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**VIOLET RAYS
 ON OUR WAYS**
 By H. M. Alley

Note: This column is written with malice toward none, but with the common good of all in mind.

Uncle Josh says: "This last past Sunday was a powerful blue day down to Cedar Crick church. Though the weather weren't no colder than common, hit were just too bad fer most of the faithful few to attend services. A big part of reverent Samuel Goforth's sermunt were dedicated to them as had stayed at home by ther good warm fires, a-neglectin ther duties. 'Cordin to the rever-rant Samuel a-body couldn't stir these folk with a stick, they's so thick on the streets an in the stores on Saturday. He seemed to think folk were a heap more inter-ested in tending to ther own bizness, than a-seein after the Lord's work. I figger the rever-rant will hafter stretch the offerin a heap furdher than usual this week. Becaze them as don't go to church, hardly ever remembers to send ther gifts.

"Folks air allus a-sayin, 'when I can't be there in person, I'm there in speerit.' Hit mought do a heap more good if they'uns would send dollars 'stead o' speerits. 'Course they ain't nuthin wrong with a-body sendin his speerit to church, 'I reckon,—only I don't know of any storekeeper what takes speerits in payment' fer the rations and fuel an 'clothes 'freshers an ther families hafter buy."

It came to our attention last week that the town government has ruled against further parking of autos on or beside the sidewalks on Green Mountain Street, and that the policeman had been placing "Violation Tickets" on a few cars that had ignored this ruling. Bravo! Intended to safeguard human lives, especially those of school children, this ruling is a mighty good step in the right direction. But there are more steps that need to be taken for the same purpose. For instance: Is it

not a fact that in different places within the incorporate limits of Burnsville that cars are allowed to park un-molested on the sidewalks at Filling Stations and other places of business, forcing pedestrians to get out into the streets. Be it far from our town government to show any partiality in dealing with this situation. Nor is it the purpose of this column to accuse it of any such intentions or inclinations. However, in behalf of many who have noticed and deplored these conditions, we do respectfully request that the town policeman shall use all diligence to discover any and all such obstructions of the sidewalks within the town limits, and that he shall issue "Violation Tickets" to all offenders.

Down to Kingsport, Tennessee, one day last week they were saying that they had a ten inch snowfall against Burnsville's six inch covering of white. We wanted to tell them that their white landscape didn't compare in beauty with ours. But those Kingsportians seem to be occupied with maintaining and expanding their industrious little city, and too proud of what they have already accomplished, to consider any comparisons whatever. Se we just looked about and watched them hustle, and tried to envision what Burnsville and Yancey County might accomplish along the lines of industrial development, if all of our citizens would follow the example of Kingsport and other manufacturing and trade centers, to invite and welcome new business and new industries to come our way. With everybody working and pulling together, not just for the present, but for the future growth and betterment of our section along these lines, marvelous changes could be wrought.

EYE CLINIC HELD
 The District Health Department, assisted by the local Welfare Department and Mrs. Elba S. Kearney of the State Commission for the Blind, held an eye clinic in their Burnsville office on Monday, January 17. Dr. M. W. Woodard of Asheville was the oculist and 83 people were seen in this clinic.

POETRY CORNER
 Conducted By
 Edith Deaderick Erskine
 WHO DARES

Who dares to live shall know the thrill,
 Shall feel the heart-beat of the world,
 His own responds and learns to sing
 In nature's petals deftly curled.

In garden smiles the flowers spread
 Their joy to show that God is there.
 The wideness of His own device
 Is beauty's bounty everywhere.

Lena Mearle Shull
 (Poetry for this corner should be sent direct to Edith Deaderick Erskine, Weaver ville, N. C.)

WORDS AND THOUGHTS
 by Fred Anderson



BUT LET'S FACE IT..



NOTICE OF SERVICE OF PROCESS BY PUBLICATION
 In The Superior Court
 NORTH CAROLINA
 YANCEY COUNTY
 Robert Sherrill, Plaintiff
 vs.
 Dorothy Ann Davis Sherrill, Defendant
 To Dorothy Ann Davis Sherrill:

TAKE NOTICE that A pleading seeking relief against you has been filed in the above entitled cause; The nature of the relief being sought is as follows: For absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony, on grounds of two years separation; You are required to make defense to such pleading not later than twenty days, after 18 February, 1955, and upon your failure to do so the party seeking the services against you will apply to the Court for the relief sought.

