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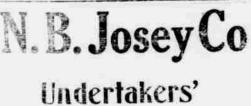
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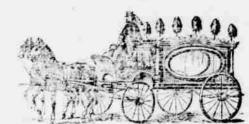
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# Joan of Arc and Other Heroines.

Arc are a well-deserved tribute to one of the most inspiring and heroic deaths are caused figures in history. The nobility of apoplexy are often | 190 ceased to be questions of contro- | English, at Trinity College. versy. She was spiritually minded, conscientious to the last degree in rircle of her daily life. There was a radition that France would be des. Swamp-Root corrects inability to gin. Joan of Arc believed she was 21-45, with two ladies among the muffins into useful and self-respector the deliverance of France. She negro woman. spuplied to the French cause trenendous energy and confidence. She in life can be achieved by unflinch- ate it. ing perseverence, under divine guidance, Joan of Arc was a woman mp-Root, and don't let a dealer sell reverence.

Joan of Arc had the quality of gentle- festation of the interest our people cupation. ness to a notable degree. Her voice, take in those less fortunate than it is said, was of great sweetness. they, and the desire they have to walk of life lies in keeping the mind She had the fine grace and dignity help them. of manner and that simple sincerity of faith which shrinks from no ordeal, however severe, to execute a International Association of Labor after spending many years of study lofty purpose. In everyday life Bureaus will be held in Henderson- in any branch to be forced from any women of the present generation ville. Hon. M. L. Shipman, Com- cause to give this up, and begin over Office hours from 9 to 1 o'clock noble service, a spirit of unselfish- was one of the speakers at the meet- to make the best of life in spite of ness and self-sacrifice, equal in every ing of the Association in Rochester, the crippled condition. way to the high and noble character- N. Y. last week, extended the inviistics of Joan of Arc. They endure tation on behalf of the mayor and similar misfortune know how hard it suffering with an equanimity which board of trade of Hendersonville, and is to have the sounds we loved lockputs most men to blush. They sub- Governor Kitchin for the State. mit to disappointments with a resig-219-221 Atlastic Trust Building nation that few men emulate. The genue sex is in many respects is preparing to elect a professor of but seeks some way out into the light the braver sex, the more persever- Farm Extension work. This is a new and sunshine. Notary Public. Bell Phone 760 ing, the more resolute, the more office and much of the time of the helpful sex. It has been said, as the professor who fills it will be devoted final estimate of Joan of Arc, that to visiting the farmers, arranging over the loss of a sense, even in the greatness of her career did not for farm schools of short periods in dreams, and only faith in the heaven-ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT consist so much in her military ach- various sections of the State and as- ly Father and the knowledge that ievements as in her pure, true, un- sisting the schools that have farms He knows will help one to bear such selfish character, her nobility of pur- attached. The professors entire time, a misfortune. pose, her unswerving fidelity.— in short, will be given to aiding in all To make the most of life one Baltimore Sun.

# Beware of the Croaker.

miserated that much more. The tian Sun; First Vice-President-M. but you mar the beauty of the rose. croaker comes in two forms-dead L. Shipman, Editor Hendersonville So we may spoil many a gift of blesswinter be mild or severe. The moss | Third Vice-President-W. K. Jacob- our lives into patterns of beauty and indicates nothing especially, except son, Editor Washington Progress; strength. He has a perfect plan and exploiting its superior advant- wards. ages and he will say: "Well, you go a head advertise it; boom it. I'd like to see you do it," with a shrug of the shoulders. "You will never boom this town." The croaker is generally too lazy to labor under an impression. He may have made some money in his life, but he does not live-he only exists. If he is in business and is asked to advertise, he says his goods do not need advertising, and besides he is located on a prominent corner and everybody sees his goods as they pass," for they rarely go in. The croaker never gives his neighbor or fellowman credit for anything he accomplishes.

If you go to a local merchat and show him a plan or suggest to him an enterprize which if carried out would be of great benefit to all concerned and ask his co-operation and he says, "Well, who is this? Go and see the other business men, and if Scotland Neck, North Carolina they go into it I may do so, too." Look out for him. He may not be a croaker, but he has dangerous habit. He is the first to expect plaints, but be sure that you get Debenefits that accrue from the united Witt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. We

-Exchange.

# MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST.

#### The recent honors paid to Joan of What is Transpiring in North Carolina and Other States.

otism and loftiness of purpose, long win Mims, in the Department of condition.

discharge of her household cotton mill at Winston-Salem headed crippled newsboy, who, from his misluties, although engrossed with by J. W. Cannon, of Concord, \$125,- fortune had every right to expect to houghts reaching far beyond the 000 to be the paid in capitol stock.

ivered from the calamities which plication for examination for license fitting them for responsible positions had fallen upon the nation, because to practice at a meeting of the State in life, and besides all this befriendof the depravity of a woman, through | Board of Examiners the past week. | ed and helped other newsboys, transthe instrumentality of a chaste vir- The applicants ranged in age from forming them from worthless ragathe divinely appointed instrument number and 15 negro men and one ing creatures.

aspired the French soldiers with en- out and widening the canal of the husiasm ennobled by religion. Ab- Roanoke Navigation and Water Powsolutely fearless in battle, ever re- er Company has been launched. When

At the meeting of the North Caro-

The next annual meeting of the

tural education in the State.

At the annual meeting of the North to know the end of things: May the saints have pity on a town | Carolina Press Association in Henor a city with a croaker in it! If it dersonville last week the following by putting your hands upon it, but has two, three or a half a dozen officers were elected: President it will strike wrong; you can tear croakers living in it, it is to be com- Rev. J. O. Atkinson, Editor Chris- the rose bud open before its time, or alive. He has moss on the North Hustler; Second Vice-President-J. ing which God is preparing for us by side of him, no matter whether the R. Swan, Editor Madison Record; our own eager haste. He is weaving that it should be removed from the Secretary and Treasurer-J. B. Sher- for each. Don't pull at threads of community at once. The croaker rill, Editor Concord Times; Historian life; God's love is the motive of all always views his own town from a Archibald Johnson, Editor Charity delay, to give us unexpected and pessimistic point of view. He has and Children; Oraror-W. C. Ham- surprising blessings." Exchange. no word of praise for any one or mer, Editor Asheboro Courier; Poet anything that tends to assist in the |-D. L. St. Clair, Editor Sanford progress of the community. You Express; Executive Committee-H. tell a creaker that much is going to A. London, W. C. Dowd, H. B. be done toward booming the town Varner, Josephus Daniels, D. T. Ed-

evidently believes that the women branch of the legislature.

right away when you experience the ideas upon a reluctant opposition.—
'enterprise' 'follow your leader' least sign of kidney or bladder comThe Commoner. E. T. Whitehead Company.

-News-Leader.

#### Make Best of Life.

SCOTLAND NECK, N. C., THURSDAY, JULY 1, 1909.

It is said that ambition has ruined Dr. Frank Brown, of the Univer- and be content, when they have character of Joan of Arc, her patrisity of Chicago, will succeed Dr. Edevery opportunity of improving their a lonely country road on the front,

> A project is on foot to build a new right time. All have heard of the Ginny." be supported, and who, instead, supported his mother gave his broth-Only 127 young doctors filled ap- ers the best education obtainable,

No one can be truly happy with out some occupation, and since the The big steam dredge for cleaning days of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, work has been the best panacea for all evils. The mind stagnates under a continual round of fusing to acknowledge defeat, con- ready for work it will require the idleness, and it is a very weak mind vinced that success in any endeavor services of five or six men to oper- even if the one possesses great wealth, that would be willing to spend the days in idleness.

Work has proved the salvation of whom the world now recognizes as lina Teachers' Assembly at More- many a sorrow burdened soul. worthy of all honor, admiration and head City the State's educators When we meet with the great sorpledged themselves to build a cot- rows of life our first impulse is to It has been the usage almost from tage at the Jackson Training School. give up and brood, and then the ly those who had been beyond the time immemorial to characterize wo- This is a noble work they have un- weak mind goes under while the men as members of the gentle sex. dertaken, and is only another mani- stronger one seeks strength and oc-

The true road to happiness in any busy and in getting completely away from self.

