

THE ADVANCE

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Abe Martin

NO TRUST



If most of us wuzn' too proud 't borrow a little judgment now an' then we'd git along better. A young girl wit a natural finish attracted attention on the streets here t'day.

Daniels for President?

If the Democratic National Convention at New York in June is to develop into a battle of favorite sons, this newspaper would hope, and vote, if it had a vote, for the nomination of Josephus Daniels. Mr. Daniels is the peer of any one of them, not excepting Oscar Underwood, whom we regard as dead, politically, as William Jennings Bryan.

Mr. Daniels is not only the peer of any other of the favorite sons now prominently mentioned but also he has a decided advantage over the rest of these possibilities in the appeal of his personality to the average voter, by reason of the favorable light in which he has appeared in the pitiless publicity that Congressional investigation has recently turned upon the oil lease scandals. Having come through the investigation not only without the smell of oil on his own garments but also, as having stood staunch and immovable against the designs and as having steered shy of the pitfalls of cunning grafters, the figure of Mr. Daniels has caught the imagination of the masses of the people in a way that might, The Advance is disposed to think, sweep him into the Presidency if the Democrats should nominate him.

A prophet is not without honor save in his own country and those newspapers which compare Harding and Daniels, saying that if Daniels is honest, so was Harding are not quite fair to the North Carolinian. Mr. Daniels has not only his integrity to commend him. As Secretary of the Navy he has a record for courage and efficiency of which any American might be proud. Mr. Daniels surprised his friends and discomfited those who snickered when he was given a place in Wilson's cabinet by that record. It is within the bounds of possibility that he might repeat that performance in the White House.

If The Advance were confident on that point it would have been on the Daniels bandwagon long ago. But to be President of the United States of America is a vastly different and more responsible position than that of Secretary of the Navy, and we can not escape a doubt as to the North Carolinian's ability to measure up to the duties and responsibilities that would devolve upon him in the White House in a day when the prob-

lems confronting the Chief Executive were never more difficult and complex. We had no such doubts about McAdoo. Until this oil scandal developed he was to us the one outstanding National Leader in a day when leaders had failed in Israel and when the people perished because there was no vision. Since the scandal we have been uncertain. McAdoo's friends will not let him retire just yet and The Advance will not give him up just yet. There are those who still not only believe in him but who also believe that he is still the one candidate who can win the next election for the Democrats. Dr. G. W. Paschal, for instance, of the chair of Latin at Wake Forest College, in a letter to the editor in Thursday's News and Observer says:

I have seen several communications in your paper to the effect that Mr. McAdoo is no longer a fit candidate for President. On the other hand I think that the developments of the past two months have made it clear that the only candidate with which the Democrats can win is Mr. McAdoo.

I understand the wild glee with which the New York Times and other papers committed to the interests of the railroad heralded the evidence of Mr. Doheny that Mr. McAdoo was his man Friday to do his will in the oil leases. When later it was seen that this evidence was false, and Doheny himself admitted that it was false, it became evident that its purpose was to put Mr. McAdoo out of the race for the Presidency. For it is clear that Doheny and men of his type do not want a man with Mr. McAdoo's ideas of honesty in government as our Chief Executive.

At this new turn of affairs great was the disappointment of opponents of Mr. McAdoo and great their chagrin that he was not done for. Accordingly they began to say

that a man who had ever served the Doheny interests in any way, be it ever so innocent, would be a weak candidate, and the Democrats could not afford to use him. And they have not been satisfied to state the facts but by misrepresentation and innuendo they have tried to slander Mr. McAdoo and so save the Democratic party from making such a blunder as to nominate him. The truth is Mr. Doheny overestimated the power of his false statement in supposing that it would get rid of Mr. McAdoo. Mr. McAdoo soon brought him to law and stated the facts which ought to satisfy everybody. And Mr. McAdoo has a record of nearly eight years of disinterested and faithful service in Mr. Wilson's cabinet. He took our railroads when they had ceased almost to give any service at all and despite the opposition of the railroad offi-

cials made them efficient for the transportation problems of the great war. But he instituted several reforms, such as cutting the salaries of railroad presidents, and suggested other changes which showed that he understood the great transportation problem. It is on account of this that the railroad interests are against him. But on the other hand this is one great reason why the people of the country are turning to him as the man for our next President. If he is nominated it is almost certain that he will carry all those states where progressive ideas of government are popular. And certainly he will carry the great farming states of the West. For Mr. McAdoo is their only hope for solving their transportation problem. G. W. PASCHAL. Wake Forest, N. C.

