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ABE MARTIN



Ever' thing else seems so cheap compared to th' upkeep of a car that folks don't feel it when they do git stung. A compliment is almost invariably a prologue to a touch.

Sunbury is a neighbor that any community might well be proud of.

Gates County hospitality wins every heart because it is so manifestly as genuine as it is gracious.

And next week the world sees and the Albemarle District Fair. Won't The Advance have its hands full?

Elizabeth City has many organizations, but for real achievement commend us to the Elizabeth City Woman's Club.

Still The Advance is not ready to go to Florida. Its job is to make itself good enough for Elizabeth City.

The Advance has had an idea for some time that the Coolidge administration was a bit too optimistic as to the outlook for settlement of France's war debt.

Well, we got rain to lay the dust for the Acorn Hill road celebration and it looks as though we might get it for the Albemarle District Fair.

What does the Gates County farmer sell? What sort of market will he find for his products in Elizabeth City? These are questions that Elizabeth City business interests would do well to look into.

And once more the small boy thrills as he reads that the circus is coming. But the world is so full of a number of things besides circuses that we can hardly believe he thrills as deeply as did his dad thirty-odd years ago.

Readers of The Advance who follow the dispatches of David Lawrence have not been troubled with any confusion as to the settlement of the French war debt. Mr. Lawrence has made the situation plain to Advance readers all the way through.

The Advance awaits with interest the first issue of the Hertford News, which we understand to have made its debut into the journalistic world over in our neighbor city of Hertford this week on the arm of Aubrey Shackell, son of R. G. Shackell, editor of the Edenton News. As yet, however, the new publication has not paid The Advance a visit.

"The Bible brought to life in the Ten Commandments," headlines a press agent's report of a really great motion picture. But the press agent, as is the habit with the ilk, oversteps himself. The Bible needs no resurrection of regeneration. Its truth "endureth to all generations." All the life in the world is in people.

TOM SIMS SAYS
 Women may be slaves to fashion. But, in summer, their burden's are very light.
 A family tree isn't worth a darn unless it produces peaches.
 Comfort is great stuff. We can't see why hens expecting to set don't lay flat eggs.
 When a man starts out to raise a quiet family he finds that he must raise a rough house now and then.
 A man can't understand why a woman can't understand why he can't understand.
 The world could be worse, much worse. It could be almost as bad as we often think it is.
 When a stranger promises to let you in on something it is time to get out.
 He who laughs last laughs least and he who laughs first usually has a set of gold teeth.
 If you want people to growl at you make a bone of your head.
 Since oysters came back nine million pieces of shell have been mistaken for pearls.
 You can have a good time being foolish if you act sensibly about it.
 Talk is cheap unless you are doing the talking.
 Bad luck is usually cursed for bad luck while good luck is usually taken for granted.

LODGED IN JAIL AT CURRITUCK

Jesse Goodman Gave the Wrong Sort of Check to Bank at Moyock

Moyock, Oct. 2.—Jesse Goodman, formerly of Catawba County who has been working recently in a log woods near Tulls is now in Currituck County Jail for alleged forgery of a check amounting to \$280.

Goodman representing himself as Charles Simpson appeared at the Bank of Currituck one day last week with a letter purporting to have been signed by Mrs. A. D. Sawyer authorizing the bank to pay him this check, requesting that he be given \$110 in cash, and the balance be placed to his credit. This was done.

Upon inquiry being made by the bank it was learned that Mrs. Sawyer knew nothing about this transaction denying that she had either signed the check or letter.

Officers were immediately notified. Sheriff Flora, his Deputy, Will Flora, and Constable G. D. Bright spent two or three days working late in the night trying to locate Goodman who had left Currituck but returned Sunday, making his escape from this section going to the western part of the state. He was finally located in Hickory where he was arrested and turned over to Constable Bright who left Moyock Saturday morning, accompanied by Mr. Limer, Assistant Cashier of the local bank, to bring him back.

At the hearing Monday afternoon before the Recorder the question of probable cause was waived and Goodman being unable to furnish the \$1,000 bond required was placed in Currituck County Jail to wait trial at the next regular term of criminal Court the first week in March.

BESTUTIAN SUCCESS DOWN IN FLORIDA
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Mr. Price. They are now completing a five-acre demonstration farm which is to serve as a school for the farmers who come to Mundon Hill. This plot will contain all of the vegetables and fruits which Florida has found profitable. It also will contain a poultry department.

Mr. Hammond desires to attract only ambitious, industrious and thrifty people who have the sense and the ability to profit through the opportunity he offers. By the end of the year he expects to have the community operating at full swing.

This portion of Florida is particularly interesting and attractive to North Carolinians. Its topography is similar to that of the Piedmont region of the old North State—say Randolph County for instance—high rolling hills, carpeted in green grass or covered with great forests of hardwood and pine. There are many Tar Heel families here: Cobbs; Coxes; Hales, Beasleys and many others who are taking a leading role in the development of a region which many say is the most delightful part of Florida.

Mr. Hammond is now in the North to attend the World Series ball games and to enjoy a well-earned vacation. He probably will stop at his boyhood home, if he can find the time, on his way back to Brooksville.

TOLL OF VICTIMS IS RAISED TO FOUR
 Aboard the Camden, Oct. 2.—The toll of known dead on the submarine S-51 was raised to four when divers recovered the bodies of two of the crew in the engine room of the ship today. They were identified as Walter E. Lawson of Massachusetts and R. D. Lindsay of Florida.

SYNOD TO MEET ON OCTOBER THIRTEEN

The synod of North Carolina of the Presbyterian Church U. S. will convene at Mooresville on October 13th at 8:00 p. m. The retiring moderator Rev. C. E. Hodgkin will preach the opening sermon. Immediately following the opening sermon on Tuesday evening a new moderator will be elected and the synod properly constituted. Many important matters will claim the attention of this meeting of the synod, among the more important being the reports of committees.

