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GASTONIA, THE SOUTH'S CITY OF SPINDLES.
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NEXT YEAR'S CELEBRATION.

Gastonia's celebration of Armistice Day was not what it should have been. This is not meant as reflecting in any way upon the Victory Sing staged by the women of the music club.

But there should have been a celebration that was all-embracing, city and county-wide in its scope. Other communities in other parts of the country pulled off the biggest occasion in their history.

Has Gastonia become so mercenary, and its civic self so commercialized in the race for the almighty dollar that it cannot take a brief period from its money-making days to pay honor and tribute to the memory of a date that is not only national, but world-wide in its significance?

Now is the time to plan for a celebration next year that should eclipse any thing ever held here.

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

"The factories and mills all close around noon now, and who ever heard of a painter, carpenter, or plumber, working after dinner on Saturday any more? So the last lone reason for the clerk's thirteen-hour day is gone."

"We believe that any store employing any large number of women that keeps them at work all day Saturday, and until 8, 9, or 10 o'clock at night, is "out of step" with the times, and is in an indefensible position.

"Every leading organization in Charlotte, as well as Organized Labor, has come out in favor of early-Saturday closing, and Ivey's is glad to be in with the crowd, who is in line with this new spirit of Progress—and a fair deal for the other fellow."

For the past two or three weeks The Gazette has been trying to hammer this same idea into the heads of our folks in Gastonia, but for some reason or other it does not go. It may be that we are on the wrong trail altogether and advocating something all wrong, but we think not.

Of course, it is nothing to us. We shall continue to work on Saturday nights as usual when it is necessary to get this column filled.

But The Gazette wants to see Gastonia take its place among the list of progressive and leading cities that are adopting this move in order to give the men and women who work hard all week, a rest on Saturday nights.

HOME OWNERSHIP

Gastonia citizens as a rule, are home-owning people. There is nothing like the satisfaction and pride and contentment that comes from the sense of ownership of one's home.

"There are many ways by which a community may be judged as to the character of its citizenship, but that town or city in which the larger percentage of the families own their own homes can always be rated high.

"Many people advance the argument that where rents are not exorbitant it is usually cheaper to rent than to own a home, considering interest on the investment, taxes, upkeep, etc. From a financial standpoint this may oftentimes be the case, but when those things with which money cannot be compared—satisfaction, security, contentment, home pride—are considered, the theory will not hold.

Gastonia wants an "old-fashioned" political convention to nominate the Democratic candidate for Congress, if it is found that the time between now and December 16th is too short to go to the expense and trouble of arranging for a primary.

Does Gastonia need a landing field for the convenience of air scouts who will ere long be making the route for the Washington-Atlanta mail line?

Gastonia needs more houses.



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TWO OPINIONS OF JUDGE WEBB.

The Raleigh Times in writing of the new judge says:

"But as a citizen of North Carolina every man has a right to be interested in the appointment of the judge. We should have many votes Webb could get if he is anything of a lawyer, there has been no chance for him to come up, and the most recent of the news would hardly raise that question of his political temperament, which is based in favor of the United States, welcoming the earth with southern philosophy, which resulted in his purging within a week republicans from the department of war."

"The state at large does not, we are convinced, want Webb to have the judgeship, and his principal supporters in his district are men who expect to get something out of him or the situation growing out of his appointment and resignation from congress."

"A score of men have been mentioned for the judgeship who may be suspected of being better fitted for the position, the friends of none appear to have been able to secure a hearing for their candidates."

The Charlotte Observer says: "While there has been no reason to believe that Congressman Webb's nomination by President Wilson as a judge in the western North Carolina district courts would be confirmed by the Senate, it was nevertheless something of a tribute to the North district Representative in the House that the Senate Judiciary committee voted unanimously to recommend confirmation." "View of the fact that the Republicans control the committee as they do the Senate. The fact that a dissenting vote was cast in the committee indicates something of the popularity of Mr. Webb in Washington, where he has served his district with eminent ability these many years, taking so prominent a part in the work of the lower house of Congress as to attract nationwide attention."

