THURSDAY, JAN. 8, 1925

Little Storie's About Men and Affairs by Aaron M. Jones

MUCH HAS BEEN SAID from time to time anent the dearth of public uttrances by Mr. George ing opened a talk which led to his country club which doesn't lack or the year 1923. F. Baker, Sr. However, the sincer- meeting a possible backer who be country club which doesn't like ity and emotion which accompany came a real one; and that to get much of being on Tryon Route plication will be made by the un. one of Mr. Baker's rare speeches ting- the help of a Tech-graduated 1. "Aint we hosses!" might well adorn the remarks of mechanical engineer, William E less prominent though more voluble Nickerson. The alumnus did what officials. For example when last his alma mater couldn't-found the Sunday afternoon. It is rapid- date when time will expire. spring Columbia University gave a way to produce thin, good, double ly filling up, and will be ready testimonial dinner to Mr. Baker as edged, razor blades. More than for christening soon I wonder the donor of a new athletic field, he that, this genius designed and if its name will be Green Galliwas visibly affected as he remarked built the marvelous machines used lee, or Ivy Green Lake, or Lake that "it is one of the very happiest in making them.

moments of my life," And, on December 4 probably the first STILL FLOUNDERING, THE en time in his life that he spoke twice terprise used up its whole \$5,000 on the same day, he was again capital the first year and owed \$12,000 more, with no razors sold deeply moved on both occasions

and only a few given away "Back RECENTLY AT A CLUB lunch. ed up to the wall and the creitors ean in his honor, Mr. Baker in ex. ready to fire" is the way the Foo plaining his lack of speech making describes their position. But he in the past and in expressing his continued foolish, and in another gratitude to his hosts, was overcome year or two the company was makwith emotion and terminated his ing money Now, twenty years remarks prematurely. That same later, the business reckons its out. evening, as a guest at the Alexan- put at a half million blades, and its der Hamilton memorial dinner given profits at several million dollars by Columbia University Alumni annually. Was he a Fool?

Mr Baker's sole remark: "I thank you' from the bottom of my heart," brought forth an ovation rarely MEN in his country have witnesed anywhere.

"I HAVE GOT IT; our fortune is this reason have had their names made,' wrote King C. Gillette to his names placed in the most recent wife when he was forty years of issue of "Who's Who." Unquesion. age. He was half right and half ably many of these have rightly wrong. True he had it but their earned the right to be separated fortune was not made nor would it from the rest of the hundred and be until many anxious and weary twelve millions of people in our land and catalogued as being years had passed of them leaders. But some

THE GILLETTE FAMILY WERE acheived their fame merely by a invention addic.s. His father and whim of fortunes. In character, brother's were habitually getting sincerity and endeavor they are no up some device or other vainly chas different than many who walk un. ing the ignis fatus of wealth. The recognized Consider for instance Patint office holts much evi the mother who gives her life com. dence of their persistence, but pletely to a large family of children Bradstreet's says little of their re. From early morning to late at night wards. After he was 21 Gill tte she fills the whole day with sacri. was a traveling salesman for fifteen fices for those she loves And the years in the United States and father with lunch basket of cold England. Then he took a position sandwiches, walking to work in the with the Baltimore Steel Company early dawn in shoes no cobbler which later originaed the new om. could repair, smoking the cheapest nipresent tin with-cork-lining bottle 'olacco in a dime store pipe and too cap. In th course of one of their cired to realze that the western sky frequent chats the proprietor, Mr has been painted to cheer men at Painter once said, "King you are the close of the day He sleeps un always inventing. Why don't you the morning only to awake to repeat invent s mething people will use the routine of the previous day. up quickly, and come back for Heroes, this more to be praised more." That sugges ion stuck, and than those whom accidents and it became an obession in Gillette's chance have favored

Fool persisted, spending all he fey, Mr. Finis Orlin Baldwin named below, and all persons that at the Fowler home Sunday. could spare of a good salary earn. and Miss Ruby Edwards, Mr. may have a lien on the land herein Mr. Joe Prichard spent Sun-ed at selling bootle caps. Mobert Chitwood and Miss Bet-Robert Chitwood and Miss Bet-SIX YEARS AFER THE big idea ty Edwards. We extend to all chased at a delinquent tax sale in M. Fowler. was born he was calling Mr. Stew. of them hearty congratula- Columbus, Polk county, North Caro. art, a customer of Millis,..., the tions. Clicquot Club town, "How's - the

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razor?" had taken the place of Hurrah for the Huge Resort as follows: "How d'ye do?" with the Fool's ac. development of a modern 300 quaintafices. This time the greet room hotel which is being 'n the name of Peak Heirs, for taxes

> Some of us visited the Dam, ter the 5th day of May 1925; the Southern Green. Or whatever,

it deserves some Southern name

Its now off to school again very much. with all our school folks. We wish them much success in ... Mrs. Oscar Phillips spent their New Year's work. Alsc Monday afternoon with Mrs. success to the NEWS.

