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Jesus the Boy Theology has spoiled the thrill that he was larger than the limits f Jesus' life by assuming that he of a country town, that his life others agree. gnew everything from the begin- might be bigger than his father's? ning—that his three years of When did the thought come to pages have your own creed conforget all creed for the time being, and take the story just as the this—that the consciousness of his simple narratives give it-a poor divinity must have come to him boy, growing up in a peasant shop; gradually feeling his powan influence over his neighbors, recruiting a few followers, suffering disappointments and reverses. finally death. Yet building so solidly and well that death was ince! Stripped of all dogma this the grandest achievement storyif all! In the pages of this little sook let us treat it as such. If. n so doing, we are criticized for overemphasizing the human side Union Farmers of his character we shall have the estisfaction of knowing that our overemphasis tends a little to offset the very great overemphasis | % which has been exerted on the Says Cleveland County Farmers other side. Books and books and books have been written about him as the Son of God; surely we have I a reverent right to remember that his favorite title for himself Monroe Enquirer. was the Son of Man.

Nazareth, where he grew up, largest cotton producing counties, sas a little town in an outlying is greatly excited over the advence province. In the fashionable cir-lof the army worm. Estimate has des of Jerusalem it was quite the been made for 50,000 bales cotthing to make fun of Nazareth-. hing to make fun of Nazareth-ton for Cleveland county this its crudities of custom and speech, year, but a press dispatch of its simplicity of manner. "Can Tuesday states. any good thing come outo f Nazareth?" they asked derisicely when county's leading farmers, estithe report spread that a new mates that at least 10,000 bales prophet had arisen in that coun- will be lost to this county owing try town. The question was re-garded as a complete rebuttal of from the worm, it is said, is due to the shock to the stalk, which

The Galileans were quite con- keeps the young boll from maturscious of the city folks' contempt, ing. In fields where only leaves at but they bore it lightly. Life was top of the stalks have been eaten a cheerful and easy-going affair no great damage from the worm, with them. The sun shone almost it is said, is sunshine into the every day; the land was fruitful; bolls, aiding them in opening. to make a living was nothing However dozens of fields are enmuch to worry about. There was tirely devoid of foilage." went on picnics in Nazareth, as unduly excited. Their field will people walked together in the moonlight and fell in love in the growth of plants checked, than if spring. Boys laughed boisterous- stalks continued to grow and dev at their games and got into trou velop. Rarely, if ever does cotton ble with their pranks. And Jesus, that blooms after September first the boy who worked in the car- mature, and the young stuff is the penter shop, was a leader among only part of the plant damaged by

Later on we shall refer again to Most Union county farmers, who those boyhood experiences, noting are acquainted with the "destruchow they contributed to the vig- tive army worm," hail him as a orous physique which carried him friend when he comes the latter triumphantly through his work. We are quite unmindful of chronology in writing this little book. We are not bound by the familiar outline which begins with the song of the angels at Bethlehem and ends with the weeping of the women at the cross. We shall hread our way back and forth for all except the cotton-tot. through the rich variety of his life. picking up this incident and that bit of conversation, this dramatic contact and that audacous decision, and bringing them together as best to iNustrate our purpose. For that purpose is not to write a biography but to paint a portrait. So in the first chapter we pass over thirty years of his life, noting only that somehow, somewhere there occurred in those years the eternal miraclethe awakening of the inner con-

sciousness of power. The eternal miracle! In New York one day a luncheon was tendered by a gathering of distinruished gentleman to David Lloyd George. There were perhans two hundred at the tables. The food was good and the speeches were impressive. But what stirred one's imagination was a study of the men at the speakers' table. There they were-some of the most influential citizens of the presentday world: and who were they? At one end an international financier—the son of a poor country person. Beside him a great newsper proprietor-he came from a tiny town in Maine and landed in New York with less than a hundred dollars. A little farther along the president of a worldwide press association—a coby boy in a country newspaper office. And, in the center, the boy who frew un in the noverty of an obfoure Welsh village, and became the commanding statesman of the British Empire in the greatest crisis of history.

When and how and where did the eternal miracle occur in the lives of those men? At what hou; in the morning, in the af-

AT THE FAIR-

Rated as one of the best fairs in the South the Cleveland county fair is also one of the most popu-

eral hangers-on of a fair event.

