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BERRY SHIPPERS AND SHORT MEASURE

New legislation in the states of New York and Massachusetts, makes it important that Southern shippers of berries shall know of this legislation, which demands full standard berry "cups" of 67 cubic inches.

"The New York Packer" of April 24th, devoted to general produce interests, contains a long article on the new "Berry Box Law" in that State and its promulgation by the authorities at Albany, the article including the official circular from the State Sealer of the Weights and Measures with directions to deputies to enforce the same.

New York and Massachusetts have passed a law imposing a severe penalty for the sale of any small fruits in quart measures holding less than 67 cubic inches and pints holding less than 33 1/2 cubic inches, and the superintendent of weights and measures in Massachusetts as well as New York are insisting that the new statute must be strictly enforced.

The Massachusetts law in addition to the penalty for offering the sale of small fruits in measuring less than the standard, adds to the same right on the part of the authorities to confiscate said packages.

Both states will allow the sale of packages holding less than the standard, providing the same—quarts and pints, not the crates—are each stamped with letters half an inch in length the word "short". Neither State, however, will allow under-sized cups to be made in their respective states even for shipment to other states. The berry shippers can easily ascertain whether the quarts they purchase to ship their berries will come up to the required standard by sending a sample by express to Dr. F. Reichmann, superintendent weights and measures, Albany, N. Y., or Daniel C. Palmer, superintendent weights and measures, Boston, Mass., who will promptly give the desired information without cost to parties sending the samples.

The quarts heretofore used measured between 63 and 65 cubic inches.

WELCOME RED MEN!

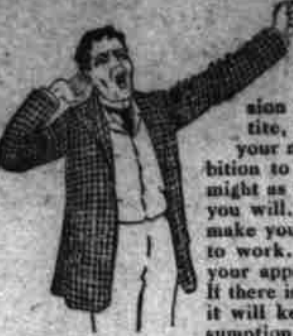
The gathering in New Bern, today, of the Great Chiefs of the Improved Order of Red Men, to observe their Eleventh Great Council, is a matter that concerns not merely Chatawax Tribe No. 14, in whose wigwam the Great Chiefs will meet, but this gathering is one that the people of New Bern are interested in, and in their behalf the Journal welcomes the Chiefs and trusts that their visit may prove a pleasurable one.

In another column, the Journal publishes an abstract from the history of the Order in North Carolina, that may be read with profit and interest by every one. The ceremonies of the Order, are as the history says "fascinating". But more than this, are the fraternal bonds, and the rich benefits of pecuniary help that are extended, when necessary, to needy brothers.

The Red Men are rich in their traditions, and so back nearly 150 years for their original beginning.

In all the years the Order has grown and strengthened, and today stands among the prominent fraternal organizations of the World.

New Bern welcomes the I. O. R. M. May their Tribes increase, their members multiply, and their fraternal bonds grow and strengthen far beyond their present state.



Do You Feel This Way?

Do you feel all tired out? Do you sometimes think you just can't work away at your profession or trade any longer? Do you have a poor appetite, and lay awake at night unable to sleep? Are your nerves all gone, and your stomach too? Has ambition to forge ahead in the world left you? If so, you might as well put a stop to your misery. You can do it if you will. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will make you a different individual. It will set your lazy liver to work. It will set things right in your stomach, and your appetite will come back. It will purify your blood, if there is any tendency in your family toward consumption, it will keep that dread destroyer away. Even after consumption has almost gained a foothold in the form of a lingering cough, bronchitis, or bleeding at the lungs, it will bring about a cure in 98 per cent. of all cases. It is a remedy prepared by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., whose advice is given free to all who wish to write him. His great success has come from his wide experience and varied practice.

Don't be wheedled by a penny-grabbing dealer into taking inferior substitutes for Dr. Pierce's medicine, recommended to be "just as good." Dr. Pierce's medicine are of known composition. Their every ingredient printed on their wrappers. Made from roots without alcohol. Contain no habit-forming drugs. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

ENFORCED HELP FOR WORTHY OBJECTS.

