amount. A hint to the wise

and reasonable, is sufficient

Rev. C. Louis Fowler of Clinton, S. C.,

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and Customers

" I have made a prolonged and honest effort to get out of

business, but it is impossible now. Therefore, I am com-

Mr. E. G. LILES will be in charge of my store and will

at all times keep on hand a well-selected stock of Furniture

and House Furnishing Goods, also Organs and Pianos of the

. I invite all of my old friends and customers, and five thou-

I assure you honest and courteous treatment at all times.

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No matter what paint makers say, actual wear is the only

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and other folks believe in it or we could not sell so much of it.

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We believe in it or we would not buy in such quantities

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this pleasant and talented speaker.

best makes.

actual proof.

all the words in the dictionary.

Before you buy paints or oils, get our prices.

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THE DECIDING VOTE.

Editorial Comment

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AND now they are talking of a threatening war with Japan, some is not improbable while others go he has actually done in the legisso far as to say that it is inevitable. Capt. Hobson is out in a series of articles in a leading magazine urging that the United States be prepared, all of he did to justify her confidence. which seems to indicate that there must be something for the war dogs to do even in times of peace. the nations money. There is reason in being prepared to take care of ourselves but in world affairs as in private life, there has been many changes recently. The time was when nearly every man felt the need of going armed while today thousands of the bill," said she. country's best business men and most useful citizens think no more of putting a weapon in their pock-Will lecture to the Epworth League of the Methodist church here tomorrow night. The public is cordially invited to attend and hear on the part of the warlords and it is your opportunity. I know you

> Whether your shell hits the target or is five hundred dollars You thing of noise and flame and We feed you a hundred barrels of Each time you roar. Your flame bread

Silence! A million hungry men sumed in every voracious roar of the gun as these toys now go. The big nor had his political friends, which wagons was "swiped" early in the tion or covering. Those who

this expenditure of treasure and of the liquor men. bread were there any necessity for it. But under present conditions the embattled powers are wasting with a spendthrift and a reckless hand the

Civic League Advocated.

Editor of The Ansonian: The following clipping from the Greensboro Record suggests a movement that would greatly benefit Wadesboro. If the organization of a Civic League will accomplish this purpose, let Wadesboro have one and have it quick. T. W. CHAMBLISS.

EF YER DOAN WATCH OUT. An' dig ver dirt an' plant some seeds, Afore yer take your rest; Better keep yer back yard neat An' sweep yer sidewalk clean, An' not throw rubbish in the street. Ter make us call yer mean

Yer'd better get ter cleaning up An' mind what yer about, Or the Civic League 'll get yer,

THE MAN WHO WINS.

Who builds on a basis of solid facts: dream.

But gets there every time-you bet!

The man who wins is the man who A smile to cover his burden of cares; Who knows that the sun will shine

That cloud will pass and we need the Who buckles down to a pile of work, And never sives up and never will Till the task is done, and the toil made

While the temples throb with the red blood's heat. The man who loses is he who moans That the way is rough and he dreads Who is looking for something soft to Where the pay is big and the hours are

Who dreams of this and dreams of But never sails in and throws off his hat; Who fears the feel of a drop of sweat, And never gets anywhere—You bet! man who wins is the man who

A human engine, with triple beam And a hundred and fifty pounds steam!-Sel.

Rings Little Liver Pills for biliousness and sick-headache. They clean the sys-em and clear the skin. Price 25c. Try them. Sold by Martin Drug Co.

(Youth's Companion)

There lives in a western state a humble old lady whose interest in Carl Schurz's "The South after the politics is confined to the single fact that her son was elected a number of years ago a member of was a very serious thing, and it the legislature, and has several assuring us that such a condition times since been reelected. What lature she does not know. She has no doubt that he has done all that good boy, grown to be a great man, ought to have done or

ited his mother, and chided her much of this jingo talk appears to had saved them all, and knew just be an excuse for spending more of where they were; but she confessed that she had not been able to read them all, nor to understand very well what she had read.

> "But you are going to make a speech this year that I shall read, every word," she said. Tell me which one that is, and I'll be sure to make it," said he.

