

### New York Convict To Train Fellows

Albany.—A convict who describes himself as a "university graduate and the victim of the school of hard knocks" has begun a course in civics in one of the largest state prisons, according to the state education department, in an attempt to change the attitude of prison inmates toward antagonism toward society to interest and cooperation.

In a letter to the special schools bureau made public today by the department, the convict-teacher said of his course:

"We carefully and clearly explain that society primarily exists for the benefit and protection of its members. In other words, it is a mutual organization, naturally there must be certain rules to which each member must subscribe or sanction and live up to.

"We tell the student that he, as a member of society, evaded his obligations, failed in his duties to his fellow man and is, therefore, banished for a time. By good conduct and honest effort he may, if he so desires, win back the privilege of another chance to live and work in harmony with his fellows.

"By the time we have brought these facts before the men they have a better understanding of right and wrong than ever before in their lives."

The course, according to the education department, emphasizes particularly the necessity of having police and prisons, and points out the efforts that society is making to better conditions in prisons.

#### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of J. W. Eskridge, late of Cleveland county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased, to present them to me properly verified for payment on or before the 20th day of April, 1930, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereof. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned. This May 1, 1929.

S. B. ESKRIDGE, Executor of J. W. Eskridge's estate. pd

### BLOATED FEELING

And Other Troubles Went Away After This South Carolinian Had Taken Black-Draught.

Ira S. C.—"I have used Black-Draught, at intervals, for about five years," says Mr. J. P. Gilliland, of this place. "I take it for indigestion. After eating, I would have a tight, bloated feeling, and pains in my chest and stomach. I would spit up my food, and some things I ate would not agree with me at all. I would be hungry, but afraid to eat on account of the indigestion. I would be constipated, too.

"Some one told me that I should try Black-Draught, which I did, with good results. I take just a small dose after meals, and I feel like a different person.

"I do not have any more trouble of that kind. I can now eat almost anything I want to, at any time, and it does not hurt me.

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### A Mother's Love Always Abiding

From Specialty Salesman Magazine

Mother! Next to the Divine Father, the most sacred word human voice can utter. The first word the infant lips through faltering lips—"mamma," instinctive recognition of devotion for life and sustenance. "Mother," the first word, when harm befalls the child at play. Thoughts of mother, and her grief, when the child, grown to maturity, leaves home, to take up the battle of life. "Mother," the first thought when disaster or illness over takes one. "Mother," the final thought when one is brought to the close of life. "Mother," the last thought and the last word of the soldier dying on the field or in hospital.

Youth, fades. Poverty, failure, misfortunes may come, but through it all, mother's love endures. If success comes, she is happy. But no amount of shortcomings can shake one's mother's hope and love.

Mother's day is Sunday, May 12. A day set apart for universal recognition of mother. But every day, or should be, Mother's day in our hearts. Mother's love has made the world. Let us love all the living mothers, and reverence all mothers of the past—whose arms encircled the helpless infant, gave it life—mothers who now are dead—mothers who gave their beauty and youth to their children. Is not mother love eternal? It passes from mother to daughter, and the young mother, in the bloom of youth and beauty, transmits it to her children, sees them grow to manhood, and then dies. And so from century to century, from age to age, mother love has become immortal.

We would like to stay the hand of time, and keep mother with us. But the days flit by, and mother grows old and weary. Her youth and beauty has faded, but her smile, her mother love endures. If mother is living, how happy she would be now to receive a letter from her boy or girl! Could one ever be too busy to write often to mother?

Let us make the coming year a Mother year for all that she has meant to us, but we can see her more frequently, and write more letters that will mean much to her.

On his hydrocycle, Roger Vincent, of Paris, France, crossed the English Channel from Calais to Dover in hours, 35 minutes. It was his first sea-going trip on the machine.

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#### BIDS WANTED ON SCHOOL BUILDING.

The board of education of Cleveland county will receive bids on a nine-room school building (state standard plan) until two o'clock Tuesday, the 7th day of May, 1929.

Bids are requested on both solid brick and brick on tile construction. Plans and specifications may be obtained from Mr. Claud Grigg, superintendent of schools, Kings Mountain, N. C.