This 18th day of Jan. 1955.
 Love Thomas, Clerk Superior Court.
 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3, 10

NOTICE
 In The Superior Court
 NORTH CAROLINA
 YANCEY COUNTY
 Marian Elizabeth Calloway Hamlett, Plaintiff
 vs.
 Raymond Hamlett, Defendant

The Defendant, Raymond Hamlett will take notice that an action, entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce of the Plaintiff from the Defendant on the grounds of two years separation, and for the custody of Shelby Carolyn Hamlett, minor child of the Plaintiff and Defendant. And the said Defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County in the Courthouse in Burnsville, North Carolina, within 20 days after the 10th day of February, 1955 and answer or demur to the Complaint in said action, or the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

This 11th day of Jan. 1955,
 Love Thomas, Clerk Superior Court.
 Bill Atkins, Attorney for Plaintiff.
 Jan. 13 20, 27, Feb. 3

EASY DOES IT
 by Mike Bennett

IT'S much easier to remove soiled spots and stain if you "lock in" the spot by using embroidery hoops on the material. Brushing, sponging or pouring boiling water over the stain is simpler when the material is taut.
 Plastic draperies which are faded make wonderful bags or slip covers in which to store clothing as well as linens. Just fold the dra-

RECIPE OF THE WEEK
 Savory Salmon Steaks (Serves 6)
 6 salmon steaks (small)
 4 teaspoons flour
 1 teaspoon salt
 1/4 teaspoon paprika
 Dash of pepper
 1 1/2 cups milk
 1 teaspoon grated onion
 1 tablespoon butter
 Grease large shallow pan and arrange fish in it. Combine dry ingredients, milk and onion; mix well and pour over fish. Dot with butter and bake in a moderate (375°F.) oven for 45 minutes.

peries and sew the two sides together.
 Old sheer curtains make into wonderful dishcloths. Simply sew several thicknesses together and stitch the edges together with bias tape.

Try covering both hands with a pair of old wool socks. You can then do a wonderful polishing and buffing job on furniture with both hands working at the same time.

When windows require putty, mix together putty and paint and you will not have to putty first and then paint around the windows.

Cleaning walls? If water and suds tend to drip down your arms to make you uncomfortable, fasten a washcloth around the wrist to absorb water and suds.

NOTICE OF FINAL SALE
 In The Superior Court
 NORTH CAROLINA
 YANCEY COUNTY
 Town of Burnsville

vs.
 J. R. Bailey and wife,
 Sue Bailey

Under and by virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court in the above entitled action appointing the undersigned as Commissioner to sell the hereinafter described lands to satisfy said judgment for taxes for the years of 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947 and 1948 together with interest, penalties and costs thereon, and subsequent taxes, the undersigned will, on the 21st day of Feb. 1955, at 10 O'clock A. M., at the Court House door in Burnsville, North Carolina, sell the hereinafter described lands to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy said judgment, together with all costs and subsequent taxes, said property being in Burnsville Township, Yancey County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Glen Raven Mills, Inc., and described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING on an iron stake on the East side of the old Boonford Road and in the Corporation Line of the Town of Burnsville and running thence due East 1325 feet with the Corporation Line of the Town of Burnsville and J. R. Bailey's line to a stake in the Corporation Line and in the line of the Glen Raven Mills; thence due South 402 feet with the line of the Glen Raven Mills to a stake in Glen Raven's corner; thence with the line of the Glen Raven Mills and an old fence North 87 degrees 30 minutes West 818 feet to a stake; then due West 195 feet to a stake; thence South 71 degrees 30 minutes West 115 feet to a stake; thence South-72 degrees 30 minutes West 385 feet to a stake in the center of the branch; thence South 84 degrees 30 minutes West 266 feet to a stake on the East side of the old Boonford Road; thence with the East side of the old Boonford Road and an old fence North 1 degree East 188 feet to a stake; thence North 8 degrees West 112 feet to a stake; thence North 13 degrees West 236 feet to the point of BEGINNING, containing 12.8 acres, more or less.