"It's the one on the anti-saloon "Oh, that one!" he said, some-

what confusedly. "Yes. I know it will be a good will be true to it.'

the more economy in the expendi- "I don't know that I have much nounce Jefferson Davis or any of the fall-sown grains, wheat or us immediately to the closing ture of the nation's money. In confidence in these efforts to make the heads of the rebellion guilty oats. Drill your grain and follow scenes in the life of the Christ. the New York World there ap- men good by legislation. You of treason. A trial by a military with the seeder; and let the first Study carefully the accounts in peared a few days ago the following poem "To a Nine-inch lowing poem "To a Nine-inch lower poem to prohibit it altogether always that I can the lower than regulated the liquor traffic. The attempt to prohibit it altogether always that I can the liquor traffic. The attempt to prohibit it altogether always that I can the liquor traffic. The attempt to prohibit it altogether always it ary tribunal for the trial of a lower property to a million with the seed down into the bottoms of the little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always it ary tribunal for the trial of a lower property to a million with the seed down into the bottoms of the little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always it ary tribunal for the trial of a lower property to a million with the seed down into the late of the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always it are tribunal for the trial of a lower property to a million with the seed down into the late of the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always it are tribunal for the trial of a lower property to a million with the seed down into the late of the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always litting the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always litting the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always litting the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it altogether always litting the people wonder little furrows left to prohibit it always litting the people wonder litting t Gun," and apt comment on the fails. I don't know that I can political offense after the war clover will come up together. make a speech in favor of that might have looked like a stretch

> But the arguments fell unheeded on her ears. She did not take them this New World republic. seriously. She thought her son joking, as was his wont.

"Oh, I know you like to tease me," she said, "but I know you'll Relative to the capture near vote for that bill, and speak for it. Albermarle last week of the two you every day, that God will bless | Chronicle of that town says: that speech and make it win the

speak on the bill, but on the other reaching town and an extra face; and the middle of February side; and he never had doubted, quart that was in one of the sow the clover, without preparawelve inch minotaurs demand a far way he would vote. But the weeks game, and one of the drivers miss- will try this will be surprised at went by, and the fate of the bill ed a valuable watch which he left the results. They will see clover hung in the balance, and he kept in his coat in the wagon. When growing on land that they consihis own counsel. It was assumed, ready to start it was discovered der too poor for anything but fed to the vultures of war in a time of however; that he would vote that a fine Shepherd dog which peas. against the bill in the end, and so followed the wagon here was his silence caused no uneasiness to missing and could not be found.

"I know why you are waiting," wrote his mother. "You are waiting to make your great speech treasure and the opportunities of their when the great fight comes. God bless you, my boy! I am praying for you. How proud I am of you!"

It was that letter that put all doubt aside. When the lines began to tighten and a deadlock was threatening, he first voted on an amendment which forecasted his final action. That vote brought surprise to the friends of temperance and discouragement to the friends of the liquor cause.

And when the bill came up on its third reading he spoke. He did not see the members of the House, but he saw an old woman, reading his speech through spectacles that required frequent wiping conviction.

The vote was so close that any one of a dozen things might have turned the scale; but among the stories told in the committee rooms, after the bill became a law under which several hundred saloons were obliged to close, is that here related. It is the true story of the way a mother's prayers and confidence had their decisive influence in the making of a law.

Fifteen Bills of Indictment Against the Saloon-What it Does for the Community.

A reward of \$50 will be paid by the Anti-Saloon League of North Carolina for a refutation of any one of these charges against the

 It makes drunkards. 2. It breeds crime. 3. It causes strife.

4. It corrupts morals. 5. It fosters indolence.

6. It produces poverty. 7. It destroys character. 8. It ruins health. 9. It brings sorrow.

It hinders business 11. It increases taxes. 12. It makes orphans.

13. It crowds courts. 14. It fills jails. 15. It damns souls.

saloon you identify yourself with Given a nation of saloon-keepers. it and all of its evils. Go to the polls on the 26th day Given a nation of gamblers and of May and register your vote the nation as a whole becomes the

sores, ulcers, fever sores, eczema and piles. 25c at Parsons Drug Co.

LINCOLN AND DAVIS. GROW COW PEAS

Capture of Confederate President an Embarassing Incident.

