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### LITTLE STARS

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—Miss Webb Named—In the list of teachers committees named by state teachers last week Miss Selma Webb, of Shelby, was named vice president of grammar grade teachers.

—With Pilot Life—H. W. Goolsby who came to Shelby some months ago as agent for the Atlantic Life Insurance company of Richmond, Va. has accepted a position with C. R. Webb, general agent of the Pilot Life Insurance company.

—Mrs. Putnam a Sister—Through an error in transcribing notes on the death of J. A. Anthony last week, the name of Mrs. Marion Putnam omitted as a surviving sister. The Star regrets this oversight which was unintentional. Mrs. Putnam, since the death of her husband is making her home in Charlotte with her daughter, Mrs. Marion Ross, whose husband is a prominent attorney there.

—Shelby Boy Leads—Sunday papers carried a photo of Miss Marie Bonitz, of Wilmington, who played the role of queen at the "grand brawl" of the Engineer's fair under the auspices of the Order of St. Patrick recently at State college. John Anthony, of Shelby, member of the senior class and president of the engineers' council played the part of St. Patrick.

### PERSONALS

Home folks who know on the go.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoey were Charlotte visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Earle Hamrick is spending a few days in Greenville, S. C.

Miss Ora Smart of Henrietta spent the week end with Miss Graco Hartgrove.

Miss Adelaide Cabanis spent the week end in Statesville with Miss Rachel Fox.

Miss Elizabeth Temple of Limestone college is the guest this week of Miss Adelaide Cabanis.

Mrs. J. Frank Harris has returned from Winston-Salem where she visited relatives.

Mrs. Cline Lackey spent the week-end in Gaffney with her parents.

Miss Aleth Buchanan, who has been the charming house guests of Mrs. D. W. Royster spent the week end with Mrs. Tom Moore.

Mr. E. T. Switzer returned Saturday from a business trip to New York.

Mrs. E. L. Galloway of Charlotte spent the week end in Shelby visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. G. Morrison has as her guests for awhile, her sister, Miss Louise Wynn, of Martinsville, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Petty of Charlotte were prominent Shelby visitors on Sunday.

Mr. W. G. Hicks and daughter of West Hickory were week end visitors in Shelby.

Mrs. C. R. Beaver and daughter, Velma of Charlotte spent the week end with Mrs. E. H. Griffin.

Mrs. J. T. Gardner returned Friday from Beaumont, Texas, where she attended the wedding of her son, Dr. John Nooe Gardner.

Mr. H. M. Victor, a prominent banker of Charlotte, is spending several days at Cleveland Springs hotel.

Mrs. George Blanton and son George jr., spent the week end in Charlotte the guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Ferguson in Meyers park.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lineberger are attending the Fine Arts association in Charlotte tonight. Mr. Hugh Walpole the famous novelist is lecturing.

Mrs. Wooten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wagner is here from Augusta, Ga., at the bedside of her father who continues quite ill on N. Morgan street.

Mr. Graham Anthony who came from Hartford, Conn., to attend the funeral of his father, Mr. J. A. Anthony, will return to his home on Tuesday.

Mr. John Anthony has returned to his studies at State College after having attended the funeral of his father, Mr. J. A. Anthony.

Miss Frances Goolsby, student at Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C., is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goolsby.

Attorney and Mrs. Bynum Weathers returned last week from Florida where Mr. Weathers was a patient in a government hospital for several months.

Mrs. Jack Stevens, of Greensboro, arrived Sunday and will spend several days here visiting her father and sister, Mr. L. M. Hull and Mrs. Draper Wood.

Mrs. Mollie Huntley of Martinsville, Va., spent the week end with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lucile Sampson at Courtview hotel, Mrs. Sampson recently moved back here from Cincinnati, Ohio, and is connected in the Sewing shop with her sister Mrs. D. B. Goforth.

Miss Bessie Clark of the Shelby school faculty who has room with Mr. and Mrs. Fields Young on West Warren street has as her guests for a week, Misses Estelle Burrus and Maude Cooper, students at Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S. C.

A party composing Mr. and Mrs. Play Hoey, of Shelby; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brooks, of Charlotte; and Mr. and Mrs. T. O. O'Donohue, of Greensboro, spent a very pleasant week-end on a motor jaunt to Charleston, S. C., where they visited the Magnolia Gardens, and took in other interesting sights of the historic old burg. They returned Sunday night.

Among the out of town people who attended the funeral of the late lamented Mr. J. A. Anthony were: Mr. and Mrs. Bate Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Gardner and Mrs. Will Wain, of Gastonia. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moriarty and Miss Fan Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Ross, of Charlotte, Miss Margaret Young, Mrs. Susan Young and Mr. Tilden Padgett, of Forest City, Mrs. Graham Morrison of Lincolnton and Mr. Hamilton of Morganton.

