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OF THE PEOPLE, BY THE PEOPLE AND FOR THE PEOPLE

The Person County Bar Association has passed a resolution asking that the general assembly pass such an act as is necessary to provide for the election of the county judge and prosecuting attorney by a vote of the people.

We think the lawyers are right. There seems to be no good reason why the people of this county should not have a voice in naming the judge and solicitor of the county court.

We also agree with the lawyers in their idea that the judgeship be open to lawyers. There is no reason why a good lawyer could not be a good judge.

This resolution, that was mentioned at the beginning of the editorial, has been called to the attention of Person County's representative, Ed Warren. Mr. Warren will probably be in Roxboro Monday in an effort to discover how the people feel about the idea and if sentiment is favorable he will ask the general assembly to pass such a measure as is necessary.

DOLLAR DAYS

Dollar Day are good things. We have no idea how much business the merchants of Roxboro did last Thursday, Friday and Saturday, but they were helped some by the special event.

It might be a good thing if the Chamber of Commerce would sponsor dollar days two or three times a year.

DAWES RETIRES

After five terms as mayor of this city R. B. Dawes has decided to retire. Dawes has served the city well and has made a good mayor.

Dawes went about his work in a quiet, easy manner and never failed to do his duty. He was the same mayor to rich that he was to poor and tried to treat all on the same basis.

Being mayor of Roxboro is a hard job. It's probably harder to give satisfaction in a small city than in a large one. The pay is small and the duties are many.

Thomas A. Edison, inventor of the electric light, once said, "Don't apologize. Time comes as fast as a gun, and there's millions of it."

MODERN AMAZON



While their men are busy in settlement fields in Palestine, Jewish women keep guard to prevent surprise attacks by Arab terrorists. Here a young Jewish girl, with rifle in hand, walks sentry duty.



By H. K. Sanders and J. B. Snipes

LAST CALL FOR TOP-DRESSING SMALL GRAIN

March 1st. is the date for top-dressing wheat, oats, rye or barley in this section of the State. For the past week the land has been so wet that our farmers have not been able to walk or drive across the fields to apply top dressing.

However, for best results, it is urgently recommended that you put on your Nitrate of Soda or Sulphate of Ammonia the very first day possible. Apply not less than 100 lbs. per acre. RIGHT NOW IS THE TIME.

Proper fertilizers and top dressing give a much better quality of crop. This is shown by better filled heads, plumper kernels, and heavier weight per bushel; Properly fertilized crops mature earlier than unfertilized crops and thus escape some damage from rust.

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PH. D.'S DO GET JOBS

In these latter days which have proved trying to men's souls, and also their souls, as they have pounded the pavement looking for jobs, a college degree, particularly one in the upper brackets like a degree of Doctor of Philosophy, is considered in some quarters as a handicap rather than an advantage.

Some business men are inclined to look on the Doctor of Philosophy as something of a pedant, whose interest in the fine points of intellectual matters, disqualifies rather than qualifies him for concentration on matters of business.

But this tradition about the place of the highly educated man in the world of business affairs has had a jolt from the figures presented by The Princeton Alumni Weekly, which reports that of the fifty-two men who received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy last June, fifty-one have jobs, and the one Doctor who did not get a job was kept from employment by illness.

From those figures, it would seem that a degree is not a very handicap in the job market. In fact these statistics should give fresh impetus to scholasticism.

AUTO UNION NOT C. I. O.

Detroit, Mich.—in his stormy controversy with John L. Lewis of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, Homer Martin, leader of the United Automobile Workers of America, declared his union is not now nor had ever been affiliated with the C. I. O. He was cheered by a convention representing 62,900 workers when he suggested either an alliance with the American Federation of Labor or the retention of the union's independence.

GHANDI AGAIN STARVING

Delhi, India—Fears are entertained among British officials that Mahatma Ganda, Indian agitator, may on his present "fast" actually accomplish what he has six times tried before: his own starvation. He has taken no food for a week and is daily growing weaker.

NEW POPE'S CORONATION

Vatican City, Italy—If one of the most impressive pageants known to the modern world, Pope Pius XII has been crowned with the triple tiara of the Papacy. For the first time in many years the ceremony will take place outdoors in the vast plaza facing St. Peter's.

CONTENTED CAT



Disdaining usual methods of transportation, this three-year-old cat often accompanies its master for short rides through London streets perched on the back of a bicycle.