At first it seems almost unbearable

Only those who have suffered a ed away from us, and hardest of all the human voice; still the great mind The A. and M. College at Raleigh does not give up as dark as it seems,

No matter how well one may play his part in the world he never gets

possible ways the cause of agricul- must learn not to fret or worry; here is a rare bit of prose that has helped when restless and impatient

"You can make the clock strike

# Guaranty of Bank Deposits.

The cause is growing. Oklahoma, The World Good Enough for a Woman? Texas the State bank can choose be- C., in Washington Progress. tween joining the compulsory sys-The discontented woman, or the tem and giving individual security, one with a grievance against man, but so far every bank that has acted might incline her ear and listen pro- has decided upon the guaranty sysfitably to Miss Nora Davis, a young tem. In Kansas and South Dakota woman of Alabama, who wrote the voluntary systems have been adoptnovel, "Wallace Rhodes," published ed, while in Colorado, Arkansas and

who have had actual experience Attorney General Wickersham has single-handed with the world are the delivered an opinion to the effect by Congress next winter. women who have not found it so un- that national banks are at liberty to fair. "The days when a woman has insure their depositors, and insur- about \$35,000,000 have just been reto, as I had to," writes Miss Davis, ance companies are already being ceived in Washington from the Canal ing, who cause most of our dissatis-"knock about, a frail soldier of for- organized for that purpose. The Zone, and are being reviewed by faction. tune, living by her wits, are the days fight made last year has had its in- Secretary of War Dickinson. when she is achieving, without know- fluence, and in spite of Republican Already there has been appropriing it, all the rights that my eman- opposition to the plan, the protec- ated for the purchase of canal rights cipated sex is striving for so elo- tion of depositors is coming. The from France and Panama and for quently. One's life is one's own; Republican leaders have taken the constuction a total of \$210,000,000. spect. what more is there? The world is a side of the big financiers, but even Secretary Dickinson finds it very good place if a woman knows how to the big financiers will in the end be difficult to reduce the estimates, and take it. It treats her well enough." compelled to yield to the just de- Congress itself has learned that a remand of the depositors for security. duction of the estimates merely in-And so another Democratic doctrine vites a deficiency appropriation later. If you have pains in the back, weak is being vindicated. The Democrat- Exchange. symptoms. He is vaccinated and the back, or any other indication of a ic party has something to be proud pobabilities are that it will take unless something is done for him. He needs a hypedermic injection of the kidneys or bladder, you should get DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills trol public sentiment and force its right, away when you experience the ideas upon a reluctant opnosition.

up. Conn.

#### "Once Upon a Time."

Close under the shadows of a deep A Set of Rules Issued By a Chicago many souls, but it is only the most swamp, where the ratan and bramindolent beings who can sit down boo twineth on the rear, and hard by nestled the little hut of an old color-There is a chance for all if only ed woman commonly recognized they will see it and take it at the among the neighbors, as "Old Aunt

> with nothing to cheer the long weary | work makes my face long. hours, save the pattering footsteps and pleasant smiles of her little

The sublimest instict of her nature was a feeble effort to sing, and her chief employment was gathering tooth brushes for "de white folks." Go by there whenever you might, if the old lady was not out on her mission of devotional service of distributing her ware among the women, you shop. might hear that tremulous voice within, a doleful knell, something without either words or music, to say nothing of harmony.

All about the time that this story had its origin, there came a man through our section from Scotland Neck in pursuit of some mill property. Now there had never been a bicycle through this country and onlimits of their own narrow confines a faint idea how that a man with is capable of stealing from me. nothing but the power of locomotion could sit with one wheel in front of him and one behind, go flying through do at night. But if dissipation af- tered. It must take into account space like chaff before a gale of fects what you do next day, and you the needs and the aspirations of man-

At this particular time the old last half as long. lady happened to be about the house and the little grandchild was at play display a fortitude, a consecration to missioner of labor and printing, who again at something else, determined on the roadside in the dust, where granny was pounding away on her tooth brushes, for she rarely delivered them until they were in fine condition for immediate use.