A lot of the shows have the three substitutes. playing in Shelby.

in a time of solitude, of awe in the The Cleveland county fair offers boy, growing up in a peasant presence of Nature. The western additional proof on an opinion held hemisphere has been fertile in by Federal Judge E. Yates Webb. shop; gradually feeling his power material progress, but the great by Federal Judge E. Yates Webb. religions have all come out of the stuck to the belief that prohibi-East. The deserts are a symbol of tion has had more effect than the player to hand him the ball. dition is still discouraging. the infinite; the vast spaces that many believe. Tuesday afternoon he divide men from the stars fill the 2 prehibitien?"

> flea that could jump through a hoop and play ball.

"Dad," dusky veteran of the race track, is back with his master's stable. To "Dad." a character about dozens of race tracks in the South and East, there's but one better place to race than here and some saint with a halo will do the starting there.

Love doesn't mind a rush or the hurrying crowds. An officer had to get up close to a young couple behind one of the tents before he could make them understand that one of the show wagons wanted to ers. nass by and just hated to run over them. So far as they seemed to care nothing surrounded them but a desert-yet some two hundred people watched them advance from the hand-playing stage on.

Apparently the exhibit hails are elsewhere in the world; young produce more cotton where leaves attracting more attention than ever. Ore hardly finds any portion of the day when the aisles are not jammed and packed with hundreds looking over Cleveland's agricultural prowess as displayed in the many booths.

> Puzzle: Find Secretary Sib Dorton doing nothing anytime from now until the opening prayer at church next Sunday morning. (Those doing so will be given the gate receipts.)

Farmers who raise something to Farmer's Busy eat will have less cause to raise Picking Cotton

> (Special To The Star.) Shelby R-2, Sept. 29 .- The farmers of this community are very busy picking cotton and pulling fodder but doubtless most of them will spend at least a part of their time and money at the Cleveland County Fair this week.

> The army worms are plentiful in our fields and it is feared that they will do much damage to the cotton where the bolls have not yet

> Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Hamrick and little daughter were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Harrill Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Turner and children and Miss Pearl Jackson of Shelby were callers in the community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Weaver of Gaffney spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Docia Rollins.

Miss Oveda Putnam spent the week end at Boiling Springs. Miss Annie Lancaster and Mr. Clarence Lancaster accompanied her home and spent a few hours in the community Sunday afternoon.

moreland visited relatives in this section Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Padgett spent Saturday night at the home of Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Brainard West-

and Mrs. Miller Ellis. Mrs. Josie Gramlin of Gaffney is spending some time with her sister. Mrs. W. L. Harrill and other relatives.

Episcopal Services.

Services at the Episcopal church Sunday October 3rd, will be at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Rev. W. E. Allen, the rector, will officiate and preach. All welcome.

A pedestrian is neverocafe ex-

### :- A DAY -: FALLSTON DEFEATED

Did Not Expect to Score Against Was Baried at Salem Church by Morganton's Crock Team but Made a Touchdown.

(Special to The Star.) Fallston, Sept. 25.-Fallston

inspiration? You who read these he had after the family had retired, and the woman who measures her have still held the green Fallston church Lincoln county. the ball was hidden and carried 12 week.

> the canine population of this sec- sleeve which prevented the touch- school, Philadelphia. tion has ben accquainted with the down. Floyd Cline is the lad's Several Fallston people attended form of steam or other ower. working while he passed them one the school. by one. Three long runs were to Miss Iva Mauney of Cherryville power and heat will ultimately first string.

> > though they were no match for Morganton's best. Morganton's second team play-

ed 10 minutes.

The automobiles get much unjust criticism when there is noth-

English channel swimmers' greas- Mail Robbery-Headline. It was hours. As the years pass and

Juniers. Mr. Stroup Grows 97 Pourd Pumpkins.