### - AT THE MOVIES -

This will be red letter week at the Webb theatre, with three big specials booked in. One of these—"Just Another Blonde" starring Dorothy Mackaill, Jack Mulhall, William Collier, jr., (son of the great comedian) and Louise Brooks—is due today.

Tomorrow "Stella Dallas" with Belle Bennett and Ronald Colman—one of the year's big super specials is coming.

And Thursday the inimitable Colleen Moore in 'Orchids and Ermine.'

"Stella Dallas" is one of the best pictures of the year. It is what is called a human picture—the emotional picture filled with scenes and crises that grip the heart. If you want to "live" through an hour and a half of fine drama—don't miss seeing this one.

"Just Another Blonde" is an excellent comedy drama, played by a group of the screen's best stars, headed by the bright and attractive Dorothy Mackaill.

Evelyn Brent in a "Broadway Lady" is a big, spectacular and highly entertaining dramatic picture offered today at the Princess. Tomorrow one of the very best of comedies is coming—Wallace Beery in the old classic "Casey at the Bat." The two pictures are striking in contrast. "A Broadway Lady" is a section of life cut from old Broadway—the gay way. "Casey at the Bat" is a screaming funny farce, built around the old poem of the Babe Ruth of a former day who fanned out in a big pinch.

Here's a key paragraph describing "A Broadway Lady": The flaming idol of old Broadway—here at last to thrill you in a mighty drama of drifting souls in New York's far famed thoroughfare of lights and lost hopes.

Ford Sterling and Zasu Pitts are in the cast of "Casey" with Beery. The scene of the farce is a small town not far from New York; time about a quarter of a century ago.

### PAYS TRIBUTE TO THE MAN OF FAITH

Optimism, Hospitality And Benevolence Were Marks In Character

Editor Star:

While longer and abler tributes will be offered to commemorate the experience of the recent fallen Prince in Israel—allow me to tender a sincere eulogy. Like all other mortals, he never attained human perfection; but his failings and foibles should be remembered against him no more.

The outstanding characteristics of the late J. A. Anthony were optimism, hospitality and benevolence. No call of distress ever went unheeded; and he never looked for the doom of disaster. His hand and heart were alike open to every call manly, and no instance was he ever unresponsive. In some ways, his life was a model, an inspiration and a benediction. He could never be claimed by the calamity howlers; but his voice was one of cheer and encouragement and he kept his face toward the land of the morning.

While never rich in the fruits of Mammon, he used his means to educate his family and his counsel and example to stimulate and encourage others. I never heard him complain of being sick nor saw the frown of discouragement on his features. He rounded out his allotted three score and ten, and left a record of good works as a school teacher, a zealous church worker, a useful member of the order of which the symbol is the square, the compasses, the symbol of geometry and the trestle board.

His taking was a sudden shock and surprise; but it was better to be called in possession of his faculties than to become a pulling, doddering spectacle of gibbering, querulous second childhood.

Let us hope that in consideration of his good fight against the world, the flesh and the devil—that he is called to the realm where the rainbow never fades and where the stars set as sentinels of radiant beauty around the Great White Throne.

M. L. WHITE.

Not every man that goes to church is a saint; but the batting average of the pew holders is well above that of the men on the street.

Oil is not peaceful in Mexico. Haiti, it seems, wants no King. Not every harmonious gathering accomplishes anything. No, Pauline, The Star, does not please everybody.

## THE BEST ASSET

There can be no better asset for any man to have than money in bank. Here are some of the reasons.

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### BURKE MAN GETS TERM OF 2 YEARS

Pink Mull Receives Manslaughter Sentence for Killing of Paul Gibbs There.

Morganton, Mar. 26.—Convicted of manslaughter for the slaying of Paul Gibbs, whose body was found when the snow melted early in the month, Pink Mull was today sentenced to serve no less than two and not more than three years in the state prison.

Alone in the courtroom when the decision of the jury was announced, Mull heard it and the subsequent sentence with the same lack of emotion which has marked his demeanor throughout the trial.

After the verdict was returned, before sentence had been passed, N. J. Hatcher chief of counsel for the convicted man, told the court that he was confident "the right man had not been caught," and that later disclosures would free Mull, against whom the evidence was circumstantial. The court had already instructed the jury that evidence submitted did not warrant first degree consideration, as had been asked by the state.

The body of Gibbs was found in Mull's yard two days after his death during which time the heavy snow of the first of March had fallen. Mull testified at the trial that he had heard a noise the night Gibbs was slain, and had gone to the door with his gun, firing in the air to scare off intruders.

