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UNIVERSITY NEWS.

Correspondence of The Gazette. CHAPEL HILL, Oct. 2. — Recognizing the value of athletic sports for college students, the University authorities are trying in every way this year to develop a sane and wholesome interest in outdoor games and exercises. The general participation of all students in athletics is urged—each man after his own capacity and interest, under the best direction and with adequate facilities. Although there will be as much interest as ever in the various teams representing the University in contests with other colleges, special emphasis will be laid on athletic contests for the great mass of the students, the majority of whom can never make a team; many, moreover, who are not physically equipped for strenuous competition. It is recognized, however, that these men can be greatly benefited by games out of doors, and special provisions are made for them, accordingly.

A middle group of men—the average athletes—will be given opportunity for a somewhat more strenuous training, with work that requires some endurance and skill. Men in this group will contest on the various class teams in football, basketball, tennis and baseball, and will receive suitable training under special coaches. They will figure entirely in intra-mural contests. For the first class athlete, who has attained excellence by virtue of his ability and training, still another type of training will be provided, even more strenuous than the second, and under the direction of highly skilled coaches. Attention will not be given to these men, however, to the neglect of the other two classes.

The University has, for the first time, put into operation what is known as the one year rule. Briefly stated, it means that no man can represent the University in intercollegiate contests during his first year here. This preliminary year gives time for getting acquainted with the purposes and spirit of the University, and keeps the student's mind from being distracted from work before he can find himself and settle down to study. It also makes it impossible for a student to come to the University primarily in order to make an athletic team.

Bert Dudley, charged with the murder of Henry Muller, an aged German, and his wife, was taken from the jail at Olanthe, Kan., Thursday, by a masked mob, and hanged to a telegraph pole.

Warranty Deeds for typewriter, supply just arrived. Gazette office.

MAKE MONEY AT HOME

Children Reap Good Profits From Back-Yard Gardens.

Many Cities Throughout the Country Are Now Adopting the Plan Proposed by Uncle Sam.

Uncle Sam is obtaining good results in the movement for the establishment of home gardens under direction of the public schools so that there may be created productive occupation for school children, especially those in manufacturing towns and mill villages. By creating such productive occupation outside of school hours children are enabled to make about as much money from their home gardens as if they were employed in factories.

This plan of home gardening directed by the school has been adopted by about one hundred cities. Fifty thousand children are cultivating back-yard gardens under school supervision in these cities, some of the children making as high as \$150 from their gardens for one season. The city of Chattanooga, Tenn., which has adopted the government plan, now has 11 garden teachers in charge of this work.

"Garden surveys," to determine the adaptability of conditions for home garden work, have been made by the United States bureau of education in San Francisco, Cal., Richmond, Ind., Nashville, Tenn., and several other cities. The survey of Richmond showed that even in a city of this size 85 per cent of the children were without employment during the summer, but that they had sufficient garden space available to produce at least \$85,000 worth of vegetables every season.

The bureau's plan provides for a teacher, trained and skilled in gardening, for each elementary city school with its two or three hundred children; for an intensive system of gardening, and for the application of business methods, intelligent direction and close supervision.

FIRST-AID MEASURES TO PREVENT IVY POISONING

Uncle Sam Finds Time to Issue Warning Against Danger That May Be Encountered in the Woods.

Uncle Sam, among all his other activities, has found time to make a little study of the poison ivy and to issue



Poison Ivy.

some first-aid instructions for the benefit of those who may come in contact with the plant while wandering through the woods. He urges those who do not know what poison ivy looks like to become familiar with its appearance and then keep as far away from it as possible. The leaves of the plant are irregular, oval pointed and course toothed. They are always in groups of three. The plant, which sometimes takes the form of a low shrub, sometimes a graceful vine and again sends out horizontal branches like a tree, has clusters of small greenish white berries.

