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WHERE WAS YOUR DAUGHTER LAST NIGHT?

If some of the parents of you riris could hear the remarks made their daughters by our old friend, the chronic gossip, they would to more care regarding the asociates and habits of those daughters. It is a fine thing to know that your daughter is so pure and prodent that no harm can come to her, but no girl was ever so much so that the harp tongue of the goasip could not sharp tongue of the goalp could not some plan must be evolved to bet-find motive for wagging if she did which present resources can be betuldance along with her purity and her prodence

We may be a little old-fashiened in our ideas. Things move so fast in this day that a fellow is often laft with obsolete ideas as to propriety overnight. But we cannot see why a thing that was considered indiscreet or improper when we were a youngster a little while ago should not be the same now. Certainly the danger to the girl is just as real now as then. To most of us the thought that our girl can join the innumerable others who have gone wrong is abhorrent; such a possibility is un-thinkable. So has it been with all ruthless doctrine? the heart-broken fathers and mothers of the thousands who drink deep of the cup of shame and die seeped in all the degradation that prostitution brings.

None of us see distaster until it is upon as because it has a way of which will prove disastrous to the soping up unawares. The bright, filing little girl who today nestlas book against the jowl of an idolher check against the jowi of an indo-izing father is confronted by all the dangers that have beset the path of given all the aid German ruthless-young womanhood zince time began. All who have gone wrong were once are white men who have a high rejust as lovably innocent as she. Pro- gard for the industrious, self-respecttected and guided she will weather ing, law-abiding colored brother. the stormy sea of life. Left to the These men are concerned for the arcy of a lot of reptilian youngrs who would reb her of innecence and purity, she will be given a open

We would be the last in the world the negro. think or my evil of the innocent little creatures whose gulety adds sure to our hundrum life. Their aghter to music to us; their antics se. Nothing gives us more pleasthan to see them have fun. But fun has its limits. Girls have no ess away from home with young then they are not chaperoned, even We have seen much of the night life does not please us, but we are not going to "mitch" on anybody. We all negroes look allke to the white local consumers.

needs to build more dwellings. So tion's most intelligent men, sends

CITY MANAGER PLAN FINDS In this war past records count for FAVOR little, because every phase of it is Many of Dunn's forem different from any known before. men endoine the proposition to put The Colonel's fights around Santiago the municipality upon a strictly busi-ness basis and employ a city man-ager to direct its affairs. One man, half-starved Spaniards. The yells of

April 1st, 1916, at the post office ager to direct its affairs. One man, half-starved Spaniaros. The year of at Dunn, M. C. under the act of proven business ability, goes so his rough-riders were more terrible far to say that he would like the than were their bullets to the Span-job of manager himself, stating that iards who were accustomed to fight-ing a lot of poorly armed, bush-wackhe believes he can save the tax pay- ing a lot of poorly armed, bush-wack ers enough money to make his em-ployment at \$1,800 about the best The Colonel intended recruiting his

And the Dispatch doubts not that heroic make up, but the bulk of his he can. Under present arrangements men would have been as green in the the town government is hard put to fighting game as are the thousands supply fuel for its power plant and who are to be trained in the Nation-muet the pay roll of its various em- al. Army cantonments. This force

ployees, and this in face of the fact would have stood as much show that it has imposed privilege tax against the intensely trained hordes upon about everything from peanut of Germany as a tobacco worm does venders to three ring circuses and en- against a gobbler. Too, it wuld have joys a monopoly on the supplying of shown American efficiency to a very water, light and power to upward of poor advantage before the armies of 5,000 people. Obviously, further increase of taxour allies.

es would be wrong. Increase in WHAT ABOUT THE DIMMER! water, light and power rates might be The State has enacted a law to a bad business move. Therefore compel owners of glaring automobile some plan must be evolved through lights to equip such lights with "dimmers". Many have obeyed this law. ter applied. Since no one can ex-Many have not. Those who have not pect a mayor and four commissionare subject to arrest and will be fined ers, each drawing \$24 a year, to

give their entire attention to municipal affairs when personal interesta demand constant watching, it is cer-

tainly up to the town to employ some one to take the burden of keeping the town from insolvency.