fecting organization which was begun last Saturday. There were twelve girls at the meeting and also Miss Marcia Albertson, Mrs. Anna Lewis, Mrs. Mae Sample and Mrs. Louis Mays. Miss Albertson called the meeting to order and each girl answered the roll call with a scripture verse and then all sang "America." Officers of the club were elected as follows: Miss Maud Evans, president; Mrs. Jesse Pipkin, secretary; Miss Lucille Trueblood, treasurer; and Miss Bertha Simpson, social committee chairman. All officers were made a membership committee. The club motto adopted was, "Make the best better." Then Miss Albertson, assisted by Mrs. Sample, gave the girls a sewing demonstration while Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Mays prepared hot chocolate which was served with wafers after the sewing lesson was over. The next lesson

was assigned and the meeting adjourned to meet at 7.30 next Thursday evening and the leaders will be Mrs. W. Ben Goodwin, Mrs. Mae Sample and Mrs. Anna Lewis. MUSCLE SHOALS TO BE TAKEN UP TUESDAY Washington, Feb. 29 — The McKenzie bill which would authorize the acceptance of Henry Ford's offer for Muscle Shoals will be taken up Tuesday by the House under agreement reached today.

NORFOLK PRODUCE

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, and Live Pressed Undr. Items include Sprg Chickens, Old Hens, Turkey, Geese, Ducks, Large Hogs, Small Hogs, Milk Calves, and Yearlings.

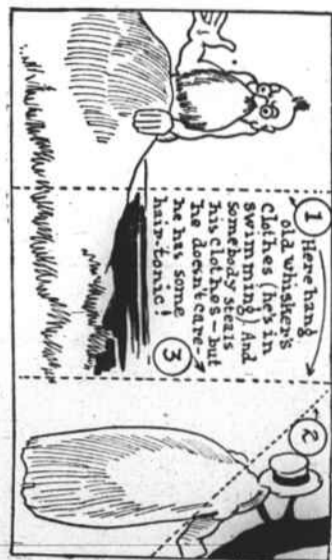
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Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D. Noted Physician and Author

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered here. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper.

Short Course in Domestic Medicine

In the preceding talk with the artistic title of "Spring House Cleaning," we described the medicine cupboard and enumerated the two dozen items in it. Now I intend to take each item in turn and give a lot of valuable information about the uses in the home treatment of minor ills or first aid information which may save you considerable trouble and expense, and so I suggest here that mother or aunt Jean or sister Maud carefully cut out and preserve each of these articles and when the series is finished, bind them together in a little book and keep it in one of those empty compartments in the second shelf of the medicine cupboard for future reference. If you miss any of the series, try buying back numbers of the paper at the office. I shall be unable to supply copies of these articles to individuals who happen to tune in too late. It will take a number of talks to get it all off my chest and into your medicine cupboard, as we shall run off a talk in this series once or twice a week until we've given away about all of the secrets of the doctor trade. I dislike, of course, to pay myself too many compliments, that is, as a doctor, but as a newspaper man I do not hesitate to say that the reader who saves and preserves this series of the medicine cupboard will have something worth more than a whole year's subscription to any competing newspaper, particularly if she can get friend husband, uncle George or brother Peter to make the cupboard for her, following the description and plan I gave in the introductory article of the series. Should Pop, George or Pete care to do a really fancy job, let me suggest that he run a little head piece across the top of the cupboard with this quotation from Hippocrates carved or painted on it:

"Do Good if You Can But Do No Harm."

It isn't a literal quotation but—well, it conveys the idea.

Number 1 item is four ounces of boric acid in a bottle.

Boric acid serves every purpose which an antiseptic can serve in the hands of a layman, with the exception of tincture or iodine in the first aid treatment of wounds, and so you see right here in the beginning you have a valuable bit of information which should save you at least some money. There are more "powerful" antiseptics which come in much fancier costumes than plain boric acid does, but if you can take my word for it you may get along very well indeed with nothing more in the way of an antiseptic than boric acid in the medicine cupboard at your house. Anyway we do at our house.