Dr. Homer McMillan, general secretary of the Assembly's Home Mission Committee with headquarters at Atlanta, Georgia, will address the synod in behalf of the four committees and the general agencies of the church, presenting an appeal for a united budget for the whole church and showing the integral and close relationship of all departments of the churches work as they function through the Presbyterian Progressive Program, the forward movement of the southern Presbyterian church.

Dr. R. A. White is pastor of the church where synod will meet and as official host of the synod he will have charge of arrangements in connection with the daily program of synod. The synod of North Carolina is composed of 9 presbyteries, Albemarle, Concord, Fayetteville, Granville, Kings Mountain, Mecklenburg, Orange, Wilmington and Winston Salem, and has a total membership of 73,213, ministered to by 292 ministers and 2353 ruling elders. The synod has a total of 530 churches.

UNIVERSITY BOYS ARE GETTING ACQUAINTED

Chapel Hill, Oct. 2. This is "Speak-Greet-Meet" week at the University of North Carolina. Under the direction of the Y. M. C. A., an intensive effort will be made to have every student get better acquainted with every other student. Three days—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—will be devoted to a "get-together" campaign. The plan is sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. cabinet and has the hearty endorsement of every campus organization.

The three days will be filled with interesting events. Class dinners will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday night. And there will be other events of a social nature, such as dormitory socials, to enable the students to know each other better.

NAGS HEAD WILL HAVE NEW SCHOOL

Wanchese, Oct. 2.—Bob Scarborough has the contract for building the new school building at Nags Head. Construction was begun Monday with Frank Daniels, Ignatius Scarborough and J. B. Hooker as helpers.

DIVERS FIND DOOR MOTOR ROOM OPEN

Newport, R. I., Oct. 2.—Divers exploring the sunken submarine S-51 found the door of the motor room open and the compartment was flooded, according to a wireless from the rescue ship Camden intercepted here.

TAKES ISSUE WITH COLONEL MITCHELL

Washington, Oct. 2.—Taking direct issue with Colonel Mitchell, Commander Rodgers, witness before the President's air board today, issued a challenge to any one to make "just criticism" of the arrangements for the Hawaiian flight of the PN-9 No. 1.

TWO NEGROES DIE IN ELECTRIC CHAIR

Raleigh, Oct. 2.—Two negroes, Tqn Robinson of New Hanover and John MacMillan of Moore County, were electrocuted at the State Prison today for assault.

THE OVERTON CASE IS SUDDENLY DISMISSED

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 ment that he had made his will, leaving her half his property, came obviously as a surprise to her at the court session today.

The Plaintiff's Contention
 Mr. Overton's wife died some five or six years ago. Since that time the plaintiff contended, he has been subjected to undue influence from various sources, and has wasted a large part of his estate, which consists of a number of farms valued in the aggregate at about \$30,000.

The adopted daughter, Mrs. Albertson, was in court in the role of interested spectator, and had an infant in her arms. She is obviously considerably older than the granddaughter, Mrs. Rhodes.

The granddaughter was represented by the law firm of McMillan & LeRoy, of Elizabeth City and W. I. Halstead, of South Mills. Appearing for Mr. Overton were Ayllett & Simpson and Ehringhaus & Hall of Elizabeth City.

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Stewart's Washington Letter

BY CHARLES P. STEWART
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WASHINGTON—What politicians say and what they really think often are two quite different things.

For instance, Republican politicians say they expect their party to gain control of the Senate at the next Congressional election.

Also for instance, Democratic politicians predict that their crowd will gain control of the house.

It isn't a bit likely that either group actually thinks any such thing.

When the Republicans speak of controlling the Senate, they mean genuine control. They control it on paper now, but they can't depend on all their own votes—that is, the votes of independents only nominally classed as Republicans.

The way they tell it, the agricultural states are so much more prosperous than they were that radical sentiment has subsided and they're confident that these states will choose "regular" Republican in place of "insurgent" Republican senators in 1926.

The point the Republicans neglect to stress is that all the chances favor their loss of at least six Senate seats to the Demo-

crats and that there's no prospect the Democrats will lose any seats to them.

Seven Democratic senators' terms will expire next year and all will succeed themselves or be succeeded by other Democrats. This is certain because the selections will be made by the voters of Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana and North and South Carolina, and they always do select Democrats.

At the same time the terms of 25 Republican senators will expire and the states they represent include Arizona, Colorado, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri and Oklahoma, which generally select Democrats.

Besides this, the Republicans will have to fight hard in Idaho, Nevada, New York and Utah.

The Democrats may make some gains in the lower house.

They hold few, if any, seats representing normally Republican districts and the Republicans do hold a number of seats representing normally Democratic constituencies—three in Kentucky, two in Maryland, seven in Missouri, two in Oklahoma, two in Tennessee and one in Texas. The Democrats may gain some of these but hardly enough to give them control unless there should be a landslide, of which there's no suggestion at present.

MILITANT MARY
 Uneasy lies the noble nut that wears a crown, they SAY --
 Folks used to smile when they said that, BUT IT'S NO JOKE TO-DAY!

—and the Worst is Yet to Come



EVERETT TRUE BY CONDO

SO YOU'VE TAKEN SOME OF YOUR OWN MONEY AND BOUGHT THAT BOOK OF QUOTATIONS WHEN WE ALREADY HAVE TWO SUCH VOLUMES. NO DOUBT, MY DEAR YOU'LL FIND ONE IN THERE THAT SAYS "A FOOL AND HIS MONEY ARE SOON PARTED."



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