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WHAT CO-OPERATION MEANS

We believe Cabarrus County is now staging one of the best fairs in the State. In fac we doubt if there is another county fair in the South that is better for every feature found as such fairs is to be had here and in addition there are many other things here that one rarely sees at a county fair.

Officials of the fair association deserve credi for the fair but this year for the first time since the fair was started four years ago, they do no get all of the credit. This year they were giv en more co-operation than at any other year The people changed all of a sudden from pes simists to optimists, or at least the officials this wear have been blessed with the optimists in stead of being bored with the pessimists.

It's funny, isn't it, how people like to predict dark and dismal things?' Ask any fair officia you know, for instance, how more pessimist than optimists he meets. It's nothing les than remarkable that we have progressed a all with so many pessimists always ready to discourage and bewail our efforts.

Looks like people would get just as much pleasure from spreading sunshine as from spreading gloom but they don't. Take for example, the "I-told-you-sos." How many of them have you ever heard making optimistic predictions? The man who says "I told you so" is the fellow who sees you rushing home from the fair grounds to get out of the rain or who meets you coming home from the Sunday school picnic with your clothing wet.

This year be it said to their credit, the moar ers and wailers have been fewer and the offi cials of the fair have had fine co-operation. result their work has been more pleasant and it will be, we believe, more effective for we expect all attendance records to be broken here during the week.

YOUTH IS NOT SERVED ALWAYS.

That youth must not be served always was strikingly demonstrated in the world serie which closed Sunday with the victory of the St. Louis Cardinals. The most heroic and the most effective personages in the series are men who have seen years of service and who won through experience rather than brawn.

Herbert Pennock and Babe Ruth certainl bore the lion's share of the Yankee defense and offense and neither is a youth. Pennock as a matter of fact has been in the major leagues for more than 12 years and Ruth certainly is no novice, having played with the champion Red Sox many years ago. Yet Pennock's left arm was the most effective gun in the Yankee defense and Ruth's big bat was the team's one and only big offensive threat.

Mr. St. Louis one man stands out heads and shoulders among the other heroes and he is Grover Cleveland Alexander, veteran of six teen campaigns in the majors. Twice with hi good right arm and experienced brain Alexander baffled the Yanks and then in the deciding game with three men on bases and his team leading by only one run, he was rushed into the fray. Needless it is to say he won, while the Yankee fan's shouted their approval.

Brawn is all right but it is far more effective when it is seasoned with experience. That' the difference when it is seasoned with experi ence. That's the difference between youth and old age. Of course these ball players are not old in years but in baseball years they are "old timers" who at best have only a few more good games left in their pitching arms, so they have to resort to other methods of winning ball They look back into the years they games. have toiled for certain facts that they have dearned from experience and with these facts go on winning with as much consistency as the youngster who throws solely with his arm.

PLAN MEETING IN FRANCE.

Members of the American Legion in all part members of the American Legion in all parts of the United States are meeting in Philadelphia now and it is believed the convention delegates will approve plans for the 1927 conven-

A movement has been started to elect General Pershing commander next year so he can return to France with many of the men who served under him overseas. He has shown that for various reasons he does not want the honor at this time and no doubt another will be sen unless he should change his mind.

THE CONCORD DAILY TRIBUNE We would like to see General Pershing accept the honor and certainly if he ever intends to accept it he should do so this year. It would be most fitting for the men who served under him in khaki to be under his leadership when the great convention meets in the French capital.

There still seems to be differences of opin on on the advisability of the Legion men going to France, but unless something drasti takes place we believe the meeting will be held there. The French officials are anxious to entertain the former service man and naturally they are going to do all they can to keep down any anti-American feeling that might arise in various quarters of the country.

Legionnaires will have their duties to perform also, and no doubt they can have a big influence on the French reception of them by

omething didn't really happen to cut down the size of the crop.

WISECRACKS.

No boy is poor if he has a dog, but a woman is poor if she has nothing but a dog and a parrot.—Democrat, Lit tle Rock, Ark.

