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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

I have loved to feel the grass under my feet and the running streams by my side. The hum of the wind in the treetops has always been music to me, and the face of the fields has often comforted me more than the face of men. I am in love with this world because by my constitution I have nestled lovingly in it. It has been home. It has been my point of lookout into the universe. I have not bruised myself against it, nor tried to me it ignobly. I have tilted the soil, I have gathered its harvest. I have waited upon its seasons and always have I reaped what I have sowed. While I delved I did not lose sight of the sky overhead. While I gathered bread and meat for my body I did not neglect to gather its bread and meat for my soul, I have climbed its mountains, reamed its forests, felt the sting of its frosts, the oppression of its heats, the drunch of its rains, the fury of its winds, and always have beauty and joy waited upon my going and comings.—John Burroughs.

"Everybody Giving Congress Hell"

Here is the opinion of Congressman William R. Wood of Indiana, a stalwart Republican, spoken on the floor of the House, November 17, concerning public opinion of this Republican Congress:
 "I know the very serious condition that is prevailing throughout the land. I am only speaking the truth when I say that the people of this country employed in every vocation and in every character of business are giving this Congress hell. They are doing it because we have done nothing to stimulate business. They are doing it because we have done nothing to give encouragement to the farmer. We have done nothing to benefit the farmer and stimulate the prices of the farmers' products."
 Representative Wood has since been made chairman of the Republican Congressional Campaign Committee, charged with the re-election of the Congress he denounced on the floor of the House as a Do-Nothing Congress.

PROHIBITION AND BONUS

The public, as a general thing, does not have much confidence in the newspaper poll, but when a poll is instituted which catches any considerable proportion of the population of a State or section, it must be taken as reflecting public opinion in corresponding measure. The Literary Digest is engaged in the delightful pastime of "polling" the country on two issues—prohibition and the bonus. It is getting up into the proportion of a 250,000 vote and on the Volstead law it is significant that not a voice is raised in favor of return to the open saloon. On the contrary, opinion is dead set against any such eventuality. And while there is division in the matter of modification of the Volstead act, the vote for repeal of the law is feeble. If the poll as conducted by The Digest means anything it means that the country is standing by prohibition, the difference being on the best methods of "laying" the law and enforcing it. Public sentiment is unanimous on the one proposition that is to forever remain a sectional country.

On the matter of the bonus the country is so equally divided, if we are to believe the poll, that the politicians are more than ever at sea.—Charlotte Observer.

NOW NORTH CAROLINA Forest Production

North Carolina with an area of 21,700,000 acres still contain approximately 19,500,000 acres of forest lands.
 Roughly speaking, three fourths of the mountain section, one half of the Piedmont, and two thirds of the coastal plain region are still in woods. There is probably a slightly larger area growing softwoods, chiefly pine, than growing hardwoods. Much of this forest has been so cut and burnt for generations that there is little or no growing timber on the land and only slight prospect of any returning, unless fires are kept out.
 The U. S. Census figures show that more than 50 per cent of the average North Carolina farm consists of woodland, yet most of this area is yielding less than 10 per cent of the owners than it was twenty-five years ago. The demand for lumber, ties, poles, pulpwood, veneer, cordwood, etc., increases rapidly from year to year. Our furniture industry, the largest in the South, is having to go further and further for its supply of hardwoods and much of our building material is now coming from the extreme South and even from the Pacific Coast States. Prices are high now and undoubtedly will be higher. We must put our idle land to work.
 How can we regenerate the forest which is already destroyed and keep productive that which is to be cut? Several steps will probably be necessary with those lands which now contain no profitable stand of timber. Some may have to be planted to trees; again; other lands may be seeded from surrounding trees and the young growth gradually form a forest. A prerequisite to every forestry operation, however, is the prevention of fires. Forest fires have devastated at least one million dollars' worth of property in North Carolina per annum for many years past, and only recently has the arc burned over each year begun to decline. The hopelessness of trying to secure adequate young growth to produce a profitable crop of timber with present conditions is apparent to all. It is no use planting or providing seed trees or encouraging young growth if fires are to come along and destroy it. Both the State and Federal Governments are agreed that forest fires must be prevented and they are now starting out in earnest to do this. The counties are being asked to cooperate with the State in forest fire prevention and a number of them are taking up this work in earnest. The people are also being urged to do their part by being more careful in the use of fire. Only when all interests work together for fire prevention can the forests of the state yield satisfactory returns.—N. C. Geological and Economic Survey.