TIMELY WARNING TO THE NEGRO

white member of the commercialized Will the negro give heed vice brigade.

body will complain of the service his department is rendering.

ers, for, through knowledge of negro ignorance and weakness, they fear that the vanal element of negro leader ship will direct the race into a course progress made since its emancipation. The white man has no fear of negro domination. He can take care spectacular parade through the streets, seeking whom they may de-vour and flaunting their wares into the eyes of boys and girls whose parents are careless enough to allow them from home. THE BLIND TIGER IS STILL THE BLIND TIGER IS STILL negro's safety. A general upris-

Isn't it about time that the police There has been, we are reliably indepartment was beginning a crusade formed, some talk among a cortain against blind tigend determined of the negroes of this sec- With the passage of the latest protion of what the megro would do to hibition law we looked to see this the white folks when the soldiers section become decidedly arid so far were sent out of the country. To as intoxicating moisture was conc these we would say that there are ed along about July 1; but really going to be plenty of white men and there has been little noticeable demen too late at night-especially intelligent negrgees too lef in the co. crease in drunkenness. Little liquor to take care of any trouble they may somes through the old routes. Hardas have gone out of style. care to start. The only worry they iy a gallon a day comes by express, occasion is that they may start some- unless it is disguised as something of some of our young people that thing that even their deaths may else. But the fact remains that con-

merely state this as a timely warning man who is seeing red. His broth-to parents who are entirely too care- are with cooler heads are few men to get positive proof against

for one house it appears that Dunn an organization of some of the ne- supply in and around Dunn.

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By Rev. J. A. Hornaday, Pastor Dunn Methodist Church . . .

The "Items" for this departmen the Dispatch this week are sent from the "Land of the Sky." of the Dispatch this week are sent in from the "Land of the Sky." On Priday of last week my wife, my daughter, Bernice, and I left Dunn on 34 at 6:33 o'clock in the morning. At Selma my daughter and I got of to catch 21 on the Bouthern for Asheville, while my wife went on to Richmond. We had bought our tickets through to Waynesville, think-ing we could come on through with-out making any change. We found, however, that we had to stop over in Asheville until Saturday morning. At Winston-Salem Judge Frank Carter got our train, and by chance we got ecquainted with him and found him quite entertaining. He seemed to be thoroughly acquainted with ev-ery inch of the way, and was exceed-ingly kind and patient in answoring the many questions we fired at him. We were scheduled to reach Ashe-ville at 8:10 o'clock in the evening, but our train was about one hour late. Arriving in Asheville we headdd

late.

Many have not. Those who have not tre subject to arrest and will be fined it is cheaper to put in the dimmersi before arrest. Arrest is sure if they are not put m. BASS DOES GOOD JOB Congratulations to Chief of Police Bass in ridding the town of its sole

and one or two others full to over-flowing. At hast we secured rooms at the Westover. We got into our rooms about 11 c'clock, and went to bed supperhese. We found the Westover quite a decent sort of hotel, and think we shall try it again.

department is rendering. Speaking of these same colored street walkers: It occurs to us that their presence here could be made a little tess obnoxious to the people of Dunn. A more brasen lot we and is so crooked one almost meets have never seen, nor could mere fact himself along the way.

be round. They sow not, betther to they spin, but Solomon in all his glory could not hold them a light when it comes to grandeur of raiment. Sy. ery Saturday night finds them in spectacular parade through the

On Monday we took a trip to the far-famed Engies Neet hotel, built on the top of the highest mountain in the Junal mit ange, and about five

conceit aid the on my part to un-dertake the task of giving a descrip-tion of the scenery from Eagles Nest's apox, no matter in what direction

apox, no matter in what direction you turn your eyes. We expect to take in the rugged beauty of Junaluska lake, and the mountains round about Asheville be-fore we leave for Mount Airy the last part of the week. We may have more to say about our trip next week. more week.

thing that even there deaths may ease. But the fact remains that con-bing to "snitch" on anybody. We all negroes look alike to the white parents who are entirely too care-are with cooler heads are few in number and will not be able to stop reator. NEEDED: MORE HOUSES With seventeen families applying to one house it appears that Dunn seds to build more dwellings. So tr as we know there is not vacant