(Special to The Star.) lar in America with show folks, high football team had some real morning about 4:15 the death anhow the temperatures range and Will science had engineering turn race track followers, and the gen- experience Friday, September 24. gel visited the home of Mr. G. C. "They turn out here, spend of its first season with Morganton er. Mr. Biggerstaff had been in money and trac a fellow so white high and was defeated 39-6. Mor- failing health for about a year, but enter the mind of each of them that he was larger than the limits show officials Tuesday. All the can be seen by the fact that they he became unable to work. He had show officials Tuesday. All the can be seen by the fact that they he became unable to work. He had In the quest of gold, gave 25 players a chance to show felt better Sunday than usual. In the quest of gold, coal and conclusions. They are spurred to about the same, but age decreases their wares. Fallston has only Heart trouble was the cause of his oil men have penetrated as far as special efforts by the developing the value of one and increases the public work were a kind of dress less. Was it one morning when lorg and the short' of it, but the stood at the greatest depths having been funeral services were contact the greatest depths having been for the greatest depths and greatest depths having been for the greatest depths and g rehearsal, with no real problems he stood at the carpenter's bench, one playing at the county fair this score and would likely have failed ducted by Rev. John Cline assisted reached by oil drillers. Lately rehearsal, with no real problems the sun streaming in across the or crises. What interest would the sun streaming in across the week has the "length and breadth" to do so had not Morganton sent by the Junior order of Belwood some detailed studies have been week has the "length and breadth" to do so had not Morganton sent by the Junior order of Belwood some detailed studies have been week has the "length and breadth" to do so had not Morganton sent by the Junior order of Belwood some detailed studies have been week has the "length and breadth" to do so had not Morganton sent by the Junior order of Belwood some detailed studies have been week has the "length and breadth" to do so had not Morganton sent by the Junior order of Belwood some detailed studies have there be in such a life? What hills? Was it late in the night, in Happy Jack, rotund freak, and in some substitutes which should the family had returned to do so had not after the family had returned to do so had

certing him; I have mine. Let us wonder under the stars? Nobody certing him; I have mine. Let us wonder under the stars? Nobody some." Neither, however, have reknows. All we can be sure of is ceived marriage proposals while this that the that the sound in opposition and scored a touchdown Mrs. J. H. Quien, Mrs. G. B. New Jersey and Colorado show promptly with another a certainty Levelace, Mrs. Aaron Quinn and that temperature rises faster in when the whistle ended the half. It Miss Jamie Blanton of Shelby vis- Colorado than in the other states; was an amusing touchdown because fited at Mr. T. A. Stamey's last in fact, in a Colorado bore the

yards for the score while no Mor- Mrs. J. H. Green underwent a ed at the depth of 6,600 feet while ganten player knew where the ball serious operation at the Lincoln the records of the New Jersey well was until the referee motioned for hospital last Saturday and her con- indicate that a depth of 21,000

occupied a box seat at the fair ond game without losing the ball self efficient in lines other than reached. In West Virginia the human soul with wonder. Some grounds and after several hours on a fumble and without having the hardware business. He grew in boiling point should be reached at the dering filled his heart. We grounds and after several nours of a fumble and without having the beginning of his influthe daring filled his heart. He people he failed to see a single recovered three Mcrganton fum. weighs 97 1-2 pounds and measures because the people he failed to see a single recovered three Mcrganton fum. weighs 97 1-2 pounds and measures 6,600 feet; in a California well at the people he failed to see a single recovered three Mcrganton fum. knew that he was bigger than drunk. Perhaps you can better bles and blocked one punt. This 65 inches around one way and 72 answer his query: "Would that green eleven has already shown inches around the other way. It is at 3,500 feet. Copyright, 1925, by Bruce Barton answer his query: "Would that green eleven has already shown inches around the other way. It is Suppose a well ten miles deep have been possible before the days that it has a ball carrier who could now on display in the Fallston could be bored! Some seculative

it? If not you have missed one of through ten of the Morganton first Charline going to New York city heat so vast that the problem of

flea's ability to hop and skip for name who did not run with daz-, the exercises by the Belwood junmany years, but these who pay zling speed but who kept his head for order at the Belwood High dog tax here never before saw a up, his hips wiggling, his direc- school Sunday when the Junior or- study of expert geologists, oil ention changing and straight arm der presented a Bible and Flag to gincers, and physicians. Not a

> his credit against the Morganton spent the week end with Miss Car- come from inside the earth in the rie Helton.