Turns On Tears At Director's Nod

A crying contest on a film set may have determined two things: young less-experienced dramatic actresses start weeping slowly, and can't stop so soon—but veteran dramatic actresses cry more while they're about it.

In the contest at the Warner Bros. Studio during the filming of a scene for "Yes, My Darling Daughter," the comedy opening to the Dolly Madison Theatre tomorrow and Tuesday, were Priscilla Lane and Fay Bainter.

Neither belongs to the class of actress who has to have menthol blown into the eyes. Just a nod from the director is all they need.

Miss Lane took one minute, fifteen seconds by the script girl's stop-watch before she wept enough to start the tears rolling down her cheeks.

Miss Bainter had to start dry-eyed and cry as soon as possible after the scene had started. It took her twenty-two seconds. She stopped almost immediately after the scene was over, but while she was at it tears streamed from her eyes, Miss Lane, on the other hand, couldn't stop for nearly five minutes.

Don Juan Role For Naish In Gang Thriller

J. Carrol Naish, the seasoned screen villain, will be seen as a lover for the first time in his long career, while lovely Patricia Morison is his partner in romance, in "Persons in Hiding." The thrilling Paramount crime drama

News Oddities... by Squier. Includes illustrations and text about Carson Robison's 'Minstrel Man' and other news items.

opens locally tomorrow at the Palace Theatre.

It is believed in many quarters that Naish received his unusual assignment as the result of his first screen kiss in the recent "Illegal Traffic." At that time the romantic scene appealed so strongly to Naish that he swore his next picture would show him "completely in love."

Bob Baker True Son Of The West

Bob Baker who comes to the Palace theatre on Friday, March 17th., is a son "of the old west."

Baker played football on the high school team at Phoenix, Arizona, and learned to shoot and ride on a ranch near Phoenix. His employer encouraged him to learn to sing, and Baker not only learned to sing, but learned to play the guitar.

Bob's mother sent his picture to Universal Studios. Universal liked his looks, tested him, and gave him a contract to play "Musical Westerns," of which "Courage of the West," is the first.

Not since the days of William S. Hart has the screen found a cowboy who can ride as hard, shoot as accurately and act as well as Bob Baker. He also plays several musical instruments. A son of the west, Baker is declared in Hollywood to be the most sensational screen discovery of the season.

Legal Notices

NORTH CAROLINA, In the Superior Court. PERSON COUNTY.

Graham Nichols Roberson) vs. (Notice. Ida Sue Roberson.)

The defendant Ida Sue Roberson.

PRACTICAL HEALTH HINTS

The Prevention of Tooth Decay

By Dr. James A. Tobey

If you want to have sound teeth, free from painful decay, you will have to do more than brush them every day.



sugars low in the diet, the daily food supply should always furnish an abundance of minerals, proteins, and vitamins, especially vitamin D.

In other words, get your food-energy chiefly from such valuable sustaining foods as bread and cereals, potatoes, and other vegetables, and from fats such as butter, cream, shortening, vegetable oils, and fat meats.

Get your minerals, proteins, and vitamins from pasteurized or certified milk, eggs, fruits, green and yellow vegetables, whole wheat and white bread, lean meats, and fish.

For vitamin D, use cod liver oil and other fish oils, vitamin D milk, egg yolk, butter, and vitamin D concentrates.

These sensible rules have been confirmed by recent dental studies. It has been reported, for example, that soft foods such as bread and cake actually do not harm the teeth, but that some coarsely ground, hard foods may get into the crevices of the teeth and cause acid conditions that help to produce decay.

Certain hard foods, such as toast, rolls, and bread crust, which are hard because they are heated or baked and not because they are coarse, are beneficial rather than harmful, especially since they help to exercise the teeth.

Two practical rules for the prevention of tooth decay are given by Dr. Nina Simmonds of California in the December issue of the American Journal of Public Health. Put into simple language, these rules may be stated as follows:

1. If an individual has any tendency to tooth decay, he should reduce to a minimum his intake of sugar and sweet foods. Instead, starches and fats should be his main sources of food-energy.

2. In addition to keeping raw

son will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Person County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining a divorce by the above named plaintiff; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the office of the clerk of the superior court of said county in the courthouse in Roxboro, N. C., on or before the 2nd day of May, 1939, 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.

R. A. Bullock, Asst. Clerk of the Superior Court of Person County, North Carolina.

This 9th day of March, 1939.

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