Reference is made to the Court Map of D. M. Sholes, Engineer, October 16, 1951, in the action in the Superior Court of Yancey County entitled Town of Burnsville, Plaintiff vs. J. R. Bailey and wife, Sue Bailey, Defendants, for the above description.
 This Jan. 17, 1955.
 BILL ATKINS, Commissioner
 Jan. 20, 27, Feb. 3, 10

MY PET PEEVE
 by Mike Bennett

A FEW days ago, I read in a local paper a statement by a psychologist who believes that parents are due a share of the responsibility for the nation's so-called "juvenile delinquency" problem.

His theory: a lot of parents, overly concerned with the possibilities of war, atomic destruction, unemployment, etc., pass on unnecessary fears to their offspring. I think the man has a good point and agree that a lot of grown-ups who aren't acting their age should get "hep." If you still don't dig me, I infer that we aren't giving the youth of this generation a fair rattle. Instead of passing off our worries to hot rod-mombo set, we should wise up to the deal that they have problems of their own. Granted there are quite obvious examples of the juvenile delinquency problem in any newspaper one might choose to read. But our news coverage facilities are much better than they were in the "old days" and maybe we are just getting a full report on things that have been happening for a long time.

I think it's time we gave the kids a break... particularly the males. Today's teen-age boy has been growing up with the threat of military service hanging over any plans for a career and Army service has replaced the dragons and "boogey-man" we used to hold as a threat against the younger set. Let a teen-ager make a mistake today, at home, in school, or on a job, and what happens? Some real intelligent grown-up says, "Huh, bet you won't act like that when you get in the Army."
 It's not fair to the kids, nor the Army either for that matter.

The world's largest known animal bigger than the biggest of the extinct dinosaurs—is the blue whale, sometimes 100 feet long. Smallest is a one-celled animal called Oicomonas, found in fresh water and salt, about 1/500th of an inch long.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR POSTMASTER AT BEE LOG

The United States Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to fill the position of fourth-class postmaster for the post office at Bee Log, North Carolina.
 The annual salary for this position is \$2336. Applicants must actually reside within the territory supplied by the above-mentioned post office. Age limits waived for persons entitled to veteran preference, age from 21 to 65.
 Full information and application forms may be obtained at the above-mentioned post office or from the Commission's Washington office. Applications must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., and must be received or postmarked not later than February 15, 1955

Up until 1845, six nations claimed all or part of the present area of Kansas. These were Spain, France, England, the United States, Mexico and the Republic of Texas.
 There are 70 million drivers of trucks and buses in the United States and one-third of all drivers are women.

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Announcement

AFTER CAREFUL CONSIDERATION WE HAVE DECIDED THAT BURNSVILLE AND YANCEY COUNTY NEEDS AN ACTIVE REAL ESTATE AGENCY, SO WE TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY IN ANNOUNCING THAT E. L. BRIGGS AND ELLIS MOODY HAVE FORMED THE BRIGGS AND MOODY REAL ESTATE CO., TO DEAL IN ALL TYPES OF REAL ESTATE.

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WE WILL ALSO DEAL IN ALL TYPES OF MINERAL PROPERTIES AND WE NOW HAVE SEVERAL OUT OF TOWN AND OUT OF STATE PROSPECTS WHO ARE DESIROUS OF LOCATING IN YANCEY COUNTY, N. C.

WE THINK THAT THIS CONCERN WILL BE OF GREAT ADVANTAGE TO ALL CITIZENS AND BUSINESS MEN OF THE COUNTY AND ASK THAT ALL THE BUSINESS MEN AND CITIZENS OF THE COUNTY FEEL FREE TO CALL ON US AT ANY TIME FOR ANY SERVICES WE CAN RENDER IN ORDER TO MAKE BURNSVILLE AND YANCEY COUNTY A STILL BETTER PLACE TO LIVE IN. WE LIVE IN THE GARDEN SPOT OF THE UNITED STATES AND WE ALL SHOULD COMBINE OUR EFFORTS TO LET THE REST OF THE WORLD KNOW ABOUT BURNSVILLE AND YANCEY COUNTY AND WHAT IT HAS TO OFFER.

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