

SOUR STOMACH INDIGESTION

Theford's Black-Draught Highly Recommended by a Tennessee Grocer for Troubles Resulting from Torpid Liver.

East Nashville, Tenn.— The efficiency of Theford's Black-Draught, the genuine, herb, liver medicine, is vouched for by Mr. W. N. Parsons, a grocer of this city. "It is without doubt the best liver medicine, and I don't believe I could get along without it. I take it for sour stomach, headache, bad liver, indigestion, and all other troubles that are the result of a torpid liver.

"I have known and used it for years, and can do highly recommend it to every one. I won't go to bed without it in the house. It will do all it claims to do. I can't say enough for it."

Many other men and women throughout the country have found Black-Draught just as Mr. Parsons describes—valuable in regulating the liver to its normal functions, and in cleansing the bowels of impurities.

Theford's Black-Draught liver medicine is the original and only genuine. Accept no imitations or substitutes. Always ask for Theford's. E. S.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE FARM LANDS

By virtue of the power of sale in a Deed of Trust executed to me as Trustee by G. W. Whitaker and E. B. Whitaker on the 19th day of January 1920, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured by Berry Green, and having been called upon to execute the trust, I as said Trustee, will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the courthouse door in Shelby, N. C., on MONDAY DECEMBER the 19th, 1921, within legal hours, the following described real estate, to-wit:—

Lying and being in No. 1 Township of Cleveland County, North Carolina and situate on the waters of Ashworth creek and beginning at a Post Oak, John Welch's corner, and running thence North 38 East 7.78 chains to a stone and pointers; thence a new line South 41 East 7.30 chains to a stone; thence along the road South 13 3/4 East 13.00 chains to a stone in East edge of Cartway; thence a new line South 82 1/2 West 5.80 chains to a pine; thence South 50 1/4 West 15.05 chains to a Poplar at foot of Bluff; thence North 87 degrees-24' West 12.80 chains crossing branch twice to a Post Oak, old corner; thence North 77 1/2 West 10.90 chains to a Beech stump and stone; thence North 55 1/2 West 1.45 chains to a stake in the middle of the creek; thence down the middle of the creek as it meanders to a stake in old line; thence with it South 89 1/2 East 9.12 chains to a stone and pointers; thence South 17 1/2 East 4.18 chains to a stump, stone and pointers; thence South 70 degrees-24' East 24.95 chains to place of beginning and containing 92 acres more or less. The above is a part of that tract of land known as the John Jones tract which was willed to V. A. Humphries; Reference is made to Book 104, page 214 in office of the Register of Deeds for Cleveland County, N. C. NOTE: This is an especially good land proposition having good dwelling and out-buildings. Enough timber apparently on place to pay for the farm; near one of the very newest and best sand clay roads in Cleveland county. A rare opportunity for any prospective purchaser of land.

C. B. McBRAYER, Trustee.
TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale in a Deed of Trust executed to me as Trustee by J. B. Gold and wife, Minnie Gold, on January 6th, 1920, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness therein secured by the Shelby Building and Loan Association, and having been called upon to execute the trust, I, as said Trustee, will sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at the Court House Door in Shelby, N. C., on SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17th, 1921, within legal hours the following described real estate:

That 133 1/2 acres, less one acre sold to R. C. Sheppard, lying in No. 4 Township, Cleveland County, N. C., adjoining lands of R. B. Price, W. W. Whisnant and others, deeded J. B. Gold by J. A. Ellis and wife on January 5th, 1920, to which deed and the record thereof and also to the deed made J. A. Ellis by A. B. Blanton on April 13th, 1911, and recorded in Book "XX" page 70, of the Register's office of Cleveland County, N. C., reference is hereby made for full description by metes and bounds.

This November 12th, 1921.
CLYDE R. HOEY, Trustee.

GIVE YOUR AUTOMOBILE a drink of ALCOHOL

as cold weather is here, it will save you money—We have it.
Arey Bros. Garage

Long Staple Cotton

The Concord Tribune clips the following from the Snow Hill Standard-Laconic:

"Mr. R. P. Lane, a successful and well known farmer of the Lane School community, in Bull Head township, has just sold five bales of long staple cotton for an average of 35 cents a pound, more than twice the price of the other cotton; the five bales netting him a total of \$870."

The Tribune adds this comment: "This shows that the long staple cotton can be grown successfully in Greene county, and if this is true, how about the other counties? In some of the States of the middle and southwest the growing of long staple has brought big returns to the farmers. It commands about twice the price of short staple cotton, and we so no reason why it should be any more difficult to grow, once its cultivation was understood.

"The achievement of the Greene county man is worth investigation by the other farmers of the State."

Long staple cotton is being successfully grown in Gaston county, too. At present there is an increase in interest in the cultivation of the longer variety of cotton. Indications are that there will be a big increase in the acreage in this kind of cotton in this county next year. A meeting of farmers of Gaston county will be held Saturday to make arrangements for the shipment of a car load of pure seed from the Webber farm at Hartsville, S. C.—Gastonia Gazette.

