy Scripture we would be opposed to it, but such is not the

we are not in sympatry with any movement calculated to curb facts. Science has played no little part in the development of the world and if we can't study science and its various branches then we are curbing the

## BANK GIVES PRIZES.

For the third successive year, notes The Manufacturers Record, the First National Bank of Laurel, Mississippi, announces a series of prizes for farmers and farmers' wives for achieve-ments in the production of cotton. ments in the production of cotton, corn and chickens, the total this year running to \$700, as compared with \$600 last year and \$500 the year before. These competitions, it is stated, "have resulted not only in increasing yields of crops and chickens, but also have assisted in adding 1,200 new farmer customers to the hang in. farmer customers to the bang, in creasing the deposits in a few years over \$1,500,000."

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FOR TODAY

Bible Thought memoriad will prove priceless berlage in after years

Curse or Blessing, Which?—Het withholdeth corn, the people shall see him; but blessing shall be upon head of him that selleth it.—

Department of the department of the worth farm, about four miles from this city. Judgment was reserved.

Is it right to tax the auto a little more every time money is needed?

That seems to be the theory we have been working on, for taxido in regard to motor vehicles has increased more rapidly than any other kind. The general plan, it appears, is to consider the auto a luxury and make it pay for money needed for most everything in the world.

The total increase in motor vehicle registration last year was 13.4 per cent. over that of the preceding year, but the increase in taxation was more than 33 per cent.

This is one of the significant facts brought out in connection with the issuance from the National headquarters of the American Automobile Association of its motor vehicle registration and taxation map, for the year 1925. Among other things the shows:

First, the average per vehicle tax levy for the entire country was \$20 in 1925 as compared with \$17.35 in 1024, an increase of fifteen per cent. since 1919 when it stood at \$85.55.

Second, special taxes collected from car owners by the States reached a new high peak last year, with a total of \$406.648.561 as compared with \$305.266.742 in 1924, an increase of \$101.381.819.

Third, the State's revenue from the gasoline tax almost doubled in 1925, the total being \$146.828.940 as compared with \$70.734.789 the previous year.

Five States had more than a million registration in 1925, these maintain-registration in



"Why Girls Go Back Home" with Patsy Ruth Miller is a Warr production from this novel.

more sweetly than he remembered. She ducked her head and made a

charming little bow. craned his neck.

"Gee, she's swell, isn't she?" "Say, I saw this show three times already. Whaddye know about that, and each time she's better'n

the last." "Yes, for a fact, she's good to night." "Sh-sh," muttered John.

The men turned about and glared at him. But he did not notice. He did not want to miss a note of her

So for three acts. And in the so for three acts. And in the intermission, he had time to sit, dazed, and wonder how he had ared to come to New York and suppose that perhaps—. That girl on the stage in diaphanous clothes, who kicked up her legs at the least provocation, who revealed her dim-



Barie Downey, innocently involved in a scandalous agair with Cliford Dudley, an actor, climbs to stage stardom because of the notor-lety. John, a former sweetheart, writes that he wants to marry her. Marie, tasting success, puts him off. For three years she lives, with her chum Sally, a gay life. Clifford calls her up on her twentieth birth-day, and with some plan of revenge maind she invites him to her party after the show that night. Unknown to her, John is in the audience.

CHAPTER X—(Cantinued)

She had to come out of her party and smile, oh, so sweetly, much and scale folking as quaint and decompany to the stage of the stage of

to react in a body.

Marie, looking as quaint and decorative as a China shepherdess in an apple green satin dress, made very short and boufant, had been going expertly from group to group, Sally ever at her side. Group after group of men in dinner jackets clinking glasses with hands just a bit unsteady or putting their heads together over a juicy story. Group after group of girls in evening dresses both delicate and startling ruffling their hair with

Group atter group of girls in evening dresses both delicate and startling ruffling their hair with vague hands and beginning to cry raucously, "Isn't it hot?" Small groups of men and girls, some hlarious, some slyly quiet. Everywhere empty glasses and plates of food which had been nibbled at composed groups of "still lifes."

Everywhere the shadow of Clifford Dudley trailed Marle with meaning eyes. Ever since she had greeted him so sweetly at the door he had been watching a good opportunity. Drink had given him an excess of sentimentality. It even made him a little piteous as he wavered from group to group, for ever as he reached one circle Marle deserted it for another.

"You know," whispered Marle to

so beastly."

She was quite sober. Even Sally was a little loud of tongue and flushed. But Marie disliked the taste of liquor. Tolerant of her guests' befuddlement, she could not help regarding them with con-temptuous pity from the heights of her sobriety.

her sobriety.

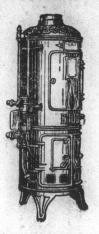
"Beastly! Whaddye mean, beastly?" almost shouted Sally. "I'll never forgive you if you back out. Here I'm looking forward to the time of my life—"

"Sh-sh-sh. Well—the hour strikes, as Shakespeare said, or was it Owen Davis? Here goes Sally."

With a parting wink, Sally took herself off so expertly that she appeared to vanish in thin air. Marter remained for a second, polsed, alone, leaning against a table full of glasses and surveying the scattered groups of her guests a little wearily.

"At last!" said Clifford, strife.

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Bids on About the surface Are Made at Tuesday's Lettings.
Ra eigh, May 4.—Bids exceeding \$2.000,000 on 18 projects made today's state highway lettings far more important than they promised to be 30 days ago.

The competition was herce and the cost of the construction was cut to the bone. The state has rarely traded more advantageously and concrete mileage has few times been contacted the state of the stat

Lola Gingham Mill is Sold at Autor thon
Gastonia, May 4.—At public aution the property of the Lola Gin ham mills, located in Stanley, Gastcounty, was offered for sale to thighest bidder by the Gastonia I surance and Realty company, tru tee, under a deed of trust to seen an issue of \$300,000. In bonds of the corporation. The successful biddwas J. F. Anderson, of Jersey Cit N. J., bond holder, whose bid \$120,000,000 was the highest receive

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