> swooping down upon her like a huge eagle upon its prey, she gazed for a hasty second until she could catch some faint idea of its construction when she went flying to the house our actual enemies. velling at the top of her voice, "gran', gran', gran', yonder comes The old woman assured of the fact a good fellow. that something wonderfully unusual The world would be better off had startled her little girl in such a without "good fellows." frenzied fit, hastened to the door and Enemies, after all, are usually ious apparition for the bicycle was as we do. now nearing the door, she grabbed As though we had a right to questhe little child by the arm and with tion the other man's right to think! superhuman strength she landed her And had a right to claim all wis in the middle of the floor, and slam- dom for ourselves! and placing one foot behind her, and his assistants. putting her great shoulder against the door as though she would bar let you go. the very satanic powers themselves, weary waiting amid the death like to anything." stillness that pervaded the little dark taking the old woman by the hem of her garment in undertones asked, yourself a half doxen first-class en-"Gran', gran', gran', what was it?."

The old woman still entertaining you." Nebraska and Texas now have com- doubts of their safety, said, "hush, pulsory systems for the protection hush, be quiet child, dats de devil on of depositors in State banks. In two wheels. G. F. C., Belhaven, N.

# Cost of the Big Ditch.

A quarter of a billion of dollars will have been appropriated by Congress for the purchase and construction of the Isthmian Canal, if the esrecently by the Harpers. Miss Davis Indiana the guaranty bill passed one timates for the expenditures in canal than we're worth. construction for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1910, are agreed to

These estimates, amounting to cent we earn.

# There Has Recently Been Placed

pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, Harman Brown, in Baltimore Sun. called Mother Gray's Australian Leaf. "Generally debilitated for years. It is the only certain regulator. Quicknificant, inconsistent incumbrance. bladder pills. They are sold here by woman."-Mrs. Chas. Freitoy, Moos- 50 cents. Sample free. Address, The ly. They are sold by E. T. Whitehead Company. Trial Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

#### TEN "DEMANDMENTS."

Manufacturer.

RULE I.

Don't lie-it wastes my time and yours. I'm sure to catch you in the end and that's the wrong end. RULE II.

There in the solitude of her souls clock. A long day's work makes a York World. tranquility, she lived for many years long day short and a day's short RULE III. Give me more than I expect and

> you increase my profits. You owe so much to yourself that you can't afford to owe anybody else.

> > RULE V.

Good men, like good women, can't ginnings they do not find easy access see temptation when they meet it.

RULE VI. Mind your own business and in time you'll have a business of your own to mind.

RULE VII.

Don't do anything here which hurts your self-respect. The emhad ever seen one and could give but ployee who is willing to steal for me RULE VIII.

RULE IX. but what I ought to hear. I don't follies of the ignorant. To be interwant a valet to my vanity, but I need one for my dollars.

RULE X.

Don't kick if I kick-if you're The little girl catching the glimpse worth while correcting you're worth which trained minds and true hearts of something up the road as it sud- while keeping. I don't waste time may promote justice, encourage denly rounded the curve coming cutting specks out of rotten apples.

#### From Our Friends.

Our ostensible friends are often

Not always, but often. "We're too apt to think a friend is

a man on two rollers, aint no ox, a "good fellow." And by the same no horse, nor nothin' pullin' it." token an enemy is one who isn't a

getting but a glance at the myster- those who don't happen to see things

"Harry," he said, "I'm going to

"You're too popular," continued

room, the child ventured up, and before him dumfounded, he added: "But if you'll go out and make

> emies there may be some hope for Friends—as the term is generally

Are a positive hindrance to advancement and development.

It's our friends who agree that the pany. boss isn't fair to us-When we're really being better treated than we deserve.