HENRY FORD ON THE MODERN SCHOOL

Henry Ford, in an article in the Dearborn Independent, criticizes modern methods of teaching. He says:
 "The first thing that school vacations impress upon us is the helpless condition in which the schools leave most boys. They have learned nothing that they are eager to practice; they have studied nothing that they are eager to test. So far as their own feeling goes, there is a gulf between the interests of the classroom and the interests of the world at large. To the eyes of the boy, the school and the world are not engaged in the same things at all. His experience has not given him any practical hand-hold on the life that swirls about him. As a consequence, the vacation period is not nearly so pleasant for the boy as older folks think it is. It throws him out of the routine that exercised authority over him; it does not throw him into anything else but villainous. He is largely left to his own devices. He tries to 'play,' but it is harder for a boy to 'play' in this mechanical age than it ever was before. After his temporary gladness because of his release from school, vacation becomes really a problem for the boy of energy.
 "Sometimes he tries to work, to get a job somewhere, but there are not many jobs for boys who can stay only two months; and we learn another thing from vacations, namely, there is no place for our boys. We have not taken them into consideration. We have rid ourselves of them by placing them in school, that is, by placing them in the atmosphere and under the control of the most unpractical element of our population; and then we have forgotten them.
 "The dangerous age for a boy is that period when the school is through with him having told him everything but how to get a start in life, and practical life looks at him askance. The truth of the matter is, we have left no place for the boy. We have refused to give him a hand-hold on life at a time when his development urges him to get that hand-hold. We

forced him to pursue a course which if it does not unfit him for his part, at least does not fit him for it. The result is that, to many, study becomes abhorrent in youth, and work becomes abhorrent in maturity. Distinctly thwarted at both periods become obstructions all the way through. Freedom is an essential development in life; freedom with discipline is consistent; freedom with repression is not."

BOYHOOD FRIEND OF DR. POE WRITES

Editor Dunn Dispatch:
 I note, with a great deal of interest your announcement that Dr. Clarence Poe will speak here Saturday.
 Dr. Poe is known in every nook of the Southland, but he and I were boys together and attended the same school, so I thought this word might be of interest.
 He went to work on the Progressive Farmer when only a boy, without the advantage of even a high school education.
 As a boy he stood out above his fellows for his singularity and for his broad conception of things beyond the grasp of other boys of his age, and those characteristics of his boyhood have become more marked in his maturer years.
 I do not hesitate to say that I believe the absorbing purpose of his life has been not to accumulate money, but to be of service to his fellows. He has thrown himself wholeheartedly into co-operative marketing, not for the personal benefit he will receive, but because he sincerely believes this is a great opportunity

to serve not only the large cotton grower but the humblest tenant as well.
 MERRITT BURNS.
 Dunn, Aug. 3rd.

NORTH CAROLINA, HARNETT COUNTY, P. B. JOHNSON Vs SIMON STRWART:

Before A. F. GRIMES, J. P., Grove Township, Harnett County.
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Justice of the Peace Court of Grove Township, Harnett County, North Carolina, to recover judgment for the sum of \$31.00 with interest from the 7th day of June, 1922, and cost of suit and the defendant will further take notice, that he is required to appear before A. F. Grimes, J. P., at his office in Grove Township at the City of Coates, N. C., on the 5th day of September 1922, at 10 o'clock a. m. and answer or demur to this action or the plaintiff will apply for relief demanded in said action. This the 31st day of July 1922.

A. F. GRIMES, Justice of the Peace.

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LIGHT-SIXES			
Chassis	\$ 785	\$ 875	\$90
Roadster	975	1,045	70
Touring	975	1,045	70
Coupe-Roadster	1,225	1,375	150
Sedan	1,550	1,750	200
SPECIAL-SIXES			
Chassis	1,000	1,200	200
Roadster	1,250	1,425	175
4-Pass. Roadster	1,275	1,475	200
Touring	1,275	1,475	200
Coupe	1,875	2,150	275
Sedan	2,050	2,350	300
BIG-SIXES			
Chassis	1,300	1,500	200
Touring	1,650	1,785	135
Speedster	1,785	1,985	200
Coupe	2,275	2,500	225
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