Look the Gift Cow in Mouth

Out in Edgar county, Illinois, a farmer had his herd of cattle tested for tuberculosis. One cow reacted. Now the farmer thought he knew more

about the value of tuberculin tests than the State inspector. He, thereupon, removed the ear tag from his infected cow and, with seeming generosity, presented her to his hired man for wages.

There were seven children in the hired man's family, his wife, a pig and a cat. All save two of the children, the farmer and his wife drank milk from the tuberculous cow. The five children, the pig and the cat have all contracted the disease. This seemingly generous act of the farmer has thereby been responsible for introducing into a poor family a disease which is highly infectious. He may even be the indirect cause of a resulting death and be liable to the charge of manslaughter.

Authorities accept the fact nowadays that tuberculosis may be communicated from cows to human beings; but human beings cannot give tuberculosis to cows.

There is little excuse for a thing of this kind to happen in North Carolina as the National Government has appropriated \$150,000 and the State Government \$15,000 and will each reimburse the farmer for one-third of the appraised value of tuberculous cows which are killed, provided the appraised value does not exceed a certain amount. But it may happen and it behooves us to look a gift cow in the mouth.

ALL PERSONS are hereby forbidden to trespass with gun or dog on our lands. A. J. R. Hoyle, Laurel Hoyle, L. G. Bowen, W. E. Cornwell, G. L. Cornwell. 5t29p.

IN THE land of the long leaf pine: 334 acre farm. Good land. Three dwelling, fruit, three mules, cows, hogs. Write F. M. Warlick, R-1, Winnabow, N. C. 8t-29p

GIFTS THAT LAST

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that wedding present, remember that we have an extra nice selection of odd pieces of China. Also the One Hundred piece sets.

A nice line of Silver Ware just arrived.

That nice leather bag you have been thinking of buying so long will be in this week—Some beauties.

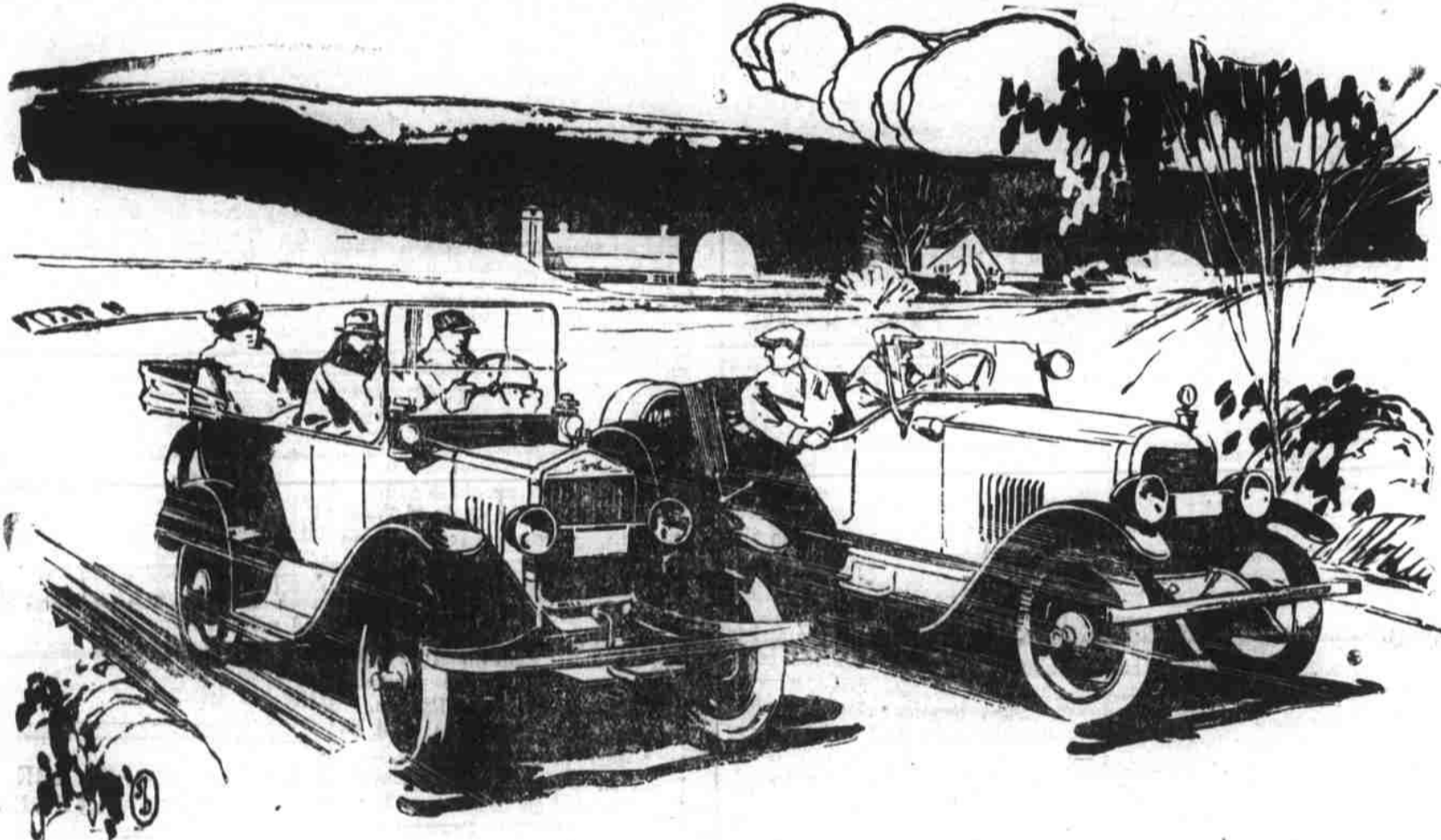
Morrison Bros.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY COMPANY Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains at Shelby, N. C.