The church is held by many to be a charitable institution, therefore entitled to support through various, what may be termed, enforced help methods. Church fairs and bazaars, dinners and socials, with their various devices by which the dollar may be secured through the sale of some article that has usually been begged all these are held as just means of securing the money, to reinforce that received through regular channels, such as sermons and Sunday collections.

An agent for some carnival company, visits a town and seeking the co-operation of some local benevolent society or association, gets permission to do a joint account business with the local organization, and so escape local license taxes, probably county and state, as well. The local organization stands sponsor for the show people, and usually are imposed upon, as guaranteeing people, who may present many objectionable features to the public.

Tag Day has recently gained prominence, and is employed in the name of charity, to help the finances of some local institution, and young women and girls are sent forth to hang worthless paste boards on every man's coat, of course having to solicit money in exchange for the paste board.

It would seem as though the twentieth century civilization should gain in its methods, from these ways of gaining financial aid for worthy institutions. With civilization, charity ought to gain in refinement, and the old ways of anything being legitimate if done in the name of charity, ought to pass away. Men, are the ones sought, in all these methods, and it would seem the cheaper plan to contribute to church, to local institutions, and so escape, what is really financial persecution, and be relieved from having carnivals that bring disorder, and tag days, that cannot help injuring the natural and becoming modesty of young women and girls.

It would seem that, charity support help to perfectly legitimate and worthy institutions and organizations ought not to be upon the enforced order plan, and by ways and methods, which even those accepting, must question, and feel doubtful of employing. Better the open contribution, than have to employ some catch method to secure the money aid.

If your stomach, heart or kidney are weak, try at least, a few doses only of Dr. Shoop's Restorative. In five or ten days only, the result will surprise you. A few cents will cover the cost. Ang here is why help comes so quickly. Dr. Shoop doesn't drug the stomach, nor stimulate the heart or kidney. Dr. Shoop's Restorative goes directly to the weak and falling nerves. Each organ has its own controlling nerve. When these nerves fail, the depending organs must necessarily falter. This plain, yet vital truth, clearly tells why Dr. Shoop's Restorative is so universally successful. Its success is leading druggists everywhere to give it universal preference. A test will surely tell. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

Our Colored Subscribers

A Correction.  
The name of "Harry Alston" which was attached to a card of thanks in the Sunday Journal should have been Henry Austin. A mistake was made in the copy.

NOTICE!  
Certificate No. 61, for two shares or series, No. 1, of the capital stock of Standard Building and Loan Association has been lost or mislaid. This is to give notice that application has been made to the association for a duplicate certificate.

This April 27th 1909.  
WILLIE B. KENNEDY.

Well, it would be something to see Senator, Aldrich retiring for once.

The Wisdom of Fools.

The absurdities of municipal management of business enterprises are well illustrated by the following quotation from the ordinances of an Indiana city:

"If at any time the dynamo of the city electric light plant become overloaded to such an extent as to endanger the machinery, the superintendent shall report that fact to the committee on waterworks and light, and said committee shall decide what lights shall be cut out of the circuit in order to relieve the dynamo, provided that no lights shall be cut out of the circuit without at least forty-eight hours' notice to the patrons who are to be deprived of their lights."

By the time this action was taken there would be no dynamo to relieve, for they would have burned out long before the committee had been called together. This is a good example of the results to be expected from trusting such an undertaking to the tender mercies of councilmen who don't know an armature from a transformer.

Good breeding shows itself where there is no ordinary eye it appears least—Addison.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS WITH Dr. King's New Discovery FOR COUGHS, COLDS, AND ALL THROAT AND LUNG TROUBLES. GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY, OR MONEY REFUNDED.