"It is a foregone conclusion that within a few days Mr. Webb will take on the judicial ermine and enter upon the duties of judge in the Federal courts of western North Carolina. It is hardly too much to say that no appointment to high office of honor and trust in this State in recent years has given satisfaction more nearly universal. Apparently his appointment to the Federal bench—technically as an assistant to Judge Boyd but in practice virtually the successor of the venerable jurist of the opposite party—has the approval of the great rank and file of the people of the district, of both political parties. Apparently it is generally considered fitting and proper as Mr. Webb is considered the right man for the place."

LET'S ALL GO TO WORK

Chicago Herald and Examiner "Put one hundred men on an island where fish is a staple article of sustenance. Twenty-five of the men catch fish. Twenty-five others clean the fish. Twenty-five cook the fish. Twenty-five hunt fruit and vegetables. The entire company eats what that is gathered and prepared. So long as everybody works there is plenty. All hands are happy. Ten of the all-fish fish catches stop catching fish. Ten more dry land and hide part of the fish they catch. Five continue to catch fish but work only part of the day at it. Ten fish catch and the company is killed."

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What would seem to be the solution? Exactly? We thought you would guess it. For we report that you can't eat, buy, sell, steal, give away, hoard, waste, use, play with or gamble with WHAT ISN'T.

Will Settle Differences. By The Associated Press. COPENHAGEN, Nov. 10. Through the mediation of American, British and French representatives, the Lithuanian government has agreed to participate in a conference with a view to settling differences between Lithuania and Poland, according to the Lithuanian agency. A stern reply has been sent by Lithuania to the recent invitation of Colonel Bernoldt, commander of the Germano-Russian forces near Riga, to negotiate for peace.

UNIVERSITY NEWS. Special to The Daily Gazette. CHAPEL HILL, Nov. 12.—The largest and most important gift that the school of pharmacy at the University of North Carolina has ever received is the way in which Dean E. V. Howell characterized today a gift to the school made

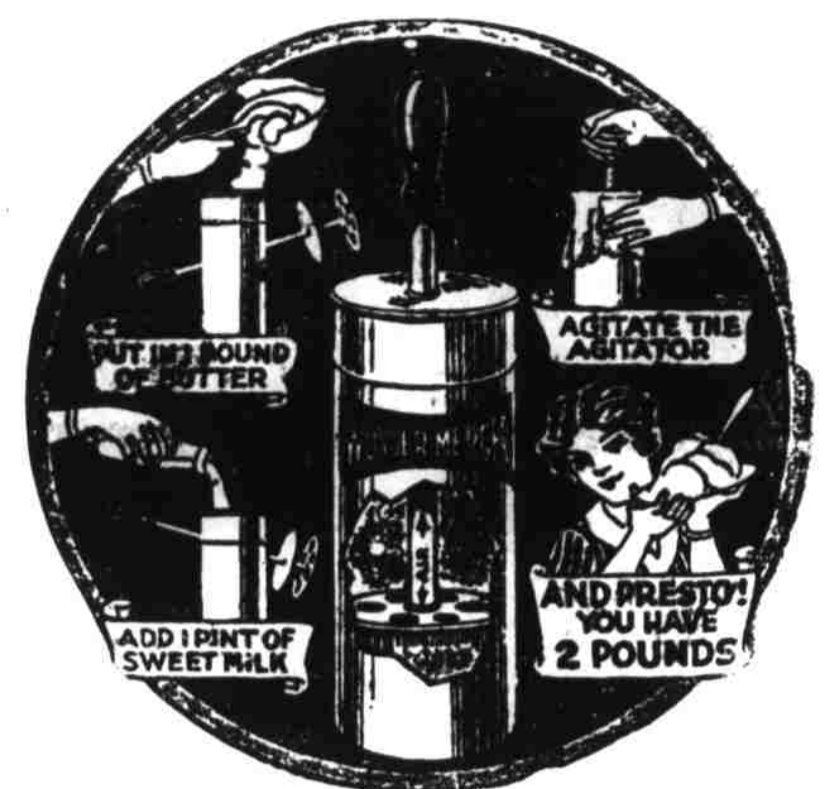
by E. V. Howell, of Durham, a well-known pharmacist, and for the past twenty years president of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Board of Examiners. A series of bound and unbound pharmaceutical journals, covering many of the better known American and some English publications on pharmacy, a few of the volumes dating back to the civil war period, is included in the list. In all there are more than a hundred volumes and many additional pamphlets, most of them relating closely to the work of the pharmacy school.

