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Mite of Seven Years Had Worked Out Solution of Problem to His Satisfaction.

He is the merest mite, only seven, and his widowed mother was married the other day for the second time to "daddy"—a really very nice person who had long been fast friends with the stepson-elect and had no idea of being an interloper.

There are problems to be figured out—even when you are only seven.

"Mother," asked the mite, "who are you going to marry when daddy dies?"

"Why, my dear," she replied, "what a curious question."

"Well," responded the mite, "when father died you married daddy—and now, when daddy dies, I know just who I want you to marry."

"Why, my little son!" exclaimed the perplexed mother. "You shouldn't speak like that. Daddy isn't going to die."

"Yes mother, I know, but he might die. Then, if he ever does, mother, I want you to promise me that you'll marry me—'cause then—then, you see—we would never have to be separated."

Thus, even at seven, does a heart know its own sorrow.

A New Cure.

A bedpost has not generally been regarded so much as an eye-opener as an eye-shutter, but if a story that comes from Boston is true—and what story from Boston was ever untrue—our oculists should go to school to the handmaids of Morpheus. Mr. Frank H. Hayes, who has been stone blind for nine years, so the tale runs, struck his head violently against the bedpost on arising, and was astonished a few minutes afterward to find that his sight had been entirely restored. We do not know whether the virtue of this cure lay in the bedpost or in the fact that it was a Boston bedpost; but if it was really effected in this way there would seem to be a good deal in such inanimate objects not heretofore dreamed of in the philosophy of optics. One of the morals of this modern miracle would seem to be that "knocking" is sometimes a very efficacious process, and that the only way to make some folks see their heads is by knocking them into their things.—Baltimore Sun.

Heartless Prophecies.

"Harold says that after we are married he will want me to dress like a queen."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "And for a while he will be as proud as a king. After that he will grumble like a taxpayer."

THREE REASONS

Each With Two Legs and Ten Fingers.

A Boston woman who is a fond mother writes an amusing article about her experience feeding her boys.

Among other things she says: "Three chubby, rosy-cheeked boys, Bob, Jack, and Dick, respectively, are three of our reasons for using and recommending the food, Grape-Nuts, for these youngsters have been fed on Grape-Nuts since infancy, and often between meals when other children would have been given candy."

"I gave a package of Grape-Nuts to a neighbor whose 3-year-old child was a weakened little thing, ill half the time. The little tot ate the Grape-Nuts and cream greedily and the mother continued the good work, and it was not long before a truly wonderful change manifested itself in the child's face and body. The results were remarkable, even for Grape-Nuts."

"Both husband and I use Grape Nuts every day and keep strong and well and have three of the finest, healthiest boys you can find in a day's march."

Many mothers instead of destroying the children's stomachs with candy and cake give the youngsters a handful of Grape-Nuts when they are begging for something in the way of sweets. The result is soon shown in greatly increased health, strength and mental activity.

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in pigs, for the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

NORTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SOME STATE-WIDE BILLS AND MANY LOCAL BILLS ARE ACTED UPON.

DISPATCHES FROM RALEIGH

Doings and Happenings That Mark the Progress of North Carolina People Gathered Around the State Capitol.

Raleigh.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Movements Due and Their Local Effects for the Cotton States January 31 to February 6, 1915.

Sunday, January 31—The week will open cool in the South, but with temperatures starting upward and it will be generally fair.

Monday, Feb. 1; Tuesday, Feb. 2, Wednesday, February 3—A cool wave will lower temperatures somewhat, beginning in Western Cotton Belt Monday and crossing to the Eastern Belt by Wednesday. There will be frosts from this movement in Western Belt and Northern half of Middle Belt, and a generally freezing temperature in Eastern Belt Wednesday and Thursday.

Thursday, Feb. 4; Friday, Feb. 5; Saturday, Feb. 6—A cool wave will overcast Western Belt late on Wednesday, Middle Thursday and Eastern Thursday and Friday. It will be accompanied by dashes of rain or snow, but soon clear and bring freezing weather all along the Gulf and South Atlantic Coasts, with heavy frosts.