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Bank ^P Cape Fear June 25th, 1915, DEPOSITS \$39,424.05 June 25th, 1917, DEPOSITS 131.291.00 OVER 300 PER CENT GAIN SINCE JUNE, 25, 1915. 200 percent gain in last 90 days in our SAVINGS DE-PARTMENT. We pay 4 percent in this department. "DUNN'S FASTEST GROWING BANK" D. C. FUSSELL, Pres. G. M. TILGHMAN, Vice-Pres. H. B. TAYLOR, Cashier, G. M. HOOKS, Ass't. Cashier. STOCK GOING CHEAP Our Sale is over but we are still giving bargains to our customers. COME AND SEE GOLDSTEIN'S **Dunn's Best Store On The Corner ~**× and sincere sympathy of that govern-meat in the struggle in which this government is now engaged. They frackly informed representatives of this government on their arrival that they were not here to ask for money, men or any other layor of that sort, but simply on a friendly mission. It acts on the liver botter that chosed and does not give or sicken. Zo RUB-MY-TISM Will cure Rheumatism, Neu-ralgia, Headaches, Cramps, Colic Sprains, Braises, Cuts, Burns, Old Sores, Tetter, Ring-Worm, Ec-sema, etc. Antiseptie Anodyne, used internally or externally. 25c PROGRAMME William Randolph Hearst has been W. M. U. Associational Meeting, William Randolph Hearst has been Coats Church, Coats, N. C., Sept. 5-6 to run in the for Mayor of (With apologies to Rudyard Kipling.) e whole town a single dwelling out a warning from Washington that case of siller vs. Byrd. any modern conveniences. A single dwelling German agents are planning to in-while age Granville M. Tilgh-states that the Germans believe that Mr. Wrenn and men your ilk are giv-booght the two negro dwellings that the Germans believe that Mr. Wrenn and men your ilk are giv-"No sympathy, therefore, will be available of the most call be available of the most cal If you can hold your tongue when German backers Are loosing theirs and daming Uncle Sam; If you can keep from cussing out the Words of Odum. izations in existence, is axceedingly anxious to beat Mayor Mitchell, said by Colonel Roosevelt to be the bost Mayor New York has had in a quar-ter of a century. If W. R. Hearst, Response--Miss Lillie Byrd. They abuse free speech, and this ap-may be lurking between Maine and Minnesota." Walter P. Byrd roplies that, "if serving in the army of your country in the past, offering to serve in the present, helping to raise the present the men who are to be called, is treasen, you can make the most of it." slackers A Survey of Associational Work-Mrs. J. B. Tugwell. Reports of Associational Officers. And flaying smug hypocrisy and If you can wait and not be tired by Reports from Societies. If for Mother Why not for Jesus-Miss Ada Overby. waiting. While the reptile papers keep us on the rack; If you can stand the pacifist prat-Announcements. Wednesday Evening ing, And never have a yearning to strike back. 8:00- - Hevotional-Rev. J. A. Camp-bell, Buie's Crook, N. C. bell, Buie's Crook, N. C. Missionury Address—The Coming King—Rev. S. J. Beeker, Duke, If you can see your country's cities 'N. C. Thursday, Sept. 6. 9:30 a m.—Devotional Exercises— Mrs. II. Y. Smith. If you can see your country's cities Plasterod With sycophantic warnings against war; If you can see your country's cities Plasterod With sycophantic warnings against war; If you can see your country's cities Plasterod With sycophantic warnings Against war; If you can see your country's cities Mrs. II. Y. Smith. If you can see your country's cities Plasterod With sycophantic warnings Against war; If you can watch a yellow-livered datard content without. But this shows that houses with conveniences. Every day damase for small failuries for remtable houses come inquiries for remtable houses come to the Dispatch, but we don't know where one can be found. This week guist, remain respectful, work dit houses with conveniences. Every day inguiries for remtable houses come inquiries for remtable houses come where one can be found. This week guist, remain respectful, work dit how set a continue the even thoor is sufficient to the present time there wars of the nation down to the where one can be found. This week living in the country have asked us of his way, for at the present time the present time with the vicious of his respect to the present time the set of drammer of the new of the nation down to the wars and the atterned of the non-the terms of the nation down to the and this utterance from him confirms war with Spain. He himself volum-teres for service in thet wer. Mr. Siler is a Democratic of the an ention down to the war with spain. He himself volum-teres for service in the twer. Mr. Siler is a Democratic of the second the nation down to the war with spain. He himself volum-teres for service in the twer. The second the vicious of his respect of the present time teres for service in the twer. Mr. Siler is a Democratic of the second the matter of him. The second the vicious of his respect of the present time teres for service in the twer. Mr. Siler is a Democratic of the second the matter of him. Refusing to confront things as Mrs. Joel Layton. Fossibilities of Mission Study-Mrs. B. P. Gentry. Mrs. Joel Lavt they are; If you can see a swarm of crawling The Story-Miss Mary Warren. Opportunity and Vision-Mrs. J. A. lizards, Squirming through the marriage McLeod. News from the Training School-Miss Mattie Bain. Sunbeams at Work-Miss Elizabeth N. Briggs. What the Y. W. A. Can Do for Our Girls-Mrs. S. J. Beeker. The Tragedy of the Open Door-Couts Y. W. A. McLeud. Men s find them houses in town, but hey are not here. A NEW SPIRIT IN AN OLD TOWN Wilmington awakens. After a long deep die is a proprior add that pro-grees comes only to communities the op-protunity. But is realizing that there is a realizing that there are is a town for the progress of there is a realizing that have grown while against Germany while our new arm is a stole floor while our new arm is a stole stol gizzards, Disgracing those whose honored names they boro: If you can hear an orator denouncing The liberty for which our nation bled; If you let him go without a trounc-2:00-Devotional Exercise Exercises-Miss ng Or punching in the bally traitor's head; Nora Smith. Young Women and Missions-Miss you can smile when lying propa Bessie Campbell. Song-Dunn Y. W. A. Personal Bervico-Mim Mabel Burt. Report. of Committees. Election of Officers. ganda, educes men who ought to know Se the truth: If you can tolerate their rotten slan-And bear it with an idle flet, for-For You to Remember. Keep your own room in tasteful If you can smeer at men who wear the khaki, Have an hour for rising, and rise. Or jeer at those who wear the navy blue; can whisper like a skulking Always know where your things navy Make somebody happy every day. About the men who have the gin now. Always look neat, around the house. Never disturb others when they are nerve to do; vanquishment of brutal foes appalls you, If you can't prove your right to Never fuss or fret or fidget Never luss or fret or fidget. Speak politely to everybody. Work neatly, quicity and quickly. Study your lessons for all times, of for a day. Let the sumhine enter your heart. All these things will insure hap-mens.—Selected. be a man, ou may be everything your mother These representativ calls you, But, believe me, yo care not ot are in this to cultivate the hip that already ox American Edwin Carty Ranck, in Brooklyn Daily Eagle.