Lv.	No.	Between	No.	Ar.
7:42a	34	Rutherfordton-Raleigh and Wilmington.	34	7:42a
5:54p	31	Wilmington-Raleigh and Rutherfordton	31	5:54p
5:54p	16	Rutherfordton-Monroe	16	5:54p
11:02a	15	Monroe-Rutherfordton	15	11:02a

Schedules published as information and are not guaranteed.

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At Eight Miles an Hour, or Eighty

Whether crawling along at a snail's pace in congested traffic or hitting the high spots on an open country road, "Standard" Motor Gasoline will fire smoothly and burn up completely.

That is why its sales are climbing out of all proportion to the increase in total gasoline consumption.

Experienced drivers who have tried a filling of the improved "Standard" Motor Gasoline would cheerfully go far out of their way to place repeat orders.

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If your motor is sluggish have the carbon cleaned from cylinders and spark plugs, empty the old, diluted oil from your crank case, and after washing with a pint or so of kerosene, fill with POLARINE of the grade specified for your car. Then put "Standard" Motor Gasoline into your fuel tank and see what a good car can do.

STANDARD OIL COMPANY (NEW JERSEY)



Try a Want Ad in The Star

PATRIOTIC CREEDS NEED TO BE TAUGHT

Lose Morals Ruining Our Youth
Respect for Law is Much Needed

Editor of The Star: We notice that our teachers are required to formulate patriotic creeds for their schools to promote interest in good citizenship and the best form of government.

We offer some suggestions: "We believe in government, studied to the needs of a people. That all free people should fit themselves to govern themselves, that in a republic, government can be no better than the people who compose it. A people must reform themselves before they can improve their government. Improvement must come through education of the kind suitable to existing conditions. We cannot bequeath it, individuals must be induced to seek and appropriate it to themselves. Family government comes first. Where it is a failure, schools are hard to manage. Teachers must be wiser than parents or they will fail. In the public schools all children are brought in contact with all the worst children in the community. Nearly all boys ten years old smoke and it is a waste of time and money to try to educate them. They can be but a demoralizing influence to schools, churches and to society. But what can be done about it? When parents smoke and thirst for strong drink and "dope" will the young smokers make better parents than the old smokers now on the job? Or must all go down together? If we rot the seed corn, what will the next crop be? Then what kind of government do we need to correct such evils? Have we fallen back to where we need the whipping post again and the cropping of ears for swearing lies? A little drunken blockade trial will convince any one that some ears would have to be cropped. Legislation and moral suasion having failed, what next? When tufts of grass fail to make the urchins take notice, tis time to try again what virtue there is in stones, to correct the conduct of the bad boys who take light penalties as a joke. As representative Peyton McSwain tells us there is ample protective laws for birds. But here there is no one to enforce it. Every day now before the hunting season 1st of December we hear the popping of guns, trespassing on whose lands they please and if any land owners should volunteer to indict them he had better be ready to move to the bell weevil districts of Georgia if he loves peace and friendly neighbors. We also have laws for protection against mad dogs, and for the confinement of dogs at night. Little attention is paid to these laws.

We stand for the largest freedom and the least government possible, only a mean man would limit free hunting in our free county or who would grumble for the cutting of a two dollar tree for a ten cent possum.

The shame of it is, most of these intruders rate themselves as our best citizens. But they do love dogs and such like, and where can we start to reform them? Have we enough sound timber to lay the foundation? The worse reforms are needed the harder they are to start and the slower they go when started.

Only our school teachers can fully comprehend conditions and if they would be popular they must flatter rather than condemn. They cannot drive but must lead with tact in gaining attention and interest. Our laws are regulated by public sentiment. People must be shown their errors before they will try to avoid them. "Convince one against his will, and he is of the same opinion still." Tobacco in all its forms has become as necessary as food and clothing and along with bottled dope, is the greatest impediment to the health and mental stability of our youth, and there is no remedy in sight. We are in competition with all nations and races and the fittest will survive to inherit and rule the earth. Cant, laudation and hypocrisy—we only deceive ourselves—that we are the best people in the world. We need the grace to "see ourselves as others see us" before we set out to reform others.

"Charity begins at home."
—J. C. ELLIOTT.

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