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One of the great pages in the World's political history is being written in the national Democratic Convention in New York today.

It is a day that needs much wisdom. The conflicting or rather the varied interests of the country are knocking for recognition and favors.

The recent Republican convention assembled in Cleveland nominated candidates fully satisfactory to the vested interests. Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Hoover, both openly advocating the thing pleasing to them.

If the Democratic convention nominates a real true blue Democrat for both the presidency and vice presidency, they stand with many odds in their favor to be elected.

On the other hand if the fight is finished in a general compromise that does not express the purest Democracy, then failure is already written over their heads.

It may be admitted that the fight is on the same old battle ground. It is on one side and the progress is on the other. What the Democrat should do is to bring the two warring nations back to a friendly communion that will work for the mutual good of both elements.

Labor is gradually gaining strength and is rising to its feet. The real cause of our present troubles is the fact that a jealousy exists between labor and capital. Nothing but a serious fair play will correct the difference. At is now labor think capital is taking undue advantage, and capital apparently regard itself more important than the people.

A PRODIGAL WASTE

In a special bulletin issued by the United States Forest Service in connection with the 1924 observance of Forest Fire Prevention Week there are recorded a few of the most disastrous blazes of the past half century. The first one of the ones mentioned in the bulletin occurred in 1871. It is known as the Peshtigo fire, and it swept over 1,200,000 acres of virgin timber in Wisconsin, destroyed in it 1,100 more than one town, and cost 1,000 lives. Ten years later, in 1881, a fire in Michigan burned 1,000,000 acres and took 138 lives. In the spring of 1884 a forest fire in the neighbor hood of Phillips, Wisconsin, brought death to more than 200 persons, while in the fall of the same year, in Minnesota, a fire ran over millions of acres, spread into Wisconsin and devastated eight towns, leaving in its wake 400 victims. The terrible Cloquet, Minnesota, fire which turned into ashes 250,000,000 worth of timber and improved property, broke out in 1918. Nearly 400 persons perished in this conflagration.

In comment on this, "Safeguarding America Against Fire," says:

"That is should be necessary to remind people of disasters of such magnitude as these is in itself almost a national reproach. It indicates that the problem of the federal government as well as of every state which is blessed with timberlands, is identical with the one that confronts fire preventionists everywhere, since the great

majority of forest fires are man-caused. People who frequent the woods must be taught habits of carefulness. They must be imbued with a fire-sense and with a realization that theirs is only a life interest in the forests, that they are the custodians of these resources which rightly must pass on, and that permission to use does not imply privilege to destroy."

With the forest fire season approaching, the public should bear in mind its responsibility for the safety of our forests. Be careful with fire and it will not be an agent of destruction.

KEEP WATCH FOR THE BOLL WEEVIL

Every cotton farmer should carefully watch his cotton for the first advent of the boll weevil.

The weevil will generally be seen crawling on the cotton about sun rise or late in the afternoon. Most of the weevils found before the boll square form will die a natural death.

If twenty boll weevils are found in a field of cotton, where the squares are beginning to show, it should be poisoned immediately. Poison should never be used until a proper examination is made. The first weevil appearing generally die before they can lay squares on the cotton. The second deposit their eggs in.

If cotton is poisoned at present intervals when the first crop of weevils hatched very few of them will survive.

The farmer should remember that it pays better to kill one weevil in the early season than it does to kill twenty weevils in the late season.

Over thousands of well-meaning people by the government, it has been shown that increase from 100 to 50 percent of some other law, means a ten dollar increase in the price of the article. General II. C. Cook, in a ten-dollar per acre to make the increase.

With the recent shooting affray, cases of murder and manslaughter at base where does Martin County stand in the estimation of other counties and the nation as a whole?

Is it because our county has become a crime-pushed off on it, or is it just a place with a favorable stage for such crimes? The books of the old records are crisscrossed with long lists of many murders and other crimes, but while the crimes have been plentiful there, the wave is now a quiet wave one. The cause of such crimes vary from a snuff box on. And while the cause is accredited to such minor things, is it true that they are the cause? No. The responsibility and company play on the scene of the wrongful act.

Retreat to no particular crime, but where poisonous liquor are kept for sale, the crime are more than likely to break out. Where the Sabbath is not the least, recognized as a day of rest and worship, crime is likely to result. Where friends are thought to be true and where no doubt is expressed, crime is likely to result. And so on and on we go, killing, shooting and fighting. A trip to the bar of justice serves as a remedy, but just for one particular case. Would it be a bad idea to improve the surroundings and better one's company rather than bring the law-breaker to justice?

Isn't it strange? The weather is nice and pleasant, no one even thinks of kicking. The weather a bit warm and it becomes the talk of the day, the main feature in the newspapers. But isn't it a real consolation to know that the cotton, corn, tobacco, peanuts and beans are having the time of their lives growing. And yet we thoughtfully complain of the weather. It must be said that the ice man and the crops are pals, because they both are pleased to see the warm weather.