Gibbs had been frequent visitor at the Mull home, calling on the convicted man's stepdaughter.

### Offers Remedy For Lumps On The Feet Of Chickens, Etc.

T. J. Alexander, well known in Cleveland county, now living at Gaffney, S. C., has written The Star, enclosing a diagram showing how to build a feed box so fowls can get a foot bath in kerosene which will prevent lumps or knots forming on the feet. Mr. Alexander says these knots or lumps are caused from a germ that gets under the scales. He finds that kerosene, well applied, will kill the germs and thus prevent the lumps forming. Hence he has devised a feed box, very simple and inexpensive to make which will compel the fowls to stand on kerosene and get a foot bath while they are eating. He suggests a plain box about 24 inches wide by 36 inches long. Along one side should be made a feed trough. The sides and back are high so the fowls must approach the trough from the open side to get to the feed trough along the back side. The kerosene vat is made of galvanized iron plate, turned up around the edges and riveted and soldered so it will not leak. It sets on strips about the size of plaster laths. Fowls may shy for awhile on entering the box, so don't put in the kerosene until you have fed them awhile from the box. Set in a dry place so rain will not fall in it.

Mr. Alexander would like to see forty different schools and colleges are under contract to the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studios.

Many stars and players were educated abroad, Norma Shearer learned reading, writing and arithmetic in Montreal, Canada, Ralph Forbes was graduated from Denstone College in England; Roy D'Arcy attended Oxford and completed his education in Germany. Greta Garbo and Lars Hanson were educated in Stockholm, Sweden, and Ramon Novarro in Mexico.

### Officers Busy In Capturing Booze

Agent Houser And Two Cleveland County Deputies Nabbing Considerable Bootleg

Gastonia.—Federal Prohibition Agent E. L. Houser put in an active week last week in cutting stills in the South Mountain section of Burke county. Last Sunday he destroyed 200 gallons of beer and a 30-gallon still. On Wednesday he destroyed 100 gallons of beer. Monday he poured out another 200 gallons. One of the biggest hauls was in Lincoln county in the Bethpage section where he said, he destroyed a 40-gallon distillery and 100 gallons of apple pomace. The still was in full operation. Seventeen quarts of home brew was taken from the home of one Stowe Hoyle in Lincolnton.

Assisting Mr. Houser in these raids were Deputies Tom Sweazy and Plato Ledford, of Cleveland county and, for part of the time, Chief Clay Kiser of Cherryville.

Thursday the party destroyed 2,200 gallons of beer in the Van Horn Ford section of Burke county.

### COTTON MARKETS

(By Jno. F. Clark and Co.)

Cotton was quoted on New York exchange at 10:30 today:

March 14.10; July 14.30; October 14.50; December 14.68.

New York, Mar. 28.—Liverpool 12:15 p. m. May as due, July and October 4 American points better than due, spot sales 6,000, middling 776 against 771 Saturday.

Showers at San Antonio, Vicksburg and Shreveport over Sunday, forecast Carolinas and Georgia, fair balance belt party cloudy.

Manchester cable reports considerable inquiry last week but a decided decrease in volume of actual business.

Moderate trade in Worth street Saturday, business for week slightly better than previous week, prices steady.

Southern spot markets unchanged, sales 111,000. Theodore H. Price says in reference to cotton: "The ease with which the largest crop on record has been disposed of provides an argument for higher prices that will be almost irresistible if next seasons crop is a moderate one and very high prices might be seen if a really small yield is threatened."

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## - TUESDAY -

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Don't miss it. Also a good Comedy.

— COMING THURSDAY —

## Colleen Moore

### DANCING WHILE DRUNK ON WANE IN INDIANA

(By International News Service) Indianapolis, Ind.—After dancing with the Indiana collegians at several varsity parties, George L. Winkler, Indiana Federal prohibition enforcement chief, is willing to swear that the quaint custom of dancing while drunk is on the wane.

"I attended dances at both Indiana and Purdue Universities recently and I am glad to say I didn't even smell liquor at either dance," Winkler said. "Neither did Miss Ardrey, my secretary, who also went to the dances."

Winkler said that drinking among students has decreased four-fifths within the last few years.

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### COUNTY REFORM BILLS NOW BEING PLANNED

Raleigh.—(INS)—Plans are going forward here to put the three county government reform bills enacted by the 1927 Legislature in operation by early April.

The 100 counties of the state will be aided in putting the county fiscal control act into effect by the county advisory commission. The act requires counties to appoint a county accountant by the first Monday in April.

The accountant will be required to submit estimates for the maintenance of the various county governmental departments. These will have to be turned in early next month.