It's our friends who tell us we ought to be getting more salary-When we're already getting more

It's our friends who think we ought to be living better-When we're now spending every

It's our friends, generally speak

What are we to do about it? out who's who-A lot of money and a lot of self-re-

You can save both, if you will. First of all, you want to get a new

definition for "friend." The great inventor thought a half dozen first-class enemies desirable. Because the thought of dislike is

mighty likely to spur us on. We really do our best-quite frein all the drug stores an aromatic, quently-as a matter of half spite.-

#### The Helpful Life.

NUMBER 26.

When the President of Vassar Colege told the graduating class that they should "try to be helpers of men, not destroyers," he sounded the keynote of the one worthy career. We have heard much of the simple life, the strenerous life, the balanced life and the tranquil life, but the helpful life is more to be de-Watch your work and not the sired than any of them, says the New

The public necessity for it could not be expressed in stronger words than in those used by President Woodrow Wilson in his baccalaure-I'll pay you more than you expect. ate address at Princeton in describ-I can afford to increase your pay if ing an era "in which men kept their legal obligations as well as usual and yet came near ruining the country, piled up wealth and forgot how to use it honorably, built up business and came near to debauching a Keep out of debt or keep out of my

Men and women who enjoy the advantages of college training are Dishonesty is never an accident. themselves at fault if from such beto the only true aristocracy of the day. The beneficiaries of a culture denied to most people, they are under the highest obligations to consider the welfare and rights of others. In no other way can the higher education be anything but the selfish possesion of a class. Noblesse oblige should appeal as strongly to those holding rank in the world of learning as it once did to a nobilty of birth.

It's none of my business what you The helpful life cannot be self-cendo half as much as I demand, you'll kind, the world-old wrongs, the crying injustices, the unavailing, even the despairing struggles of the weak, Don't tell me what I'd like to hear, the brutalities of the strong and the ested in humanity, to sympathize with those who toil, to assist whenever assistance is needed or deserved, to be kindly, appreciative and of service in the thousand ways in merit and support progress—these are the sum of the helpful life, and it is the only life that is worth while. - Exchange.

# A Town's Trade Territory.

The trade territory of a town is not all dependent upon the distance to neighboring trading points. The trade territory depends upon the enterprise of the merchants and the residents of the town. If a town does not reach after the trade it will come only as fast as it has to, and it will grow as it is forced to. But if the merchants go after business in the surrounding country, advertising in every possible way, and make good every word of their advertising, trade ing the door too with all her might A great inventor sent for one of will come from an ever-increasing radius, the town will gain a reputation for being awake and it will forge to the front. It is the men in the town and not altogether the men waited for the crisis. After long the great man. "You'll never amount living within a certain number of miles from it that makes the town And then, as the young man stood good for nothing. - Fort Mill, S. C.

> Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve when you ask for it. There are great many imitations, but there is just one original. This salve is good for anything where a salve is needed to be used, but it is especially good for Piles. Sold by E. T. Whitehead Com-

When we do meet a man whose head hasn't been turned by success we conclude that he must have a stiff

# This is an Easy Test.

Sprinkle Allen's Foot-Ease in one shoe and not in the other, and notice the difference. Just the thing to use when rubbers or overshoes become necessary, and your shoes seem to pinch. Sold everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

You can tell the different kinds of Usually it costs a man a lot to find trees by thier bark, but not the different kinds of dogs.

# Life 100,000 Years Ago.

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stub-The best pills made are DeWitt's born cough." To cure sore lungs, efforts, energy and enterprises of know what they will do for you, and if the end sick headaches, lacked ambition, ly relieves female weaknesses and back- Little Early Risers, the famous little colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent the end sick headaches, lacked ambition, ly relieves female weaknesses and back- Little Early Risers, the famous little colds, obstinate coughs, and prevent the end of the end efforts, energy and enterprises of others, but is the last to lend a hand. Witt & Co., Chicago, you will receive was all worn-out and all run-down. ache, Kidneys, bladder and urinary liver pills. They are small, gentle, pneumonia, its the best medicine on was all worn-out and all run-down. At all druggists or by mail pleasant, easy to take and act prompt- earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed The croaker is a pusillanimous insig- a free trial box of these kidney and Burdock Blood Bitters made me well troubles. At all druggists or by mail pleasant, easy to take and act prompt- earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed