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THE FACE THAT CHANGES NOT

Admire, I'll never in your face-
 Two decades of a day
 Since first I saw that face, and I
 Ah! I'm growing gray
 And still no wrinkles in your skin
 As then, as now you are
 Surprised that face which shows no
 One miracle, time has done
 No cruel crown that marks the eyes
 I love you as I love
 And let the world be what it will
 That countenance remains
 That not my loving looks can
 The youth in you, O! I
 Time's footsteps here are
 Here laughter's sun is
 Not the hair is
 My best beloved
 Long years ago did
 And still I love you
 While I grow old and
 That smiling face is still
 On my forehead
 Boston Globe

THE SONG OF AGNAYLO

From the fields of rice and
 I make a golden
 Above the road my sandals
 The always in a hurry
 I skip along by
 I amble down the highway
 I adore the willing
 And flourish in a
 Sometimes I call by the
 And see the public
 Then I am ever
 For I am ever
 I amble, I amble, I amble
 And then I
 The Yankee think they
 They don't know how I
 I skip, I skip, I skip, I
 I dance on the
 I follow the
 And I will
 I like to dance in a
 For I am ever
 And when they think
 They will say I
 Establishing the
 I hear the
 And while the
 American
 I don't care
 I found the
 I wish the
 All looking for their
 Then out again I
 And splash along the
 For Yankee may come and
 But I care no more
 Chevalier Plain Dealer

The following extracts are from a letter written by the English Missionary Bishop of Florida, the Rt. Rev. Dr. Bonsfield, dated January 20, 1900, October 27 and 29, 1899:

"We are sure, but not sure, having left all we possess behind us. I never thought, after all the years we have been there, that we should be turned out, but at the last an order came that all the English were to go unless the government gave them a special permit to remain. We applied for the permit, and did not have power to obtain it, but were refused, and had twenty-four hours in which to make all arrangements, pack up the few things we could take, and clear. I had the verbal assurance of the President, through two friends, that I could stay safe and unharmed, but he would not put anything in writing. Then they appointed a committee to give permits, and they would not give me one. Anyone without a written permit has been condemned to twenty-five lashes and three months' imprisonment."

Bishop Bonsfield has been doing mission work in the Transvaal for 22 years—since 1878—and this is his treatment by the Boers—driven out with the loss of everything, and barely escaping the infliction of twenty-five lashes and three months' imprisonment!

FUNERAL SERVICE.

(Communicated)
 The funeral of Mrs. Mollie Sears, the wife of John Sears, was preached Saturday, at Mt. Mariah Baptist Church, at Oberlin, by Rev. J. J. Worlds, assisted by Rev. W. J. Jordan, to a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. The deceased died in the full triumph of faith on the 12th of January. She had for years been a zealous and consistent Christian, and enjoyed the confidence and esteem of the people of both races. She had been a member of St. Paul A. M. E. Church for many years. In her death her race loses an example woman and a faithful Christian. A FRIEND.

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BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SEWER.
 Purchasing Department, Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 17, 1900.

Sealed bids will be received for construction of sewer on North Broad Street, until Monday, at 12 o'clock, P. M., February 25th. Contractor will be required to give bond to the city in the sum of one thousand dollars for the faithful performance of, and the completion of the work within sixty days from date of award of contract. Specifications and proffer can be seen at the Mayor's office upon application. The city reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
 T. P. SARGE,
 Sewer Committee, Purchasing Agent.

NOTICE.
 The defendants above named, Maria J. Clency, Philip Clency, Josephine Clency, Margaret Clency, and others, heirs at law of Daniel Clency, deceased, defendants.

NOTICE.
 The defendants above named, Maria J. Clency, Philip Clency, Josephine Clency, Margaret Clency, and others, heirs at law of Daniel Clency, deceased, whose names are unknown, will take notice that an action entitled as above in the Superior Court of Wake County to foreclose a mortgage executed by Daniel Clency and wife on a lot of land in Wake County, North Carolina, in the city of Raleigh, being the lot whereon said Clency lived, when in North Carolina, with his family, and more fully described in the said mortgage, which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wake County, N. C., and to sell the said land to satisfy as far as may be the debt secured by said mortgage and the said defendants whose names are given above and other heirs at law and all persons interested in the estate of said Daniel Clency and in said land, whether their names are known and above given or unknown, will take further notice that they are required herein and pursuant to order of Court in this action to appear at the next term of Wake Superior Court to be held in said County at the Court House in Raleigh, N. C., on Monday, the 20th day of February, 1900, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action as the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.
 This 25th day of November A. D., 1899.
 W. M. RUSS,
 Clerk of Superior Court for Wake Co
 PEELE & MAYNARD,
 Attorneys for Plaintiff

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.
 Having qualified as executrix of the estate of George Washington Dunn, deceased, late of Wake County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned at Raleigh, N. C., on or before the 2nd day of January, 1901, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.
 LUCY DUNN, Executrix.
 January 1, 1900.

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