NINE STATES REQUIRE BIBLE READING IN SCHOOLS

Nine States now require that the Bible be read at stated times in the public schools, according to information recently compiled in the Bureau

of Education. These States are Alabama, Delaware, Georgia, Kentucky, Maine, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Tennessee. Three States, Maine, Delaware, and Kentucky, have passed Bible-reading laws since the publication of Bureau of Education Bulletin 1923 No. 37, in which six States were reported.

NEW ZEALAND UNIVERSITY REJECTS ACCREDITING SYSTEM

A plan for admitting graduates of accredited secondary schools without examination was recently rejected at the "session" of New Zealand University, it is stated in a letter recently received by the United States Commissioner of Education from a distinguished New Zealand leader. The proposed reform was vigorously opposed by the professors, and one of the reasons given was that Harvard and other great American universities refuse to accept the plan.

With the assistance of the Eastern University School of Religious Education, a week-day religious school has been established at Malton, Mass. Classes met four afternoons for sessions one hour in length.

In providing homes for teachers, Texas claims first place; a recent report to the United States Bureau of Education shows a total of 635 for that State. Nearly 600 of these homes are in rural districts.

BEAVER DAM LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hardy of Bear Grass were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Raynor Friday evening. Mrs. Eli Ray spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Rogers. Miss Thelma Bancroft spent Saturday night with Miss Sallie Allen. Mr. Dossie Jenkins was the guest of Miss Helen Clark Saturday evening.

Messrs. Eli Ray and Sanford Robertson motored to Williamston Saturday. Mr. G. W. Harrison, Mrs. Mary E. Peole and Miss Catherine Harrison spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Raynor, Master Richard Raynor and Mr. John Cullipher attended the show in Williamston Saturday night.

The good old summer time has arrived at last. Misses Elizabeth Peel and Jessie Peel spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Ruth and Bessie Malone.

Messrs. Minga Evers and Lester Evers motored to Riverside Park Sunday.

Mr. Roscoe Peel spent Sunday with Mr. Leon Malone.

Miss Sallie Wynn spent Sunday with Miss Vain Peal.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Barbill of Everett and Mr. and Mrs. Whit Moore motored to Riverside Park Sunday.

FOR SALE: TWO GOOD MILCH Cows, Fresh. See or Call Joe Taylor.

NOTICE

I forbid any and all persons to hire or to shelter my boy Tommie Outerbridge, who is only 13 years old. He left home May 28, 1924. HOWARD OUTERBRIDGE.

LOST: HOG BOUGHT FROM WILSON HYMAN, PLYMOUTH, N. C. JANUARY 1924. Hog marked with V over left and right ear. Weighs about one hundred and fifty pounds, with light dark spots on it. Very gentle. Maniza Little, Williamston.

ROOMS FOR RENT

Two rooms for rent. Good location and well equipped for light house-keeping. Apply at Enterprise office.

WANTED: TABLE BOARDERS IN Private family. Rate \$7.00 per week. Apply to Miss Mittie Harrell, 306 N. Smithwick street, just two blocks from post office. 4 25 4

CHAIR REPAIRING

I am in a position to bottom all chairs and fix them in any way necessary. I also upholster in chairs. Give me a trial. W. R. Rogers, Washington street (near Spellar's store) Williamston, N. C.

WANTED: Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminate darning. Salary \$75 a week full time, \$1.50 an hour spare time. Beautiful Spring line. International Stocking Mills, 7-9 Norristown, Pa.

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RATES

Small Automobiles (including driver) One way \$1.50; round trip 24 hrs \$2.50 Large Automobiles (including driver) One way \$2; round trip 24 hrs. \$3.50 Trucks according to size and load. Passenger fares 25c. Telephones 150 and 120 Edenton, N. C.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as Executor of the estate of Ida Baker Haislip, late of the County of Martin, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present same for payment on or before the 6th day of June, 1925, or their recovery.

This notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please forward and make immediate payment of same.

T. R. SLADE JR. Executor of Ida Baker Haislip. This the 6th day of June, 1924. 6-10-4t

NORTH CAROLINA MARTIN COUNTY.

HAMILTON ROAD DISTRICT. I, F. L. Haislip, tax collector of Hamilton Special Road taxes, have this day levied on the following tracts of land and will sell the same at public auction for cash, before the Bank of Hamilton at Hamilton, N. C. on Monday the 14th day of July 1924 at 12 M. for the unpaid taxes and cost due for the year 1923.

WHITE

J. W. Crisp, 160 acres Johnston Land, taxes \$22.70, cost \$1.80. Vaughan Daughtridge, 349 acres: Flem ing land, taxes \$50.00, cost \$1.80. Mrs. Jim Thomas, 29 acres Hyman land, taxes \$7.41, cost \$1.80.