New Use For Old Lace Shawls. Women lucky enough to own old lace shawls will do well to carry them to their dressmakers for transformation into peplum draperies. Many of these old fashioned shawls are things of beauty. Their new use is in line with the craze for the styles and fashions of the days of our grandmothers. Another attractive finish to the frock of today is an apron of lace or embroidered net, which covers the front of the gown and is tied behind neck in the way of the child's ordinary old-fashioned pinafore. These lace aprons are best over a princess dress. A good substitute is a broad stole of lace which at once suggests a woman for the broad lace scarfs many women have put away with their treasured lace shawls. The woman is indeed fortunate who has lace and old jewelry, for these articles at present are practical as well as sentimental treasures.

Lived 132 Years.  
Wm. Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields until 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80, James Wright, of Spurlow Ky., shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For thirty years kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth." They're a godsend to weak, sickly, rundown or old people. Try them, 50c at all druggists.

Preserving and Practice.  
I think the exalted ideal of the fraternalists, a universal brotherhood among all things in common, is not always supported by the evidence of the real life. They put before us a creed written at self service. They present in a language of spite and envy, a creed and of all uncharitableness. They tell us that we should dwell together in unity and comradeship. They are themselves split into twenty or more factions, which hate and abuse each other more than they hate and abuse us. They wish to reconstruct the world. They begin by leaving out human nature.—Right Hon. Winston Churchill, M. P.

Chamberlain's Liniment  
This is a new preparation and a good one. It is especially valuable as a cure for chronic and muscular rheumatism, and for the relief from pain which it affords in acute inflammatory rheumatism. Those who have used it have invariably spoken of it in the highest terms of praise. Lameness, lame shoulder and stiff neck are due to rheumatism of the muscles, usually brought on by exposure to cold or damp, and are quickly cured by applying this eminent remedy and massaging the affected parts. Rheumatism of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is allayed by this liniment. For sale by Davis Pharmacy and all druggists.

Only the first baby is favored with visits from the angels in its slumbers. A little pangorice is what the others get.—Chico News.

WANT EXEMPTION FARM LAW In Regard to Carrying Electric Head Lights

Special Correspondence.  
Raleigh, May 5.—As counsel for, the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line railroad companies, Mr. Jas. H. Pou has filed with the corporation commission petitions for the commission to exempt locomotives in certain classes of service from the necessity of being equipped with electric headlights under the operation of the act of the 1909 legislature, requiring that all locomotives on main lines shall be equipped with the electric headlights, this equipment to be accomplished at the rate of one fourth of the number in service each year for four years. The petitions do not specify just the classes of locomotives that are desired to be exempted. This will be clearly set out when the petitions come up for hearing later.

The Corporation Commission has set May 12, as the time for hearing the petition of citizens of Sanford for the railroads running into that town to be required to join in an adequate union passenger station. The roads involved are the Atlantic Coast Line, The Seaboard Air Line, The Southern and the Atlantic and Western.

N. C. Federation of Women's Clubs  
The seventh annual, session of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in Raleigh from May 4th to 6th, the following is the program.

WEDNESDAY, MAY THE TENTH  
9.30 a. m. At the State Capitol. Presentation of credentials.  
10.00 a. m. Invocation Mrs. T. N. Ivey Minutes of Tuesday's meeting Report of credential Committee. Report of Board of Directors. Reports of departments—Library, Extension, Education, Civic, Art Music Publication.

The New Library Commission—Mr. Lewis R. Wilson.  
The Joint Education Committee of the N. E. A. . . . Mrs. R. R. Cotten Betterment of Public Schools Mrs. W. R. Hollowell.

1.30 p. m. Luncheon at the Woman's Club, given by the Raleigh Merchants Association.

2.30 p. m. Reports of Departments—Industrial and Child Labor, Republicity, Child Study, Household Economics, Literature, Forestry. Reports of Special Committees—Legislative, Library Commission, Scholarship.

5.30 p. m. At the State Capitol. A Woman's Equipment Miss Laura Drake Gill, chairman of committee on Education, G. F. W. C., introduced by Mrs. F. L. Stevens, Chairman of Education Committee, N. C. F. W. C.