The rarest set of volumes in the gift, probably, is the complete proceedings of the American Pharmaceutical Association during the civil war period and the Journal of the Society of Chemical Industry, published in London. Other journals included in the gift, some of them complete files, are the Druggists Circular, the American Druggist, proceedings of the North Carolina Pharmaceutical Association and of the North Carolina Medical Association, the American Soap Journal, the Pharmaceutical Era, Merck's Report, and the Southern Druggist. All the proceedings and reports of the North Carolina Agricultural Experiment Station, from its beginnings and of the Connecticut experiment station are also included.

The present gift, according to Dean Howell, goes a long way toward completing the journal side of the pharmacy library at the University, and affords a largely increased opportunity for valuable to the work.

The wind-up of the campaign for the Graham Memorial Fund to erect a building at the University in memory of the late President, Edward Kidder Graham, will come November 26th, the day before Thanksgiving. At that time directors of the campaign throughout the state, meeting at Chapel Hill at a banquet given by the university, will submit their final reports. Present also at the banquet will be the central committee from the trustees, the state and the university faculty. Indications point to the complete success of the attempts to raise the \$150,000, according to A. M. Coates, secretary of the fund.

THE WONDER BUTTER MERGER



THE PRINCIPLE OF THIS WONDERFUL INVENTION

The Wonder Merger is a simple, sturdy churn, as pictured, having a specially constructed plunger with a valve that pumps or impels air into the contents of Milk and Butter, causing them to merge in such manner that NOT A DROP OF MILK REMAINS. So simple in operation that a child can use it.

The merging is purely scientific. The Butter and Milk, once merged, become as one, a most DELICIOUS AND CREAMY product. The fact that the butter fat is reduced is an argument in favor of the Merged Butter, as delicate stomachs that are disturbed by rich butter fat will accept the MERGER BUTTER where Butter itself would distress.

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The container will hold easily one quart (32 ounces), but half the quantity, that is, ONE POUND of Merged Butter, may be made out of One-half Pound Butter and One-Half Pint Milk.

- HOW TO MAKE THE MERGED BUTTER
1. Put One-half Pound Milk in a glass or Milk may be used in container. Add one-half scant teaspoon salt and one-quarter teaspoon butter color. The latter is optional, though milk will make the butter whiter, and most chemists use coloring. Butter color is purely vegetable, is not poisonous. Supplied by us in 25c bottles.
2. Cut up One-half Pound Butter in small pieces and put up in the container with the Milk.
3. Set container in vessel of warm (not hot) water, and with a large knife work the butter until about a spreading texture. Butter must not melt.
4. Now remove container from warm water and insert the dasher, closing the lid tightly, and wrap a cloth or napkin around the top to make the vessel air-tight.
5. Make four or five long strokes, then merge short strokes forcibly about two minutes, occasionally jarring container to bring moisture from the top. When all the milk has been taken up, remove dasher.
6. Pack Butter down firmly in container by jarring down heavily. The place in bucket of cold water or out in the window until firm.
To Remove Butter From Container, dip in vessel of warm water, invert on a plate, press on bottom, and the merged butter will slide out of the tin in a perfect roll, a full pound out of one-half pound butter and one-half pint milk!

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