War." in McClure's.

was regarded by not a few coolheaded and long-sighted men as a pea is the main nitrogen gathering very unfortunate one. It has be- plant of the South and will concome well known that President tinue to be so from the fact that Lincoln wished that downfall of it not only supplies nitrogen to 4:19. the Confederacy would not deliver our thin soils but, also furnishes FUNDAMENTALS. the chief of the Confederacy into the best forage for our stock. could do; and one thing, at least, into his hands. A Lincoln anec- Yet, we must admit that they are dote current at the time seemed to an expensive crop when compared When the legislature assembled have good authority behind it. with the nitrogen gathering crop in the autumn of 1906, the son vis- After Lee's surrender a friend of the North-clover. For peas, asked Mr. Lincoln whether he did we must plow, harrow and drag good naturedly for not reading not think it would be best to let the land, in order to get the soil We are not afraid of war and so the speeches he had sent her. She Jefferson Davis get out of the in the proper mechanical condicountry. Lincoln answered by tion for the reception of the seed. telling a story of a Methodist To obviate this, I have tried for preacher out West, a strict tem- years to find a substitute, or at perance man, who was offered a least lessen the expense and work of Olives. glass of water with a dash of of obtaining nitrogen; and at the brandy in it, and who replied same time to produce a quantity beginning of the last week. The that he would not object to a drop of nutritius forage. of something strong in his drink, if that drop could be put in "unbeknownst" to himself.

> of arbitrary power belitting an Old World desposition, rather than

They Fell Among Thieves.

And I shall read every word of wagon loads of whiskey claimed your speech, and I shall pray for by Mr. Sheek of this place, the

The son had, indeed, expected to of whiskey had been stolen after grass forms a mulch over the sur-

The Enterprise of Albermarle Mr. Sheek brought his lawyer

the goods from Salisbury to Wilmington, the excuse being that it saved freight and prevented stolen goods while in transit.

who were trying him. and it was a speech that carried Cape Fear Distilling Co., Wilmington, N. C.

some time past, and there is his sworn duty or by doing nothmuch speculation as to why this method is being resorted to at this elective official in a county to entime. The circumstances would

"ardent" was seen near Ansonville on Saturday morning following the affair in Stanly. Sheriff
Martin and Mr. B. E. Bennett
went out to investigate sometime
went out to investigate sometime

Seturday but foiled to find the state vote promotion, as they
will, public sentiment is going to
be such that the sheriff who does
not enforce the law is going to
have less chance of re-election than
he would have if he enforced the
be would have if he enforced the
he would offer Christ

Every one should offer Christ

Every one should offer Christ

Every one should offer Christ

Allocation and he would rest with
the same. The world remembers
the same is the same of a man. They are told
lem in the morning. The writer
has adopted the earlier date as the
time of the feast, although the Saturday but failed to find the people's will as registered at the wagon, noticing however the polls on the 26th of May. signs of its late appearance on Anson soil.- It comes out now that whiskey wagons have been seen quite often between this place and the Stanly line since saloons were voted out.

Keeping Open House.

Everybody is welcome when we fee good; and we feel that way only when our digestive organs are working properly. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the action of stomach, liver and bowels so perfectly one can't help feeling good when he uses these pills. 25c at Parsons Drug Co.

"The man is the State; his char-When you vote to license the acter is the character of the State. and the nation is a drunkard. The ladder of life to the cheery chimes
Of the bells of labor, the bells of toil,
And isn't afraid that his skin will spoil

"I am a carpenter and have had many severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It has saved me suffering and gardless of its resources, wealth, laborated by Bucklen's Arnica severe cuts healed by Bucklen's Arnica gardless of its resources, wealth, laborated by Bucklen's Arnica gardless of its resources, wealth, laborated by Bucklen's Arnica gardless of its power.—Exchange. a nation of libertines and prosti-

piles. 25c at Parsons Drug Co.

Man Zan Pile Remedy, price 50c, is guaranteed. Put up ready to use, One application prompt relief to any form of piles. Soothes and heals. Sold by Martin Drug Co.

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WHERE NECESSARY

But Clovers Are Preferable Since a Cheaper Crop and Soil Improvers. Clarendon Davis in Progressive Far-

Messrs. Editors: While the

So far I find there is no plant that can take the place of that the people of Bethany. Lincoln no doubt saw clearly child of Massey, the cowpea; but that the capture of Jefferon Davis I have been able in a great meas- CONNECTION. would burden the government ure to substitute two clovers, red farce for it seemed a forgone con- now in vogue were changed. The Gospel of John passes over

> down and part the blades or grain, be might be apprehended. and you will find the tiny clover LESSON STORY. plants nestling under the grain for

The surest and, to mind, the ideal way to obtain a stand of clover and hold it through adverse weather conditions is to take a The count showed that two kegs crab grass field where the dead

> Prohibition Law in the Hands of Sheriff. (Lexington Dispatch.)