Separate bids are also requested on the heating and plumbing for the above building. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check of 5 per cent, made payable to the chairman of the county board of education of Cleveland county. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Signed: CLAUD GRIGG, Supt.

#### NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS

North Carolina, Cleveland County, in the Superior Court, Before the Clerk.

Alice Canady and husband, Roland Canady, Ora Byers and husband, Tom Byers, Nola Camp and husband, John Camp, Ethel Smith, widow and Florence McCoy, single, Plaintiffs

vs.

Lloyd Ellis and wife, Alice Ellis, Rena Crosby and husband, Walter Crosby, James Ellis and wife, — McCoy, Scott McCoy and wife, — McCoy, Odus McCoy and wife, — McCoy, Ullus McCoy and wife, Lottie McCoy and Arizona McCoy, defendants.

The defendants, Lloyd Ellis and wife, Alice Ellis, Rena Crosby and husband, Walter Crosby, James Ellis and wife — Ellis, if living, Fred McCoy and wife, — McCoy, if living, Scott McCoy and wife, — McCoy, if living, Odus McCoy and wife, — McCoy, if living, Ullus McCoy and wife, Lottie McCoy and Arizona McCoy will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Cleveland county, N. C. for the sale for partition of certain lands situated in No. 4 township, Cleveland county, N. C., which the plaintiffs and the defendants hold as tenants in common and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear in the office of the clerk of superior court at the court house in said county on Monday, May 13, 1929 and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This April 11, 1929.

A. M. HAMRICK, Clerk Superior Court.

Jno. P. Mull, Atty. for plaintiffs.

### Mothers' Day

Day Of Hallowed Memories

(Rev. C. F. SHERRILL.)

"And in the quiet evening I passed her kneeling there. That just one word—my name I heard, My name in mother's prayer."

Richard Cecil said he tried when a young man to be an infidel, but there was one thing he could never get over—his mother's prayers and holy life.

Cleveland won the hearts of the nation when he took the oath of the presidency on his mother's thumb-worn Bible.

"In a childhood's hour I lingered near The hallowed seat, with listening ear; For gentle words that mother would give To fit me to die and teach me to live. She told me that shame would never betide With truth for my creed and God for my Guide. She taught me to hush my earliest prayer. As I knelt beside the old arm chair."

A beautiful custom it is to set aside the second Sunday in May as Mothers' Day. Memory will carry us back to the old home—the trundle bed, the apple orchard, the spring at the foot of the hill, the mother's arm chair, the happy family circle. All these will come trooping up in memory.

"Backward, turn backward, Time in your flight, Make me a child again just for tonight! Mother, come back from the echoless shore, Take me to your heart as of yore; Kiss from my forehead the furrows of care, Smooth my slumbers your loving watch keep, Rock me to sleep, Mother, rock me to sleep."

"Over my heart in days that are flown No love like mother's love ever was shown; No other worship abides and endures— Faithful, unselfish like hers. None like a mother can charm away pain, From the sick soul and world-weary brain. Slumber's soft calm o'er my weary

### WHO REMEMBERS OLD STRAW RIDES?

Younger Generation, With Auto Parties, Extends Frolics Into The Night.

Those straw rides—You boys and girls of thirty or more years ago—you remember them. Great events they were, too. Lots of fun for the whole bunch who took part in them. This kind of fun and frolic is out of date now. Just a little passe, as the high brows would inform you. Nevertheless they were the real whoopee in those days, and the youngsters used to get a lot of kick out of them.

This old world, however, in the meantime, has slipped into high and a straw ride today would be about the tamest thing the young folks could think of. Motor cars and petting parties can furnish a lot more thrills than the way the old time boys and girls got their fun.

Those old-time straw rides though furnished a lot of real wholesome pastimes. The youngsters used to look forward to them for days in advance. They were always scheduled for a moonlight night. There would be long rides through town and out into the country with lots of singing and all that. They would start just a little after dark and last for a couple of hours, for in those days, Ma and Pa would be waiting on the front door-step for their daughters and if they did not get in by ten—well there would be plenty doing for the young gallant who failed to run on schedule.