COLORED

J. A. Bennett, 25 acres Sherrod land, taxes \$8.34, cost \$1.80.

TRUSTEES LAND SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to R. N. Grimes, trustee, by John Clemson and wife, Martha Clemson, on the 1st day of March 1920, to secure certain notes of even date therewith, and of record in the Register of Deeds' office for Martin County, in book A-2, at page 445; and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and a part of said notes the undersigned will, on Saturday, July 5, 1924, at twelve o'clock, noon, in front of the Planters and Merchants Bank, Everetts, North Carolina, Martin County, expose to public sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lands to-wit:

Situate in Cross Roads Township, Martin County, North Carolina, and more particularly described and bounded as follows: On the North by the lands of J. L. Wynn; on the West by the lands of S. S. Bailey; and on the South by the lands of S. S. Bailey and Jesse Clark, the same being a part of the late Owen Clemson's tract, and containing fifteen and three-fourths (15 3/4) acres more or less. This the 5th day of June, 1924. R. N. GRIMES, Trustee. 6-10-4t

NO TIME TO HUNT for a doctor or drug store when suddenly seized with agonizing intestinal cramps, deadly vomit and prostrating diarrhoea.

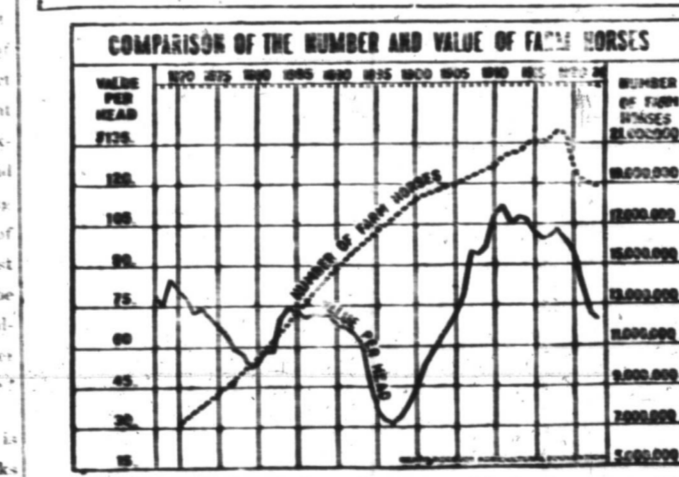
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TO MAKE EVERY COMMUNITY AS CLEAN AS ITS CLEANEST HOME

In this campaign all classes of people learn how to work and play together. Chronic knackers are led into the ranks of the loyal and useful workers. The streets and alleys are cleaned up, repaired, and thereafter kept in good condition. It removes the accumulations of waste and rubbish, thereby eliminating the most common cause of destructive fires. The traps are razed and often replaced by modern buildings. Lots are mowed, cleaned up and converted into playgrounds or thrift gardens, thus preventing their return to disorderliness. They are cleaned up and beautified. Stone and brick work is sand blasted. Landscaping is renewed. Shrubbery is trimmed. Trees are planted. Lawns are mowed and raked. Backyards are cleaned up. Homes are thoroughly cleaned inside and out, from cellar to garret, after which they are dedicated to continued cleanliness and better living conditions by the ministrations of the painter and decorator. Thus the living conditions of all classes of people are improved. Every possible breeding place for disease is rooted up and destroyed. Mosquitoes, flies, rats, roaches and other pests are practically obliterated. This campaign saves human lives.

Prospects Bright for Better Horses



Both farm and city are demanding more and better horses, according to the Sears-Robuch Agricultural Foundation. Despite the 15,281,275 automobiles and trucks in the United States, there are 18,288,000 head of horses and mules on farms today and 2,300,000 horses pulling loads in city streets. The coming of the auto and trucks reduced the equine workers in cities by 2,000,000 between 1910 and 1920, a reduction of 30 per cent. But during the last three years there has been a decided trend in the opposite direction.

Between 1910 and 1920 the horse population on farms decreased 10 per cent. On January 1, 1924, there was 18,288,000 horses, compared with 21,285,000 six years before. This was the smallest number since 1905. Still, 97 per cent of all field work is done by horses and mules.

Around 1915, under the influence of stimulated war production and replacement by mechanical power, horse prices began to decline. By January of this year average values per head were the lowest since 1903. Mule prices, unlike horse, advanced during the war, reaching their peak in 1920. In 1923 there was a third more horses and mules sold than during the previous year.

Good mares and stallions are scarce. During the war horse breeding languished. The number of colts produced failed to keep pace with the losses by death. Between 1910 and 1920 horse and mule colts combined decreased 22 per cent. The largest percentage of the horse population is old.

Low prices will continue to discourage horse and mule production and cause still further decrease in the population until the average price turns upward. Unless breeding operations are increased, demand will soon be greater than the supply. Here soon the market turning point will be reached for the ranch and the life of horses is uncertain. Prices have already improved for the better than medium grades. The constantly increasing demand along with the limited supply is indicative that the turning point is not far off.

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