Among those who will agree that all the fools are no ead yet are the physicians.—Scimitar, Memphis, Ten A hick town is a place where the doctor tells one pe ient all about their other patients.—News, Birminghan

least \$3,000 to buy up the army and navy .-

at least \$3,000 to buy up the army and may,—residemphis, Tenn.
King Boris c. Bulgaria is planning a trip to Americand press reports say that he will eventually look for gueen. Here's a chance for some millionaire's daugh er.—Sent'nel, Knoxville, Tenn.
Dad had hardly finished taking the children to the cir.

when the football season opened. Too back on Dad. entinel, Knoxville, Tenn.

It's terrible to be a highbrow and ashamed of it, bu s even worse to be a lowbrow and proud of it.—Dem rat, Little Rock, Ark.

JUSTICE AND JURY SERVICE.

Winston-Salem Journal,

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"Do you business men realize that all property is proeted by law? Do you not know that justice dependon three important factors, the jury, the lawyers anjudges? If, then, you evade jury service and thus k your part in the protection of your neighbor's

This series of sharp questions was addressed to the nembers of the Lions Club yesterday by Judge J. M. pglesby. Through the medium of the press these same nestions are addressed to the larger body of North Car-

gardegic enhances of a capable juryman, high moral character and intelligence. The definition of negligence is clearly efined by the law, said Judge Oglesby, yet many a jury-

lefined by the law, said Judge Oglesby, yet many a juryman does not possess sufficient intelligence to understand
he definition. He evidently based this statement upon
beservation of jury service. The trial of a case in which
negligence is alleged by a jury of unintelligent men is a
ravesty on justice, the jurist intimated.
Judge Oglesby said that recently he was holding court
in McDowell County. A man who was required to renort to account for his behaviour, having been convicted
of a crime, could not be found. The Sheriff volunteered,
he information that the man was busy on the Grand
lury. The law specifically demands that only the name
of citizens of known regutable character be placed in
the jury box. And yet a criminal serves on the Grand
lury! Judge Oglesby declared that he had seen many
instances of men of law character serving on júries.

That so many men of deficient intelligence and lowrade character serve on juries is due to the successfulefforts of intelligent business and professional men to
the Lions was a stirring challenge to them to observe
their duty as citizens by serving on juries whenever
summoned to do so.

A STREET CAR STRIKE IS BRAINLESS BACK-

A STREET CAR STRIKE IS BRAINLESS BACK-NUMBER.

Raleigh Times.

The chief reflection in connection with the Asheville treet car strike is wonder at the east with which the imman motor can operate on a one-cylinder brain. Strikes in general are passe. They were never more han partfully successful, and in their nature never ould be. For with the best chances of succers the strike has always been aimed at punishment of the public, ather than the employer. The principle is that of force of the applied by the weaker party. Whenever the force obe applied by the weaker party. Whenever the force ocame too hurtful, the stronger force of public self-procetion came into play. The logic of all strikes that are not gestures is suicide—and suicide is unpopular. In the case of street car and short haul traffic a strike in present day circumstances can do no more than slighty irritate the public convenience. Even in New York ity, where millions depend on the subways to carry hem long distances to their work, a recent strike failed niscrably because of the substitute afforded by a multivade of motor cars. In a small city like Asheville the are above the treet car patronage with ridiculous case.

The routh is that surface transportation by rail is out.

ars assert the street car parameter that surface transportation by rail 's on the last legs. In small cities it has reached the point where it is maintained by franchise owners not because hey find it profitable, but because they must continue treet car operation as a part of a contract including other and more valuable franchises. In time the street carwill become/a nuisance to the public, of which it will raddy be relieved.

No strike amounts to anything unless it can hurt omebody other than the strikers. The Asheville operatives are acting as if they were living in the 90's when the flivver was unknown.

Ulysses S. Grant was originally christened Hiram Ulysses Grant. History's error was caused by confusion on the part of a Congressman who recommended Hiram Ulysses Grant for West Point. His name was mixed with that of his brother. Simpson Grant, and the erroneous name became fixed.