Senate.

The senate discussed for an hour the Nash bill for abridal courts under the direction of clerks of the courts to settle differences out of court and then let the bill go over for another day. Another hour was consumed with debating the house bill to make debts due and payable when any part of the security is disposed of in Hertford and Union counties. It finally squeezed through second reading and went over for another day by agreement.

Charging that the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad has flagrantly disregarded the condition under which the Wilmington & Weldon was authorized by statute to consolidate with other railroads in the formation of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad in its having merged further into the Atlantic Coast Line of Virginia and claiming to be non-resident and not subject to the jurisdiction of the state courts, Senator Gilliam introduced in the senate a bill to repeal the acts of 1893 and 1899 authorizing the mergers and directing that the attorney general of the state institute suit in the name of the state for the dissolution of the mergers effected in the consolidation in this state and proceed to have receivers appointed and the individual lines of the system in this state sold. The bill went to the committee on railroads.

A notable bill introduced was by Senator Miller to amend the revenue act so as to eliminate double taxes in the case of mortgaged property through the mortgagee paying on the solvent credit and the mortgagor on the property involved.

The senate passed the Allen bill from the house providing that for the future any rules of contempt issued by a judge, except in cases of acts in the presence of the court, must be returnable before some judge other than the one issuing the rule.

The Miller bill to make it unlawful to give liquor to minors was passed after having been forced over by objection from the previous day's session.

The senate and house both received from Governor Craig the report of the state board of internal improvements sharply criticising the policy of the state treasury and conditions in other state institutions and recommending that a commission of business men be appointed to put the state's finances and methods on a business basis.

\$10,000 Simply for the Asking. It was a happy group of ladies who came out of the office of Colonel Wood, state auditor, for they had in their possession a warrant for \$10,000 which was appropriated in 1913 for the building of a home for worthy women descendants of Confederate veterans. This action, following a meeting of the council of state, which had been called at the request of the ladies who were there in the interest of the appropriation, the ladies could have gotten this money nearly two years ago.

New Charters Are Issued: Charters were issued as follows: The Pioneer Gold Mining Company, Charlotte, capital \$200,000, divided into 2,000,000 shares of the value of 10 cents a share. The Southern Veneer Company, Charlotte, capital \$200,000 in 2,000,000 share. The Greenville Furniture Company, Greenville, capital \$20,000 authorized and \$4,000 subscribed for general furniture business. The Greensboro Rest Cottage, to be established as a refuge home for fallen women, incorporated without capital stock.

"Portland Ned" Gets Seven Years. Judge Connor in the Federal court a few days ago sentenced "Portland Ned" alias James Johnson, to seven years, and T. A. Conway, to five years in the Atlanta prison for the robbery of the Siler City and Plymouth post-offices. A jury having found both guilty earlier in the day. Portland Ned made a statement to the court in which he insisted that much of the black record given him by the government detectives as had been detailed in the trial was a "frame-up" against him.

Would Compel Tobacco Reports. Commissioner of Agriculture Graham has prepared two bills to be presented to the Legislature. One is for machinery to compel leaf tobacco warehousemen to make their monthly reports. There is a law requiring that these reports be filed with the commissioner, but it is not complied with by some. Major Graham said that there had not been a complete report for any month since he had been commissioner. At various times there have been one to a dozen reports lacking.

The Senate voted by a big majority against the joint resolution to limit the present session of the Legislature to 40 days. This was after two-hours' discussion in which Gardner, Gilliam and others urged the adoption and Senators MHI, Hobgood and others opposed it as a vain and impossible thing to accomplish. The action of the Senate will probably cause the House to not call up the resolution at that end of the Capitol at all.

Pass Final Reading. Bills passed final reading as follows: To correct boundaries in the corporate limits of Albemarle and permit the issue of bonds; to legalize an election in Cherryville, Gaston county, on a bond issue; to provide for the printing of 2,000 copies of the governor's message; to repeal the act creating a special criminal court for Anson county.

