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In 1825 General LaFayette visited Fayetteville, and this visit of General Pershing reminds us of that. Then they rode in odd looking carriages; tomorrow you may see a million dollars' worth of automobiles in that procession.

We hoped when the armistice was signed November the eleventh, nineteen eighteen, that the World War was over, but the condition of affairs, in our own country, the devilry of the Mexicans, and the recent attitude of the German government give cause for uneasiness.

It looks very much like our country is going to have a scrap with Mexico. But is has been looking like that for five years, and some way to keep out of a general setto has been found, and we hope some way will be found to keep out of it still. Whipping Mexico is nothing, but running them down and getting to behave is a difficult proposition.

The shortage of coal is curtailing the hours of amusement in the show houses. Well people can stay at home and make up for lost time in reading; but let them not burn till midnight, oil or gas or electric light. The hour of 10:30 is about the right time to retire. Fayetteville Observer.

Fayetteville honors Pershing tomorrow, and that is the proper thing to do. General Pershing is America's greatest living hero.

**RURAL SOCIAL CENTERS**

We need social centers where our young people can be entertained, and instructed under the direction of cultured, clean and competent leadership, where aesthetic surroundings stir the love for the beautiful, where art charges the atmosphere with inspiration and power, and innocent amusements instruct and brighten their lives.

To hold our young people on the farm we must make farm life more attractive as well as the business of farming more remunerative. The school house should be the social unit, properly equipped for nourishing and building character, so that the lives of our people can properly function around it and become supplied with the necessary elements of human thought and activity.

Education is a developing of the mind, not a stuffing of the memory. Digest what you read.

Old men have visions, young men have dreams. Successful farmers plow deep while sluggards sleep.

The growing of legumes will retard soil depletion and greatly add to its power to produce.

In Egypt when you ask a man if he is a Christian, he will stretch out his wrist to show you the cross that is tattooed upon it. This he considers a final answer to your question.

The Council of Women for Home Missions will hold its annual meeting at Atlanta, Ga., December 6 to 11.

According to the Christian Advocate (Nashville), in the Epworth League of the Methodist Episcopal church there are nearly twelve hundred young people who are preparing for foreign missionary service.

The Northern and Southern Presbyterian churches in the United States, the Canadian and the Australian Presbyterian churches have united in their mission work in Korea. While each mission is dependent on its home church for support the four have united to form one Presbyterian church in Korea.

At the outbreak of the American Revolution in Europe missionaries, 25,340 adherents in 1800.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of M. A. Ray, deceased, late of Hoke county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them the undersigned duly verified in writing on or before the 27th day of November, 1920, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement with the administrator. This November 26th, 1919.  
 LOUIS PARKER,  
 Admr. of M. A. Ray, deceased.

**Notice of Land Entry No. 24.**  
 State of North Carolina, County of Hoke.  
 A. D. McLaughlin enters and claims 50 acres of land in Little River Township, on the waters of Crane's Creek, on the South side of said Creek, adjoining the lands of Alex Smith estate and D. McCraney, on the east, D. McCraney and A. D. McLaughlin on the south, Smith heirs and McCraney on the north, and A. D. McLaughlin on the west.  
 Entered this 19th day of November 1919.  
 D. K. Blue,  
 Register of Deeds and Ex. Officer,  
 Entry Taker.

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