> > Mrs. Claude Stamey. Miss Mary Wacaster of Marion, temperatures rise at much less visited her sister Mrs. Hall Tillman depths than in the older. The earth last week.

ing the matter with them but their would think of a heavyweight cians. prize fight at the sesoni.

ever thus.

### Ten-Mile Hole In Earth One Of Science Dreams-May Find Minerals internal temperatures. It appears

The possibility of digging or bor. knowledge about the earth's inside where; so the technicians of soil ng a hole in the earth several increases the speculative element find it desirable to learn all they miles deep has been discussed for lessens. Everywhere men are search can about the earth's structures many years by scientists and en- ing for new stores of the necessary and geologic backgrounds, Science gineers. It would be a worthwhile minerals and meals on which mo. is every year enlisted in new deexploration of the earth's crust, in dern civilization is built. Why not partments of the search for new the view of both the scientists and go straight down for them? The stores of oil. In that search it is of many practical men who forsee globe is made of them if only by making available an ever-expandthe need to know more about some such method we could make ing store of knowledge about this Fallston, Sept. 28.—Monday what is inside, how to get to it, them available.

experience Friday, September 24. get visited the home of Mr. G. C.
The team played its second game Biggerstaff and claimed the father the team played its second game Biggerstaff and claimed the father the trick?

Some people think women make earth's surface has now been experience Friday, September 24. get visited the home of Mr. G. C.

the like. Pretty nearly all the trick?

Quite plainly, they are already politics safer. Anyway, a politician amined, albeit much of it in a pret- doing the preliminary work. Oil can keep his job in his wife's ings, did the audacious thought that he almost wants to live here," ganten has a heavy experienced his condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here," ganten has a heavy experience of deep bores and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here," ganten has a heavy experience of deep bores and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here, and the condition wasn't considered second that he almost wants to live here. ty cursory fashion, but the possi- well physicians have under analy- name.

death. He passed off quietly in his a mile and a half into the earth, belief that one indication of petro- value of the other. irgs and minings. Temperatur rises he had slipped out to walk and height at seven feet "and then but could not. As soon as the The Fallston high school has as depth increases, but not uniboiling point of wate was reachfeet would have to be attained be-Fallston played through its sec. Mr. C. D. Stroup is proving him-fore the boiling point would be

make most any high school team booth at the Cleveland county fair. could be bored! Some seculative although he is playing his first Misses Charline and Janie Stam-The trained flea, have you seen vear. He returned a kick off ey left Wednesday for school, Miss up reserve on the earth's internal In Army Worm the rarest treats along the freak eleven and was tackled by the last to take a course in interior decor. fuel and power would be solved. A line ever exhibited here. No doubt man who got a handful of shirt ating and Miss Janie to Beachwood community would dig its own well and distribute the heat in the

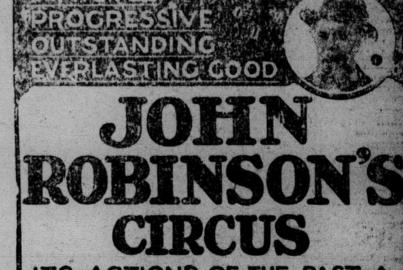
These and many related problems are nowadays under few students of them believed that way. They point out that in the We are proud of the boys al- Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elmore spent "newer" geologic areas temera-Sunday with Mrs. Elmore's sister tures rise at much less depths than in the "newer" geologic areas has cooled less uderneath the 'new" Rocky Mountain area than Wonder what Ben Franklin under the much "older" Appala-

Such are the problems that the scientitsts of the old industry find This has been a busy summer for Woman's Tongue Slip Bares engaging their more speculative

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are reaching some pretty positive A baby and an automobile cost

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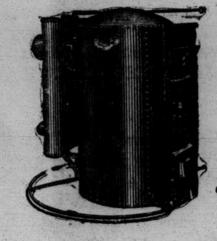
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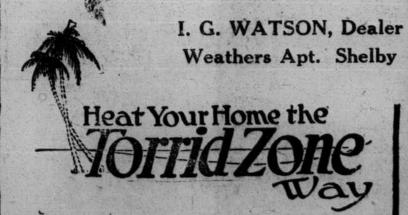
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