To amend the law relating to weights and measures; to amend the law as to standard keeper at Beaufort County; to repeal the Sampson County dog tax law; to prevent the use of narrow-tired vehicles in Richmond, Hoke, Moore Montgomery Counties. Huoss.

The Dunning bill for the division of the state into an eastern and a western circuit of superior courts instead of the long re-established present system of one circuit and state-wide rotation of the judges was carried in the house by an overwhelming majority, after being strenuously opposed by numbers of the representatives, including Currie of Cumberland, Bynum of Chatham and others, as tending to decrease the intermingling of the people of the two sections and the creation of something of a Mason and Dixon line in North Carolina. On the other hand advocates of the measure argued that the making of two circuits was no more than having two religious conferences, dioceses or other divisions for the better prosecution of the work to be furthered.

The vital statistics bill, that stirred such opposition as working terrible hardship on remote sections through preventing the burial of the dead until official reports had been made by the physician of the death was amended to avert interference with burials and to merely penalize the physician if the death is not reported within 10 days. It passed in this form.

The ever-present fish question stirred the house for more than an hour through the debate of the Meekins bill to exempt Tyrell county from the jurisdiction of the fish commissioner. Representative Laughinghouse led the opposition and gave ginger to the debate, and Speaker Wooten had to call repeatedly for order and decorum and read from the rules as to abstinance from personal ties and observance of the decencies of speech in debate on the floor. Finally there was postponement of the vote.

Representative Roberts introduced the regular State Forestry Association bill for protection of the forests of the state from fires through provisions for fire wardens and designed to induce Federal co-operative work in this service.

A bill backed by recommendation of Governor Craig was introduced by Mintz of Wayne to create a board of managers to handle the finances of the state institutions, except the penitentiary, three members to receive \$3,000 each and take the place of the various institutional directors.

Roberts of Buncombe introduced his Australian ballot bill, which will be held in committee until Senator Hobgood introduces one somewhat similar in the senate.

The following bills passed final reading: Relative to killing veal in Guilford, Hoke, Moore, Rowan and Warren counties; to protect public roads in Granville county; relative to bills of lading as evidence; to regulate killing of quail in Perquimans county; for maintenance of public roads in Orange county; to disclose sources of nitrogen on fertilizer sacks; providing standard weights in North Carolina; relative to compost heaps and their ownership; to prevent destruction of oysters in Brunswick county; or authorize Anson county commissioners to use certain funds for plank roads on Rocky River; to protect game in Cumberland; regulating importation of feedstuffs in North Carolina; to abolish county treasurer's office in Duplin county; to give peanut pickers lien on nuts picked; regarding registration of farm names; to amend charter of Hertford; to repeal road commission act for Columbus county

MEETING OF GRAND LODGE OF MASONS

NEARLY ONE THOUSAND WERE PRESENT FOR CONVENTION IN RALEIGH.

GRAND OFFICERS CHOSEN

Frank P. Hobgood, Jr., of Greensboro, Elected Grand Master to Succeed J. T. Alderman of Henderson.

Raleigh.—The North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons elected Frank P. Hobgood, Jr., of Greensboro grand master to succeed John T. Alderman of Henderson, retired. A. B. Andrews, Jr., of Raleigh was advanced to deputy grand master, Claude L. Pridden of Kinston to senior grand warden and George S. Norfleet of Winston-Salem, advanced from the appointive office of senior grand deacon to the first elective officer of junior grand warden.

Nearly one thousand members of the Grand Lodge of Masons were present at the 28th annual communication in the Grand Lodge room of the Masonic Temple. In many ways it was one of the most notable meetings of the Grand Lodge held recently. The large attendance of Masons was the feature of the session.

The annual address of Grand Master J. T. Alderman of Henderson was the opening event of the session. It was described by the Masons at the meeting as one of the most eloquent delivered before that body.