For the many occasions when a harmless antiseptic solution is desired for use in the mouth, eyes, ears, nose, throat or other body cavity boric acid is preferable to the innumerable jazz nostrums of the day.

As much boric acid as will dis-

solve in freshly boiled water—usually about a tablespoon full in a pint—using the clear upper part after any undissolved sediment has settled at the bottom—is correct. This is called saturated solution of boric acid. When such a solution is used in the ear, as a spray in the nose, or as eye wash or ear drops it should be warmed first by standing the bottle in warm water. As mouth wash or gargle it may be hot or cold as preferred.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Margaret, the Doctor's Daughter Will you please send me the address where I can get a book on sex education suitable for a girl 10 or 15 years of age? (Mrs. T. M.)

Answer—Send 25 cents to the American Medical Association, 535 North Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill., and ask for a copy of the pamphlet, "Margaret, the Doctor's Daughter," by Dr. Winfield S. Hall. It is intended for girls aged 12 to 14 years. Grandchildren

I have an 11 year old granddaughter and a 10 year old grandson and would like to know where I can get literature on sex education for them. (Mrs. C. F.)

Answer—You will find the pamphlet entitled "The Wonderful Story of Life" issued by the public health service bureau of the Government, helpful in instructing the children. To obtain a copy send 5 cents to the superintendent of documents, Government printing office, Washington, D. C., and mention the pamphlet you want. Not Sick But Troubled With Thick Coming Fancies

I am in the habit of lying awake hours after retiring. What can I take to make me sleep? I have tried medicines and they all have narcotics in them. I do not want to consult a physician because I am not sick, but lying awake I imagine I hear all sorts of strange noises and my health is being injured. I am sure. (S. W. M.)

Answer—Nevertheless you should consult a physician. Whether the loss of sleep injures your health is a debatable question, but there is no doubt that some impairment of health, if you do not like to call it disease or sickness, is responsible for your sleeplessness.

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FOR SALE—GAS RANGE at a reasonable price. Apply 501 West Church street. feb.16-4f-np

IF

You want to: Buy something, sell something, rent a building, find a job, hire an employe, trade something or recover a lost article—The Advance Classified Ads will do it.

DRY WOOD FOR SALE, SPLIT pine at \$7 a cord and round at \$6 a cord. Both cut in short lengths, 12 to 18 inches. M. R. Fletcher, Elizabeth City, Route One. feb.25,27,29,mar.3,5,7-pd

HARD AND PINE WOOD, \$7 PER cord, \$3.50 half cord, \$1.75 load. Stove lengths. Geo. J. Kerr, Phone 791-W. jan.29-4f-np

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Lost and Found

LOST—FIVE THOUSAND CIRCULARS, scattered over Elizabeth City. Have you found one? If not come in anyway and get your house dress. Peppercell sheeting bleached 47c per yard. Hurdle & Parker, 6 North Poindexter street. F. 29pd.

Opportunities

BUY CHILDREN'S HATS EARLY—We have an exclusive line, both sport and dress hats. Miss S. A. Perry, 12 East Main street, near Southern Hotel. 427 mar 4 apd

EDGAR'S 1:30 BUS LEAVES ELIZABETH CITY every afternoon for Norfolk. Also leaves Norfolk Union

Station at 5:30 evenings, arriving Elizabeth City 8 o'clock. ja.12-4f

WANTED—A GOOD USED SHOW-case from 5 to 8 feet; floor case preferred. E. J. Cohoon & Co. feb.23-29-np

Candidate Cards

I TAKE THIS OCCASION TO announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff before the Democratic party on June 7. I am not a candidate because my friends have brought me out, but exercising my right as a citizen. I feel at liberty to run for this office. Responsible to no clique, I appeal to the Democratic voters as a whole for their support. I want to be sheriff and have the satisfaction of knowing that my fellow citizens have confidence in me, and in return to give them a faithful, honest, and efficient administration of the duties of said office. If you will give me your support and votes, it will be my ambition to make you the best sheriff Pasquotank County has ever had. J. Walton Hobbs. 427-m19

NOTICE TO THE VOTERS OF Pasquotank County:—Ladies and Gentlemen:—I am a candidate for Sheriff of this County in the Primary to be held on the first Saturday in June 1924. I shall certainly appreciate your influence and your vote for me for this office. Respectfully, L. W. Anderson.