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ATHLETICS AND SCHOOLS

Coch Gallow of Piedmont High School, whom we do not know personally, is the sort of athletic coach that appeals to us. He has written two refreshing articles to The Star with reference to athletics and education.

Athletics in schools is fine but there is danger of its being over-emphasized. It is a fine thing to have a strong body, but it is also important to have good morals and a well trained mind.

COURAGE TO SUICIDE?

North Carolina at the present pace may soon be known as the suicide state. Mixing automobile carelessness with the actual and intentional life-taking now going on, the record cannot be far ahead.

The mayor of one North Carolina town, the chief of police or another and perhaps others well known in their communities are listed among the recent suicides.

While we often attribute suicide to lack of courage to stand up and give battle to adversity; upon examining more closely we might find that the very thing we accuse some suicides of is what prevents others from taking their lives.

lina as they will be doing with in the next thirty days, they will find something back of Shelby besides a semi-mountain climate. They will find strong industries and a fine agricultural section which combine to make investments here more stable.

The wise investor usually shuns a boom and goes where there is a solid growth of industry and agriculture because it is there he knows that investments are safe and the future is secure.

How It Started.

Much discussion regarding the origin of the strenuous dance called the Charleston has been going on, without any authoritative decision on the question.

It happened on a South Carolina farm, not far from Charleston. The farmer, armed with a pitchfork and accompanied by a hound dog, caught a young negro in his chicken coop. A jab at the darky with the pitchfork made him do the first step.

The next time you see the Charleston danced, watch the movements closely and you will probably conclude that it could have been evolved in no other way.

Lady 80 Years Old Makes 2,522 Pieces Into An Old Quilt

E. O. Hamrick Has Old Violin Made by a Master 210 Years Ago in Germany. Other News.

We have quite a number in our section on the sick list our good friend Mr. S. J. Cooper, who is near his 80th milestone in life has been confined to his room for several months with little hope for his recovery.

Mrs. J. W. Humphries is seriously ill with pneumonia at this writing. We learn of a wedding not long ago of much interest when Miss Alda Hamrick became the bride of Mr. R. Nash Fite.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones of Ellensburg, spent Sunday with Mrs. Jones parents, Mr and Mrs. C. C. Lovelace of Shelby R-4.

Mr. E. O. Hamrick of Lattimore, says he has a fine old Stradivarius violin, not a copy, but a real old violin made in Germany with date inside of 1716 which makes this fine old violin 210 years old.

We learn that some night prowlers have been on the warpath relieving some of our good citizens of their bacon. Better nail up the smoke house and turn the bull-dog loose.

PLANT PECAN TREES SAYS COUNTY AGENT

Next Week Designated "Pecan Planting Week" in North Carolina. Facts About Them.

Plant pecan trees. Plant them in yards; plant them around barn lots; plant them along avenues; plant them in orchards. Plant pecan trees now.

When the investors and home seekers come to Western Caro-

through which the largest number of trees are planted this spring. They will also send to each one who plants a tree, an engraved certificate showing that having as a good citizen planted a tree, such person has been elected a member of the American Tree association, the greatest organization of its kind in the world.

The N. C. Pecan society of Raleigh which is co-operating with the state in the pecan campaign, has arranged for the trees. See your county agent and he will write or wire and get the trees for you or you may write or wire direct to the society at Raleigh.

Pecan trees growing about homes in North Carolina begin to bear early. They often yield 40 to 50 pounds of nuts when only eight years old. At 16 and 12 years they frequently produce crops worth as much as \$75 a single year.

Plant pecan trees this spring and gain a whole year in having them pay your taxes. They are beautiful trees and will ornament your home while they are producing revenue.

Pecan trees delight to feed on the waste fertility around homes and barns and to turn this "waste into wealth." Are pecan trees feeding on the waste fertility around your home?

If not, plant some at once. When you see how beautifully they are growing they respond to a little care, what valuable crops of choice nuts they are yielding, you will rejoice because you planted them. Plant pecan trees now.

OFFICERS TRAINED TO SHOOT WITH CAR IN MOVEMENT

Present day officers must be trained to shoot from the wheel as well as from the hip.

Police Officer H. W. Holman, 1925 champion revolver shot of the Los Angeles police department, recently demonstrated the absence of vibration in the modern automobile by grilling six bullets through the bulls-eye of a regulation target while shooting from his car with the motor running at full throttle.