The poison is contained in an oil secreted by the plant and which does not penetrate the skin rapidly. If one thinks he has been exposed he should wash the exposed parts with salt water or hot water and soap, and afterwards bathe thoroughly with alcohol or kerosene. If no soap is at hand, the hands may be given a good scrubbing with sand or mud in the first stream encountered. This may wash off the oil before it has had time to get through the natural protective coating of the skin.

If poisoning develops, the following formula is recommended by Uncle Sam as a remedy:

- Carbolic acid.....2 grams
- Resorcin.....2 grams
- Bismuth subgallate.....4 grams
- Equal parts water and lime-water to make.....250 c. c.

This solution may be dabbed on the affected parts several times a day.

Scraps Yield Big Sum.

The value of the copper, lead, zinc, tin, aluminum and antimony recovered in the United States from scrap metals, skimmings and drosses in 1915, was \$114,304,930, against \$57,039,708 in 1914, a 100 per cent increase, according to statistics prepared by the United States geological survey.

Buy Waterworks Plant in U. S.

Consul General Frederic W. Goding reports to Uncle Sam from Guayaquil, Ecuador, that the first order for machinery for the city waterworks of Cuenca, Ecuador, has been secured by a New York firm for 32,000 sucres, which at the present rate of exchange equals \$18,500.

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—Miss Julia LaFar announces the re-opening of her kindergarten at 211 West Second avenue tomorrow morning. Miss LaFar has been conducting a very successful kindergarten here for the past six years or more, and her work has given eminent satisfaction. She takes only a limited number of pupils.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS.

North Carolina, Gaston County, In the Superior Court, October Term, 1916.

M. L. Brown vs. Isabelle Brown

Isabelle Brown, the defendant above-named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Gaston County, North Carolina, by her husband, M. L. Brown, against the said Isabelle Brown for absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony; and the said defendant will take further notice that she is required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of Gaston County to be held on the seventh Monday after the first Monday in September, 1916, at the court house in said county and state, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 23rd day of Sept., 1916. C. C. CORNWELL, Clerk of Superior Court. T-O-174

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FILING PETITION.

State of North Carolina, Gaston County, In the Superior Court.

L. A. Kiser, against P. R. Hay and wife Minnie Hay, Mrs. Helen Hay, Forest Floyd and wife Cora Floyd, F. Ramseur and wife Bell Ramseur, W. S. Mauney and wife Alice Mauney, Wm. M. Bennett and wife Lizzie Bennett, John McCulloch and wife Lizzie McCulloch, J. S. Mauney and wife Julia Mauney, W. A. Mauney and wife Candace Mauney, M. L. Plonk and wife Fronie Plonk, J. H. Garrett and wife Sallie Garrett, W. P. Cobb, W. P. Fulton and wife Noia Fulton, Harvey Williams, J. G. Hord and wife Carrie Hord, Lee McGill and wife Laura McGill, Miss Rosa Hay, L. T. Mann and wife Emma Mann, Mrs. Jas. C. Braswell and her husband, Mrs. Jas. C. Braswell and her husband, Miss Ruth Battle, Miss Nanie Battle, Mrs. D. W. Newsom and her husband D. W. Newsom, Cullen G. Battle, Mrs. Mary McDearman and her husband — McDearman, Mrs. Elizabeth G. Hilliard and her husband S. P. Hilliard.

