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Making Monkeys Out of Ourselves

Dayton, Tenn., is overflowing this week with curious people interested in the great evolution fight, where Prof. J. T. Scopes is expected to be indicted for teaching evolution in a public school in the State.

The Value of a Well-Spent Life

Will Rogers, the famous comedian, of New York, who has undoubtedly made more people laugh than any man now living in the world, and who was recently called to the prairie hills of Oklahoma to the funeral of his sister, says that all the honors he ever hopes to achieve will not approach the honor paid his Christian sister by the thousands she had helped in her Christian life's work.

Is Hindenburg the rattling of the sabre or merely the echo?

The sound of the lazy yawn is being heard throughout the land.

Ideas are queer things. They won't work unless you do.

Much money is lost in trying to make it multiply instead of add.

The man who said figures didn't lie never paid an income tax.

The discovery of the North Pole is supposed to become an annual event.

The new naval order says Annapolis graduates must learn to fly. Going after higher education.

The nations planned a 10-year holiday, but some didnot take even half holiday.

You can tell when prohibition is effective. They will quit singing "Sweet Adeline."

Chewing gum is all right in its place, which isn't under a chair.

The rum fleet is reported to be running the strategic risk of being "bottled" in Chesapeake Bay.

About 20,000 new laws will be before State legislatures this year, there being no law against multiplying them.

About the best filling station ever built is the dining room.

A fisherman is an optimist.

The final test of pure religion is to keep on loving men whom you no longer have need for.

An economist announces that the number of women breadwinners is growing constantly. No doubt there are more winning it than there are baking it.

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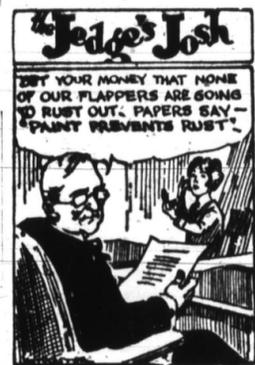
A THOUGHT FOR MEMORIAL DAY..Have We Kept Faith? By A. B. CHAPIN



FARMERS LOSE MONEY

Will Lose Ten Million by Not Feeding Hogs

Farmers of North Carolina will lose during 1925 approximately ten million dollars, which might be theirs, because they are not properly feeding and handling their existing herds of swine to better advantage.



On sidewalks of New York "Red" is doing a staggering business these days.

"Yes—What's his line?" "Hootlegging."

Evidence "Bear rice married a count five years ago, and she has had 16 support him ever since."

"Well, one thing sure; he's a real count."

That's His Business "Does he take much interest in his business?" "Does he? Say, he's a pawnbroker."

Demonstrated "Now I know what the cynics meant when they said I was joining the bawl-and-Jane gang," said the newlywed whose wife made him walk the floor all night with the baby.

ED PURDY'S PHILOS "Baseball is a much older game than we think. A 3,000-year-old skull, one inch thick, has been dug up in Arizona."

Confession of a Dime I am a smooth-slick dime. I am too small to go to the movies. I am snubbed at a soda fountain. I have little prestige in a candy store.

But, Oh, boy, when I go to Sunday School, I'm a big-league performer.

Some Shiek There is a man in our town, And he is wondrous wise. He always picks his girl friends With yes—yes in their eyes.

This Week's Short Story Gauntty Jerome drew his elegant whip up alongside the roadway, dully in front of a pretentious inn. Looking eagerly into her eyes, he said, "You shall dine."

THEY ARE DEEP OP NERS The only silver lining for the glassy eyes reflection is on the back of the look on glass.

Straight away "First no one saw you, you're a blonde last night."

Second motorist: "You're a blond who did you think of her?"

First motorist: "Oh—no, so she's Not a danger curve on her."

Special meals for parties cooked and served right at Ray's Cafe.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ROAD TAX ELECTION—POPULAR POINT TOWNSHIP

North Carolina, Martin County. Under and by virtue of an order by the board of commissioners of Martin County, entered at their regular session on Monday, the 4th day of May, 1925, notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the usual voting place in Popular Point Township, Martin County, North Carolina, on the 20th day of June, 1925, for the purpose of taking the sense of the qualified voters of said township on the question of whether the board of commissioners of Martin County shall levy a special tax for the purpose of

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tax list of said township. At said election those qualified voters who are in favor of said proposition shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words "For special road tax," and those who are opposed to said proposition shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words, "Against Special road tax."

This Week By Arthur Brisbane TO KILL BUS SERVICE. WHOSE FROZEN WASTES? YES SIR, RATHER FIGHT. HINDENBURG'S ELECTION.

Massachusetts considers a proposition interesting to other States. The idea is to oblige railroads killing competition annoying to them, but useful to the public, by interfering with omnibus passenger lines. The scheme is cleverly worked out.

First, owners of omnibuses using public roads would be compelled to get certificates of public necessity and urgency.

That isn't so very dangerous, because public opinion which would demand a convenient omnibus service could bring pressure to bear on the Legislature.

But it would also be necessary for an omnibus line to get a permit from the local authorities of every little town and village through which it might pass. With such a law in force it would only be necessary for the railroad to buy one or two little local bodies—and that wouldn't be difficult.

The omnibus line as a medium of long-distance transportation is an established fact. You may ride by bus all the way from San Diego to Seattle, the whole length of our Western coast.

If buses wear out the roads, part of their earnings should be used to keep the roads in repair. But

of election, and under the rules and regulations as are now provided for the election of members of the General Assembly under the general election laws of the State. By order of the Board of County Commissioners on May 4th, 1925. HENRY C. GREEN, Chairman. Attest: J/SAM GETSINGER, Register of deeds and ex-officio clerk to the board of commissioners. m8 4w

omnibus lines should be encouraged everywhere. Four nations are racing to reach the North Pole. MacMillan hopes to arrive first with the American flag and his two airships. Anyhow, whatever happens in this race, the United States reached the Pole first.

But what, by that time, will have become of the nations now claiming Polar lands? They will have vanished more completely than the 22 separate kingdoms that met the Conqueror when he landed in Britain.

Man by nature delights in struggle. At Columbia, South Carolina, beside the railroad track, four barefoot colored boys from fifteen to six years of age called out, "Throw a nickel in the air and we'll fight for it."

There is a moral for employers. Give your men on salary a chance to make something extra by "fighting" for extra business and extra profit. Only profit-sharing gets the best out of a man. A salary, no matter how big, seems like an insult after a few months.

The French declare the election of Von Hindenburg to be Germany's challenge to the world and to France especially. But the French should be the last to criticize the Germans in this selection.

When Napoleon was shamefully beaten and ran home from the Germans to save his skin, as the Kaiser ran away from Germany to save his skin, the French elected as President Marshal MacMahon, the best imitation of a military hero within reach.

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