Officer Holman made perfect target groups while shooting from the front seat, while sitting astride the car hood and while using the front fender as a rest for his pistol arm. The car used was a Chevrolet which Officer Holman purchased recently. The unique target practice was held at the police revolver range in Griffith park, Los Angeles. The marksman observed all of the rules governing regular target practice except that he shot from the automobile.

Ty Cobb, baseball super-star, undergoes operation at Johns Hopkins for growth on left eye. The operation is reported successful.

FOR GOODNESS SAKE TRY—

Colonel Shelby

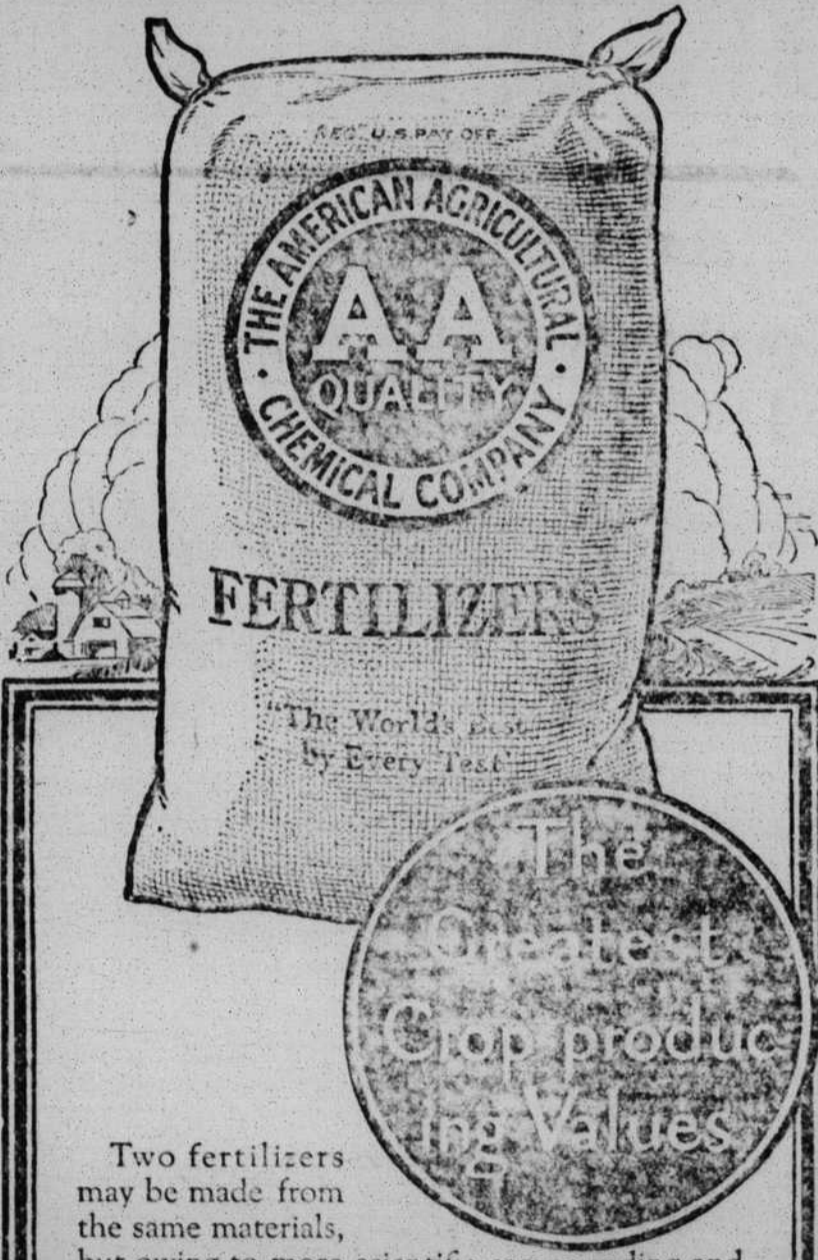
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CLOTHES WIN FAME, FORTUNE AND FAIR LADY

Common Sense laughs or weeps—when it hears some vain man boast that he reached success in sloppy clothes. It can be done of course. But what smart man will use his bare knuckles to batter down the door of success when he might easily turn the knob and walk in?