The sheriffs of North Carolina with him from Wadesboro and can make prohibition prohibit or also employed local counsel. His they can make it a failure, by acdefense was that he was hauling tion or inaction. The sheriff is the king pin of the whole outfit. In Cumberland county, we would presume, the blockader is a wary creature, because the sheriff in That there was something rot- that county keeps them on the ten in Denmark was evident. But move. He cuts up a still, seems it was also evident that Mr. like, every week. In Iredell we haps knew the limits and weak laws as they exist today, we do points of the law better than those not recall the facts,. When the new prohibition law goes into ef-The packages were addressed to fect, more responsibility than ever will be placed on the sheriff's shoulders, and North Carolina will Several similar loads have been watch him to see if he makes that Many believed and the Jews took time and absent only a few Sunpassing through this section for law a success or failure by doing counsel that they might put Laza- days. ing. It is very hard to get an him alive and believed. danger his prospects of a re-elec- ILLUSTRATIVE. seem to justify a careful investi- tion by too much activity against It seems a little strange that a we believe that after the people of that all the evening of the Jewish Sab-It seems a little strange that a we believe that after the people of that although cleansed, he was bath. Jesus retired each night to the state vote prohibition, as they Simon the leper. Today it is the Bethany where he would rest with

Walter Damrosch tells of a matron in Chicago, who in company with her young nephew, was attending a musical entertainment, went, while a humble woman, kinds of powers. Wesley's motto says Harper's Weekly.

entirely unfamiliar to the youth; behind. but when the "Wedding March" of Mendelssohn was begun he began to evince more interest. "That sounds familiar," he said

'I'm not strong on these classical pieces, but that's a good one. What is it?"

"That," explained the matron, is the 'Maiden's Prayer.'"

Love Language.

Again he crushed her to him. 'Darling," he breathed, "this against this institution of the devil. embodiment of the passion. Given kiss tells you all that I would

> "Did you understand me dear?" he whispered. Blushing faintly, she rejoined: Repeat what you said,

Here comes the spring winds to chap, tan and freckle. Use Pinesalve Car-bolized (acts like a poultice) for cuts, sores, burns, chapped lips, hands and face. It soothes and heals. Sold by Martin Drug Co.

SUNDAY SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Conducted By Special Editor.

SUNDAY, APRIL 19.

Lesson III. Jesus Anointed at Bethany. John 12:1-11. Golden Text.—"We love him because he first loved us."-I John

six days before the Passover, Fri- was a beautiful example of gratiday, March 31. The next day, tude, love and courage. To face the Jewish Sabbath, Jesus rested. The day closed at sunset and the feast of which we study in our a beautiful fore-glimpse of the

Place.—Bethany, at the house of Simon the leper, on the Mount A thief! But even if this had not Place in the life of Christ. The

beginning of the end. The Audience. Many invited

guests. It is probable that the her to aid and help the poor. feast was a public affair, given by

After the raising of Lazarus as have no stand. You must stoop Jesus should make it known that

The lesson is a touching little and prepared this feast for him. Lazarus is at the table with the tinually watched. Martha is serv-

this." The common people hear- in point of service, in the world. ing that Jesus was there, flocked She has taught for 60 years and rus to death for the people saw

nett, tells of the beautiful cathe- and requires many sorts of help-The selections were apparently out the dust that the crowd left larged:-

robed priests-

'Daughter; it said, 'thou sweep

'It is the Lord!' I cried, and saw

Mary excelled in the service of

The heart of Judas was wrong.

been so, he was still wrong, for

giving begets giving, and the

same spirit which impels Mary to

pour out the ointment upon the

head and feet of Jesus would lead

During the seige of Ladysmith

in the Boer war, a man, professing

to be a soldier, was courtmartialed

for causing despondency and

sentenced to one year's imprison-

ment. The man deserved his

"She who has chosen Martha's part,

May also Mary's secret know

May sit and learn at Jesus feet,

'Her eyes are homes of silent prayer, Nor other thought her mind admits

And he that brought him back is there

Roves from the living brother's face,

All subtile thought, all cupious fears,

Borne down by gladness so complete, She bows, she bathes the Saviour's

The highest duties oft are found

Thy God acceptable will own.

must study the child mind.