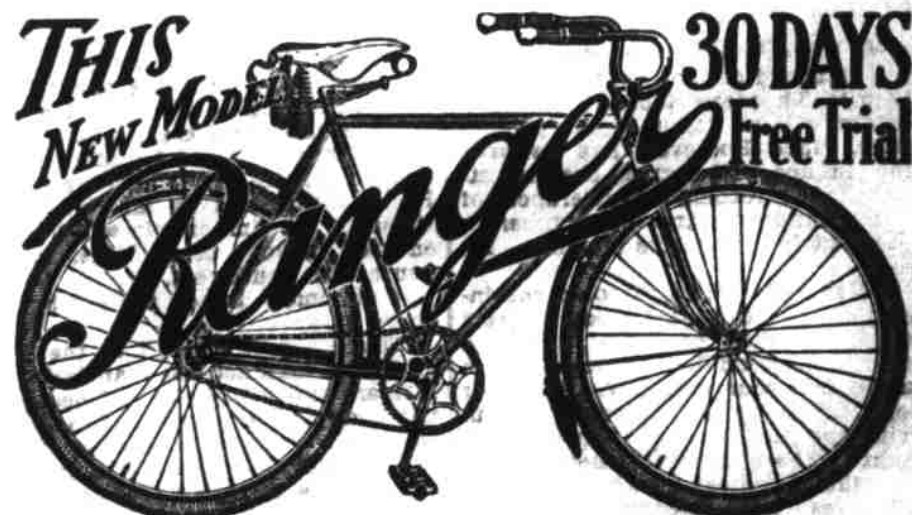
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The parties above named and all other persons interested will take notice that on the 7th day of September, 1916, the above named petition-

er filed a petition in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gaston County, to have the title to certain lands therein described registered and confirmed pursuant to Chapter 90 of the Public Laws of 1913, and that summons has been issued, returnable at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gaston County, on the 23rd day of November, 1916. Said land is situated in Crowders Mountain Township, in the county of Gaston and said State, adjoining the land of Mauney, Hay, Ramseur and others, known as the R. H. Garrett home-place, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone, Cobb's corner, being 2.74 chains West of a black oak, the original corner, and runs with Fulton's line N. 86 W. 6-70 chains to a stone, William Bennett's corner; thence with Bennett's line S. 3 1-2 W. 3.17 1-2 chains to a stone; thence N. 86 W. 3.17 1-2 chains to a stone, Bennett's corner; thence N. 3 1-2 E. 1.00 chain to a stone, Bennett's corner; thence N. 86 W. 5.36 chains to a stone, Bennett's corner, on Oriental Avenue; thence with said Oriental Avenue S. 1 W. 3.36 chains to a stone, Miss Hay's corner on Oriental Avenue; thence with her line S. 89 E. 3.18 chains to a stone; thence with Miss Hay's and P. R. Hay's line S. 1 W. 7.06 chains to a stone, Hay's corner; thence with Hay's line N. 1 W. 3.18 chains to a stone on Oriental Avenue, near P. R. Hay's cannery factory; thence with Oriental Avenue S. 1 W. 12.42 chains to a stake in Hay's line; thence with Hay's line E. seventy (70) links to a stake; thence with another line of Hay's and along a ditch S. 5 E. 5.50 chains to a stake in Mauney's line; thence with Mauney's line N. 87 E. 3.88 chains to a stone, Mauney's and Garrett's corner; thence with Mauney's line S. 2 1-2 W. 11.23 chains to a chestnut oak across the road, Mauney's, Plonk & Floyd's and J. H. Garrett's corner; thence with J. H. Garrett's line N. 51 1-4 E. 15.47 chains to a stone and pointers, near a ditch; thence with J. H. Garrett's line S. 61 1-4 E. 7.00 chains to a stone, Ramseur's corner; thence with Ramseur's line No. 30 E. 13.50 chains to a fence post on the East side of the branch, Ramseur's corner; thence with Ramseur's line N. 41 W. 16.40 chains to center of public road, Ramseur's corner; thence with said road N. 80 E. 1.52 chains; thence N. 64 E. 4.72 chains to a stake in W. S. Mauney's line; thence with W. S. Mauney's line N. 41 W. 5.65 chains to a small black oak, Cobb's corner; thence with Cobb's line N. 86 3-4 W. 3.56 chains to a stone, Cobb's corner; thence N. 1 1-2 E. 3.67 chains to the beginning. Containing seventy (70) acres, more or less.

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