Government employes traveling at Government expense are allowed to tip waiters not more than sixty cents a day, and bell boys not more than thirty cents.

regionnaires with nave their duties to perform also, and no doubt they can have a big influence on the French reception of them by the manner in which they conduct themselves. All of the burden of proof will not be on the French by any means.

IT'S A GOOD THING THEY'RE GONE.

With cotton selling at a loss of 5 cents perpound it's a good thing, don't you think, that the negroes are all gone from the farms in some Southern States?

Of course, when the negro exodus started a few years ago farmers in all parts of the South saw only ruin for them. There was no one left to work the crops and so the other things the negro was expected to do.

Such a condition certainly has not brought the ruin predicted. As a matter of fact we are raising more stuff than ever on the farms and certainly without cotton we didn't need anybody else to cultivate it. The pity is that something didn't really happen to cut down the supervision of the subject will not take the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have emailed to sup the subject will not take the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have emailed to sup the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings on early criminal. The agitation will more likely assume the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks who have made beatings to leave the form of milder statutes toward roughneeks. It is well known that the chief humilia. The

ers who have intelligent and studious men working over them and a humane superintendent at the head of the institution. The state may pay more money and get better men; it is not likely to lift the ban from the lash and bid every supervisor c'othed with a little authority to name the medicine which each offender must take

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Two Bishops to Talk at Annual Meei-ing of Western North Carolina Con-ference. Greensboro News.

unday school anniversary, mission

ary and other anniversyries; a meeting of the conference brotherhood, a fraternal organization of the ministers, and the annual meeting of the Conference Historical Society.

The meeting of the Conference Historical Society will, be hed on Tuesday evening, October 19th, starting at 7:30 o clock. This is the evening, preceding the formal opening of the conference by Bishop Mouzon. An address on "Early Methodism in Rowan County" will be delivered at the historical meeting by W. M. Pickens.

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Following is the formal program, as repared by Rev. C. S. Kirkpatriek, residing elder of the Sheby district; ev. F. J. Prettyman, pastor of Main treet Methodist Church, Gastonia, d. Rev. W. L. Sherrill, conference programs.

Cuesday, October 19, 1:30 p. m.— nual meeting of Conference His-cal Society, address on "Early thodism in Rowan County" by C. Wednesday, October 20, 9 a. m

pening of conference by Bishop Ed-in Mouzon who will make an ad-ess, followed by sacrament of the rod's Supper; 3 p. m., social service universary; 7:30 p. m., Sunday hool universary

hool anniversary. Thursday, October 21, 2 p. iference brotherhood meeting; 3 p Spworth League anniversary; 7:30 m., educational anniversary Friday, October 22, 2 p. m.

n's meeting; 3:30 p. m., preachin Bishop Horace M. DuBose; 6 p Weaver College banquet; 7:30 p Christian literature anniversa Saturday, October 23, 8:30 p. m

p. m., Duke University banquet 130 p. m., missionary anniversary. Sunday, October 24, 9:30 a. b.— Sunday, October 24, 9:30 a. b.— ove fenst; II a. m., sermon by Bisho Mouzon; 3 p. m., memorial ser-ce, followed by ordination of dea-ous; 7:30 p. m., preaching by Dr oper, followed by ordination of e'd

There is nothing scheduled for Monday, October 25th, but the reading of appointment of pastors for the ensuing year comes on Monday. Then the adjournment of conference. It is observed that there is nothing scheduled for the morning sessions of the conference, but business sessions will be held every morning. At these recharge and we expect every other man or concern to do the same thing. We are in the business of selling superior lumber at just the proper prices but a knowled has been added to the special events are being held, committees and bourds where the proper prices are the special content of the proper prices appointment of pastors for the ensuing year comes on Monday. Then the disjournment of conference, but this paster depends on the proper prices appointment of pastors for the ensuing year comes on Monday. Then the disjournment of conference, but business sessions of the conference, but business sessions and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the work paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the policies of the conference for the year paster and the proper prices are paster and the proper pr



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