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ely propaganda of German agents Now, if he will just start the colorwho seek to draw him into the web ed street walkers on their way, no-

This is a question causing grave concern to the negro's well wishof Dunn. A more brased lot we and is so crooked one almost meets have never seen, nor could more fing: hand it so crooked one almost meets befound. They sow not, neither do they min but Solomon in all his close

ing would cause some hardship and some suffering to the white man. It

would mean practical annihilation to WITH US

church

out a warning from Washington that the whole town a single dwelling German agents are planning to inwith any modern conveniences. A stigate a general segro uprising. It man bought the two negro dwellings they will create a reign of terror in lot and an the United States and that by so do- Kaiser than all the German spies who rested for unpatriotic utterances. on the old Divine Hotel nounced that they would be thorough- ing they will force the nation to keep ly renovated, equipped with water, its troops from the European battle Minnesota." sowerage and lights and rented. Car- fronts. In other words, the Germans Walter P

peaters had hardly started to work hope to use the negro instead of their before Mr. Tilghman was flooded with own men as targets for American bul offers by prospective renters. Within lets. a week was importuned by 17 The really intelligent leaders of

bands and wives whose future the negro have reported to the happiness seemed dependent upon proper authorities all overtures made r acquiring one of those houses. to them by the Germans. Their loy-

There are any s agton can do. She has natural lages above most any city along limite seaboard and should have mand that army,but no man who has ath's leading port long the South's leading port long to prove of familiariand himself with of territory belonging meral apathy of her propie to methods empoyed in waging it can program has kept her from believe that the Colone's Spanish a Bodostan giste her own. With her citi-guained and working harmoni-the condict-and that socias to be the basis for his be andered by the

towns that have grown while against Germany while our new arm-stood practically still, and is pre-ing to instill into her people some the vim characterising these of and some of his followers who seem to think that the president's refnal to think that the president's refnal to think that the president's refnal

was actuated by partians feeling. None doubt the Colonal's ability (verdict accordingly. You may retire. he an army and to gloriously con

mand that army, but no man who has followed the course of the present war and familiarized himself with methods empoyed in waging it can believe that the four states of the second state The pro

whon Congress acted. After that CASE OF SILER VS. BYRD. ing more aid and comfort to the

to sealed upon a key of dynamite with the vicious of his race ready to sealed upon a key of dynamite with the vicious of his race ready to sealed upon a key of dynamite with the vicious of his race ready to sealed upon a key of dynamite holder and is held responsible for to sealed upon a key of dynamite holder and is held responsible for to sealed upon a key of the fuse.

Lift During the three years of the world war England's debt has grown from \$3,250,000,000 to \$17,000,000, 000. Over against total expenditures of \$25,750,000,000 are revenues

of \$25,750,000,000 are revenues amounting to \$5,555,000,000. On the basis of present expenditures the National debt is increasing at the rate of about mine billion dollars s year, or nearly three times as much as was the total indebtedness of the Nation in 1914. But while the pre-country. These representatives of The premier Nation is in a serious one, yet in formation of sent situation is a serious one, yet in federation proportion to England's National fruition of wealth the total is still far short of ir, is contine what the National debt was at tho elose o file National debt was of one country. These re the Japanese governa country simply to cult ties of friendship th hetween the two governments, and to

and enrich other communities, towns or cities. Families like Mr. and Mrs. Snipes are the best assets any com-munity can have, and we believe such