The report of the Grand Treasurer Leo D. Heart followed the address of the Grand Master. In turn, came the report of the Grand secretary John C. Drewry. This showed the Grand Lodge in a flourishing condition. Grand Auditor R. T. Gowan reported that he had reviewed the books and the reports and had found all in order.

The Grand Lodge received the reports of the Masonic Orphanage at Oxford and Masonic and Eastern Star Home at Greensboro, both showing splendid conditions.

The home at Greensboro, opened within the year with 65 capacity, reports its \$10,000 debt taken care of in a 120-day campaign for donations, and there are being pressed at this time two classes of pledges to the maintenance fund that will assure ample means for the full capacity service at the home. One is pledges of \$100 each by the lodges, payable \$25 annually and the other individual pledges of \$5 per year for five years. The home wants 100 of the lodges pledges and has secured 51; wants 1,000 of the individual pledges and has quite a large number.

Domestic Science Department. Asheville.—For the benefit of the young business women of the city, the local Young Women's Christian Association has established a domestic science department. Miss Sue Robbins, at the head of the department at the Asheville high school will have charge of the class and the city school board has tendered to the management of the Y. W. C. A. the use of the quarters and equipment of the high school.

More Students Than Ever. Wake Forest.—The high water mark for attendance at Wake Forest for all time has been reached. At present there are 463 students registered at Wake Forest, the next highest enrollment was session before last, when 458 were registered. There have been 15 new students enrolled this spring. These facts were given the student body by President Poter.

New Corporations Chartered. Two new corporations were chartered as follows: The Dan River Lumber Company, Walnut Cove, Stokes County, capital \$25,000 authorized and \$4,000 subscribed by T. J. Covington, W. T. Poindexter and others for general lumber and milling business. The Farmers' Union Co-operative Company, Edenton, capital \$25,000 authorized, and \$775 subscribed by E. J. Griffin and others.

Big Fire at Leens. Greenville.—Fire at Leens a few nights ago destroyed two stores with stocks of merchandise, the Atlantic Coast Line warehouse and did other damage. The fire started in H. A. Gray's store from an unknown cause, destroyed this store and the stock of merchandise, a loss of about \$7,500, with some insurance. The store owned by Hines & Whitehurst was burned, the loss being about \$5,000, with \$2,000 insurance. The railroad's loss unknown, some other slight damage to other buildings was done.

Deep Well is Success. Wilmington.—The sinking of an experimental deep well to determine whether or not the city can be supplied with an adequate quantity of pure water has been completed, and, according to tests made, has a capacity of from 2,000,000 to 2,500,000 gallons of water every 24 hours. Councilmen T. W. Wood, champion of the deep-well water supply project, and Mr. W. E. Worth, who supervised the sinking of the well, witnessed the tests and they are enthusiastic over the results.

IREDELL CREAMERY OPENED

Mooreville Co-operative Plant Formally and Auspiciously Opened For Business.

Mooreville.—The Mooreville Co-operative Creamery was formally opened here with public exercises in the graded school auditorium, followed by a butter-making demonstration during the afternoon. It will be recalled that about 18 months ago an effort was made in Iredele county to establish a creamery, but owing to the fact that the cream routes were not organized and there was not sufficient butter-fat gathered at this point to maintain one, it was deemed advisable not to attempt starting such an institution until routes were thoroughly organized and the cream obtainable. Farmers began at once with their dogged determination to succeed, and with a united effort, the creamery was launched.

At 11 o'clock Mayor Frontis presented in a happy manner Dr. D. H. Hill, president of the A. & M. College of Raleigh, who spoke for 40 minutes of the practical methods for doing things, employing the scientific worn as the big essential. Improved methods and science have come to put a new aspect on the whole farming system and laws that control productions are now employed.