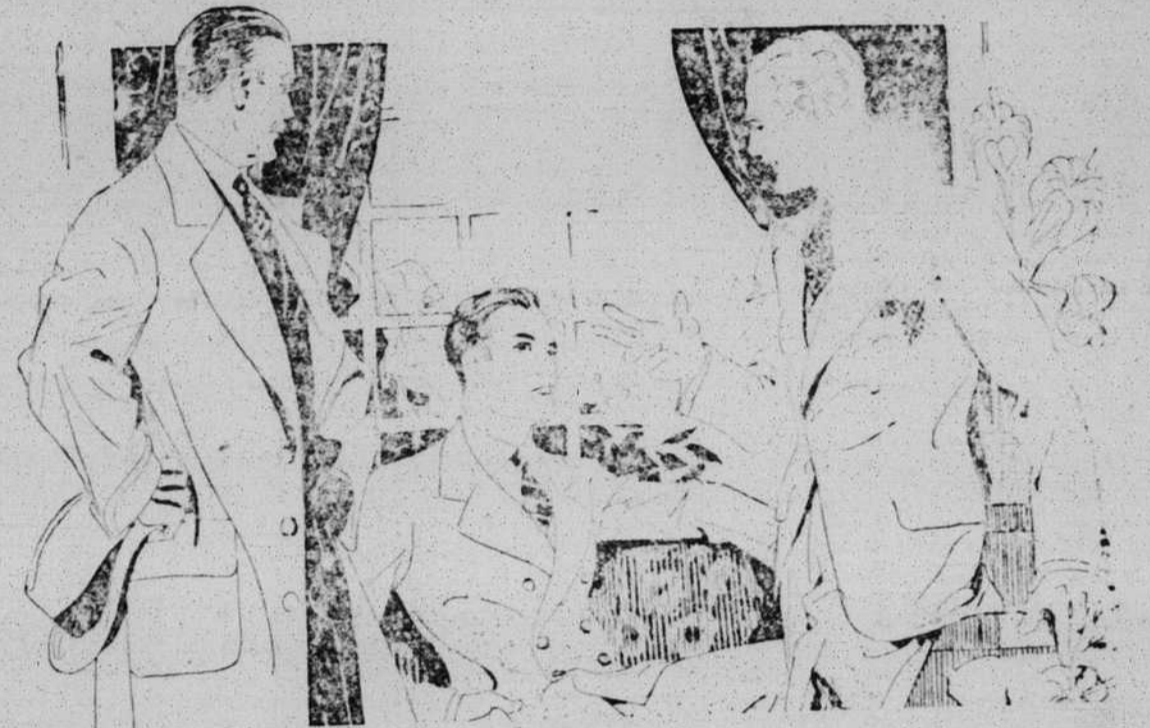
A good appearance unlocks opposition and allays prejudice. It opens the way to the favor of men and the hearts of women. A man is as successful as he feels, and the "Success-ful" is closely akin to the "success-look." What's on a man's back is in his spirit.

The word KELLY, connected with the lines of merchandise we carry, means you are taking no chance when you buy clothes from us. We have a most wonderful selection in the following brands: Society Brand, Michaels-Stern and Griffon at—\$24.50, \$29.50, \$34.50, \$37.50 AND UP.

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Spring Styles In Mens Wear

BLANTON & WRIGHT

— SUITS — — SHIRTS — — SHOES — — NECKWEAR —

Spring is less than three weeks away (the 21st of March)— little enough time to get set for the new season.

Already the major league ball players are training in Florida, and Casey Morris has got his young hopefuls at work on the local diamond. And the blue birds are back with us. Sure signs the glad time is at hand.

Don't wait to buy that new spring outfit until the stock is picked off, and the best of it gone. Come in NOW and look over the new things while they are FRESH.

SUITS— We have on display the latest styles in spring clothing. They are beautiful garments—more conservative than last year, but on more moderate lines, but highly distinctive in design. We have a full line, just shipped direct from the fashion centres. PRICES RANGE FROM \$19.50 to \$45.00

SHOES— Shoes set off the new suits. There are also new patterns for the spring. We are featuring Oxfords of High Grade. We have them at prices— RANGING FROM \$5.00 to \$7.95

NECKWEAR AND SHIRTS— Brighter colors and more pronounced designs are the features of the new season's neckwear and shirts. We have shirts, both with and without collars, both in the brighter and more conservative colors. Prices from \$1.50 to \$5.00

Neckwear Ranges in price from \$1.50 to \$2.50

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