W. M. Fowler. Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers Notice is hereby given to parties made a business trip to Ruthernamed below and all persons that fordton Monday. may have a lien on the land herein described that the undersigned pur chased at delinquent tax sale in Co. Clara Price went to Spindale lumbus, Polk County, North Caro- where they will be employed in lina on the 5th day of May 1924, the mill.

land listed for taxes described as ollows: 81 acres of land in Tryon Town- Camp are spending a few

ship for taxes in the name of E. T. weeks with the latter's parents Armstrong, taxes for the year 1923 Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Fowler. Notice is hereby given that ap. plication will be made by the un. dersigned to the sheriff of Polk of this section are moving to County for deeds for said lands af. their home in Columbus. Al ter the 5th day of May 1925; the their friends will miss them very much-

date when time will expire. J. F. Bridgeman, Purchaser, Er. 1.22.25

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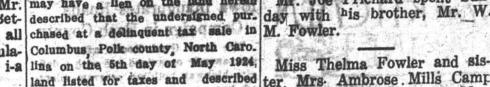
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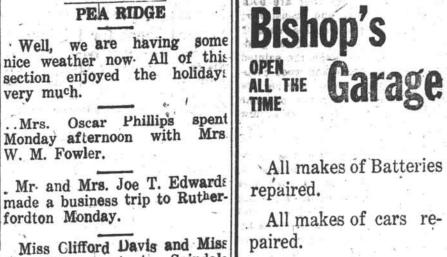
Mr. D. J. Burnett and family

spent a short while with Mrs. 110 acres in Tryon township listed Minnie Carswell Saturday. 100

THE POINT COUNTRAINE WAS

Mr. W B. Fowler and Miss Notice is hereby given that ap. Thelma Fowler, also Mrs. Ambrose Mills Camp visited their dersigned to; the sheriff of Polk uncle J. M. Fowler, Monday af-County for deeds for said lands afternoon.

READ THE NEWS W. H. Stearns, Purchaser Expiration date 1_22_25

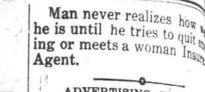


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ONE MORNING FOUR years By Mrs. R. G. Hamilton later, in 1895, he was fighting a Oh, Lest we forget-the first stiff beir with a dull razor. Said thing in this New Years letter weapon cut not neither would it is Thanks to our Heavenly ----strop. What would you or I have Father that all is well as it is done? Cussed the thing, stuck it with us and we should resolve in a moment, and at the same to make the approaching year barber who smoothed off the beard better in His sight or do our and soothed the grouch at one op part at least. eration: Did K. D. G. do that? Let

We think old Santa Claus him say, "As I stood there with the razor in my hand my attention was around to all, haven't resting on it as lightly as a bird heard of any children being settling down on its nest-the Gil. left without his much looked lette razor was born. I saw it all for visit.

in a momen,, and at the same

time many unvoiced questions were We have only one accident to asked and answered more with the report. Gene Flynn was hurt speed of a dream than by the slow by his Christmas gun which process of reason. I stood there jolew its contents in his face before the mirror in a trance of from the pipe of which he joy. Fool that I was, and knowing made his gun; but he is rapidly nothing of steel and razors, I fore. recovering.

saw none of the trials that lay be. The Christmas weddings tween that moment and success." Then he wrote to his wife in Ohic were very numerous as folthe opening sentence of this Spot lows: Miss Octa Pack and Mr. Light. Yes, of course, he was a Hamilton Williams. Miss Lil-Fool for friends and acquaintances often said so, by implication if not in words. Expert mechanics failed Mr. Pink Williams. This is all repeatedly as they tried to make I can remember of on our route the delicate and necessary blades although the Hamilton child-The laboratories of Massachusetts ren are rejoicing over the ad-Institute of Technology could not dition of six new cousins. The help, though they applied their others are Mr. Marvin D. Edon the boulevaro.

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