The great hunt has begun. Five dollars.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Five years ago I was taken with a severe waterworks, with the result that my eyes were nearly blind. I was advised to try the eye-water of the water house, and was cured.

"So far it must be admitted that saying had been effected. I do not think that it was ever anticipated that there would be any saving in the expenses of administration, as the management of a trading concern by a monopolist body must always involve expenditure quite outside that which falls on a private company."

Dustin Farman seems to be a good actor, even in court.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY Coughs, Colds, CROUP, Whooping Cough

WONDERFUL ANIMAL SACACITY Gentry Brothers Dogs and Poodles Appear in a Pleasing Exhibition.

A large number of people witnessed a most wonderful and most interesting exhibition of animal sagacity yesterday. It was a show that kept the spectators guessing all the time what was coming next for the animals could do everything but talk and some of the dogs talked.

The circus has made several visits to New Bern and every time they come they present a performance that produces ecstatic wonderment. A circus such as we commonly have, the acts are regarded with due praise but dumb animals doing stunts that practically seem impossible, with regularity and apparently a good deal of reasoning is something that commands more than passing notice.

The poodles were the first to perform and they appeared in a patriotic act, representing the great nations of the world. They were beautiful little animals and made a pretty sight. The poodles then executed some military manoeuvres with ease and accuracy.

The dogs occupied a large part of the time with their part of the program. The jumping act was very clever, their appearance seemed to indicate that they were not highly bred dogs but belonged to that class commonly known as "cur". This despicable class of canine, it is said, makes the best fo, tricks and acting.

The elephants, monkeys, pigs goats and sheep all had acts that were intensely pleasing and caused great animation from the crowd.

Some very clever horizontal bar performances were given. The clowns were especially good in that act. The show demonstrated that animals are capable of doing a whole lot more than we are supposed to believe.

Rev. John H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several religious books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. I had to get up several times during the night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased. The irregularities disappeared and I can cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy. Davis Pharmacy.

A Banquet to Devils.  
The following paragraph from Pearson's magazine will be read with interest by the many friends of Arthur Devlin to whom fame came after he played "Second" in New Bern.

"Arthur Devlin entered the professional ranks after graduating from Georgetown University. He played with Newark for one season and his brilliant game attracted attention. New York signed him and today he is the leading third baseman of the National League. Devlin lives at Washington, D. C., where he has a beautiful home. His charming wife is the daughter of a Chicago Trust President.

A musical atmosphere pervades the Devlin home; the head of the house contributes his share. Devlin's exquisite mandolin playing is a pleasurable remembrance to all who have heard it. Arthur Devlin loves his home. The attractions of social life are almost irresistible, but when the time comes he hearkens to the call of the diamond—shall a born third baseman hide his talent under the bush? Perish the thought!"

Transformers of Base ball.

Kills the Flead.  
The worst foe for 12 years for John Deye, of Gladwin, Mich., was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over \$400.00 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures fever-sores, felon, eczema, salt rheum, infallible for piles, burns, scalds, cuts, corns. 25c at all druggists.

Very Attractive Special Rates via Southern Railway to Charlotte, N. C., and Return, Account, Twentieth of May Celebration.

Account twentieth of May celebration, Charlotte, N. C., May 16-20, 1909 the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets at rates quoted below:

Table with 2 columns: FROM, RATE. Rows include Raleigh (\$5.35), Selma (6.25), Goldsboro (6.85), Durham (4.50), Oxford (5.65), Henderson (6.10), Burlington (6.55).

These tickets will be on sale May 17, 18 and 19th, and for trains scheduled to arrive Charlotte, by 1.00 p. m. May 20th. Final limit to leave Charlotte, up to but not later than midnight of May 22nd.

For further information regarding rates from other points, schedules, Pullman accommodations, etc. call on any Southern Railway ticket agent, or address the undersigned.  
W. H. TAYLOR, General Passenger Agent, Washington, D. C.  
R. H. DELBERT, Traveling Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

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