Doctor Hill made a pleasing illustration of the "practical" man who wanted employment, but knew nothing whatever of scientific or modern methods of weeding out the unprofitable work on the farm. In his closing words he said there were only three things to do that must be done to attain the highest efficiency of profit and results on the farm. For instance, select better seeds, prepare and cultivate your soil better and fertilize with a view to preserving the fertility. He referred to the man who under old methods raised only 10 bushels of corn to the acre and who under the method of selecting his seed, brought from the same acre 20 bushels of corn. He said there should not be an acre of poor land in North Carolina, where cow peas will grow in the summer time and clover in the winter, thereby keeping the soil from washing and nursing it as nature had intended it. Doctor Hill paid a high tribute to Iredele county and her progressive spirit.

J. A. Arey, formerly county demonstrator but now with the United States Agricultural Department, made a brief talk in which he referred to the early agitation of the creamery for Iredele county and how willingly the men of this community took hold of it.

TAR HEEL BREVITIES.

Western contractors are exploring the bottom of the Cape Fear river for unknown reasons.

Capt. Steve Smith of the gasboat Carl T. plying between Newbern and Adams Creek, and carrying freight, was in some way knocked from the vessel and drowned before assistance could reach him. Just how the accident occurred is not definitely known.

Provision for the erection of a monument costing \$20,000, in Wilmington to the Confederate soldier is made in the will of the late Mr. Gabriel James Boney, filed for probate recently. Mr. Boney leaves an estate estimated at \$50,000.

The Cape Fear Lath & Shingle Co., with offices in Wilmington, has announced that early in February a chain of mills will be put in operation in Duplin, Bladen, Pender and Swain counties for the manufacture of laths, shingles and lumber from gum, cypress and pine.

Resolved, That North Carolina should adopt a state-wide dog tax for the benefit of public schools, was the query discussed by the North Carolina Club at Chapel Hill at its recent semi-monthly meeting. The debate was supplemented by the audience's vote on the subject, which favorably voted for a state-wide levy on dogs, the decision standing 22 to 16.

Maj. Graham had on exhibition in his office at Raleigh a sample of paper baling manufactured for the use in baling cotton. It was submitted by a manufacturer.

Halfway farmers intend to greatly increase their tobacco acreage this year.

Work will be begun on Charlotte's new Federal postoffice building about July 1.

Asheville Union printers are urging the selection of Asheville as site for home for tubercular printers.

Adjutant General Laurence W. Young has issued commissions to R. C. Albright as first lieutenant and W. A. Blizzard as second lieutenant of Company I, First Regiment, Mount Airy. These men were elected by the company in compliance with a recent order.

Spray has become a model community. An up-to-date health officer, sanitary inspector, medical examination of school children and drinking water looked after are some of the things accomplished, and a program of systematic health education inaugurated.

Lee S. Overman, North Carolina Senator, has just celebrated his 61st birthday.

Asheville citizens are considering a modern form of commission government.

Policeman Bob Kendrick of Shelby, was shot by a negro recently. The wound is not serious.

Judge Lyon appointed Chas. D. Rose, of Fayetteville, clerk of the superior court of Cumberland county, temporarily, succeeding Clerk McKelhan, who died recently. Judge Lyon will make a permanent appointment later.

Carefully Treat Children's Colds

Neglect of children's colds often lays the foundation of serious lung trouble. On the other hand, it is harmful to continually dose delicate little stomachs with internal medicines or to keep the children always indoors.

Plenty of fresh air in the bedroom and a good application of Vick's "Vap-O-Rub" Salve over the throat and chest at the first sign of trouble, will keep the little chaps free from colds without injuring their digestions. 25c, 50c, or \$1.00.

VICK'S Croup and SALVE

Return of Walnut. The wood of our fathers, the good old "black walnut" that was reckoned the supreme cabinet material of 50 years ago, has come back. True, they call it "American walnut" now, and give it a shiny finish and try to hide the deep, purplish brown which is the true glory of the stuff; but it is the same old wood in spite of all. May it soon get back its ancient name and more than its ancient popularity.

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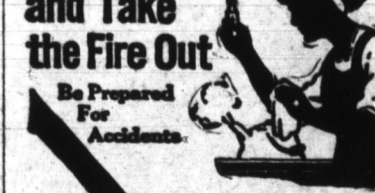
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