"Thousands at his bidding speed,

And post o'er land and ocean without

To make a man, save the boy.

In order to teach the child one

It should be the purpose of the

"See your pupil, not as he is,

But, he was dead, there he sits,

lard gloom

well my floor!

"Then I saw slow through all the pil

the heart and this should accom-Time. - Jesus reached Bethany pany the service of the hands. It misunderstanding, sneers and criticism show all three. It was lesson was held that evening. See sacrifice of Calvary. Christ acnote in the "Hints. cepted and commended it.

with a most embarrassing dilemma. and alsike, to help on the more recorded in our last lesson. Jesus The public voice would insist up- productive soils, while I tackle the with his disciples retires to Northone. My boy, you know what on the chief of the rebellion being poor places with peas. There are ern Judea, in the neighborhood of punishment and every man who ets when going about their daily liquor did for our home years ago. on the chief of the receillon being poor places with peas. There are left sudea, in the neighborhood of has the habit of criticising every tried and punished for treason, many sections of the South where Ephriam for a short rest. The duties than if such never existed. I have prayed, prayed that my son Now, his crime of treason had the clovers grow to perfection; opposition to him is rapidly inattempt at Christian work should The temper of the present times might grow up to save other boys been committed in the South. A and many others where they would creasing and these last few weeks be severely disciplined. do not warrant such extravagance from his father's fate. And this trial for treason would be a mere grow if the methods of feeding are the busy ones with the Master. THE POET'S WORD. clusion that no jury in the South When clover is sown in the fall, with comment the great deeds and is high time they considered a litWell, mother," replied the son, could be found that would proit should be put in early and with teachings and parables and brings so full of household work and care, Intent on serving everywhere, if Christ will dare show himself at the feast. The Chief Priests and Walking over your fields in win- Pharisees had commaded that any ter or spring, you will think you one who knew the whereabouts of Then one deep love doth supercede

story. Simon calls together his friends to meetandgreetJesus, who With costly spinkenard and with tears. is on his way with his disciples to Jerusalem to attend the Passover and offer himself as the sacrifice for the world. Who this Simon In hidden and unnoticed ways, was has been the discussion. Some In household works on common days: think that he was the father of What'er done for God alone, Lazarus, others the husband of Martha and still another theory is that he was the leper who came to Jesus for healing with the word, "thou canst, if thou wilt." At They also serve who only stand and any rate, he loved and knew Jesus others. Jews are there as guests and as spectators. Jesus is coning and if it is not her own home it is the home of a friend where teacher to train the pupil to she is intimate. Mary with a think for himself. heart of love for her friend and Lord anoints his feet and head but as he is to be in years to with a box of very precious oint- come. sold it and turned over to him the God."

ment. Judas exclaims against the "The Sunday School should not extravagance and insists that it supplant the home but supplement would have been better to have it in the study of the Word of proceeds, something over \$50, for One of the greatest mistakes the poor. The sacred writer, the primary teacher is apt to Sheek was well up to his bus- believe, the sheriff has also made however, tells us that it was not make is in not preparing the lesiness and the vigilance of our good, but if this official in any because of love for the poor but son thoroughly. local officials resulted in naught in other county, whether he be rethat he might himself use it, that Parents have no moral right this case. He was at one publican or democrat, has done Judas so complained. Immediate- to delegate the sole religious ly Jesus rebukes Judas. "Trou- training of their children. ble not the woman. She has done It is said that Mrs. Mary A. done what she could. Against the Wright of Burlington, N. J. is day of my burying hath she done the oldest Sunday-school teacher,

his own service. Martha did that strong case in their favor. which she could best do. It was | Christ is not satisfied with a necessary and it was pleasant. single kind of service from any George Macdonald, in a fine son- one. The world has many needs with her broom, kept sweeping for Christian service may be en-

Then, past all the gorgeously

The question of the time of this lesson is unsettled. Some students of the gospels place this feast_on

Tuesday of the Last week while Notice it is "Simon, the leper." others think that it took plack on Every one should offer Christ advocates of the later make a

ALL AT IT, ALWAYS AT IT, AT IT IN ALL WAYS.

Everyone Doesn't Inherit Money

Some have to dig and dig hard for their share. But if you will utilize our Savings Department and lay up a portion of your earnings you will soon have an "inheritance" of your own.

THE BANK OF WADESBORO

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are just the covering needed for country buildings, because

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