A big two-horse wagon, filled with a generous quantity of hay, was all that was necessary for an outing of this kind. Everybody wanted to sit at the rear end of the wagon. There would always be a scramble for the two seats back there for you could sit more comfortably with your feet hanging out the back end of the wagon. The rest of the body of the wagon was well filled with boys and girls sitting flat down. Lack of springs on the wagon was no draw back to these outings. There was just lots of fun and everybody had a scream of a time.

It's altogether different nowadays. If a fellow hasn't an automobile of some kind the girls don't even have a speaking acquaintance with him. In fact it is doubtful if the youngsters today know if there ever was such a thing as a two-horse wagon. In fact, if they do they probably put it down that it

eyelids creeps. Rock me to sleep, mother, rock me to sleep."

### KINDNESS TO AGED MAN BRINGS \$400 TO SCHOOL BOY IN MAN'S WILL

Lowell, Mass.—Because he was kind to an old man, Francis Sargent, a Lowell high school boy, found himself wealthier by \$400.

The will of Owen A. Nerney, who at the time of his death a week ago at 104, was Lowell's oldest man, was filed for probate today, disposing of an estate of \$55,000. Sixteen relatives will receive the bulk of the estate, but young Sargent, who brought the aged man newspapers and in many other ways added to Nerney's enjoyment of his last year, will receive a \$400 bequest.

Nerney came to this country at the age of 40 and for two-score years worked as gardener and coachman. He retired about twenty years ago, but the extent of his prosperity did not become known until his will was made public.

#### MEMORIAL AT DRURY DOBBINS ON MAY 12TH

Memorial services will be held at Drury Dobbins Baptist church on Sunday afternoon May 12, Rev. C. C. Matheny will deliver the memorial sermon. The public invited.

was some kind of contrivance which served in a sort of makeshift way during the time it was in use. As for knowing anything about a straw ride, it's safe bet none of them have ever heard of such a thing.

Today they don't think of taking a joy ride at night until after 9 o'clock just so they get back before dawn everything seems to all O. K.

Things are changing fast in this fast moving age. Each succeeding generation seems to be endeavoring to outstrip the one before by speeding up things just a little more. Few old folks get the right slant on all this rapid pace. No matter how hard they try, the old world just slips by them and leaves them high and dry to sit and meditate. They think the young folks today should get a kick out of the things that use to furnish the thrills for them when they were young. It just can't be done.

Youth will have its fling. A straw ride a decade ago may have been a real thriller, but it can't hold a candle to what the youngsters demand today. Tomorrow what was the big kick today will be equally as tame to the future generations as the old time sports and amusements are to the youngsters today. The world is just made that way. However, as folks grow older they can't help wondering where it will all end. Never mind, you won't be here to see the grand finish. So why bother about that?

**Fashion Notes.**

Bristol, Pa.—Spring fashion notes for local school girls and boys were issued today by the superintendent of schools, as follows:

Skirts must cover knees. Dresses must cover arms. Stockings must meet bloomers, though in fact the presence of bloomers should be merely legendary.

Boys' garterless socks must not be rolled down, and should not fall down. Collars and neckties for boys are de requer.

#### MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of a mortgage deed with power of sale therein contained recorded in book 118 of mortgages page 214 in the office of the register of deeds and executed by C. C. Blanton and wife, L. J. Blanton on the 15th day of November, 1924, to W. G. McSwain to secure a loan of \$700.00 and interest thereon, the said W. G. McSwain having died intestate and the undersigned Thurston McSwain having been duly appointed administrator of the said W. G. McSwain and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said mortgage deed the undersigned, Thurston McSwain, administrator of W. G. McSwain deceased, will on Saturday, June 1, 1929, at 12:00 o'clock noon or within legal hours sell all of said land incumbered by said mortgage at public auction at the



#### A Bad Wreck

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court house door in the town of Shelby for cash to obtain funds with which to pay said indebtedness, said land lying and being in No. 3 township, Cleveland county. Beginning on a water oak a corner of the Guyton McSwain land and running with his line S. 63 E. 32.50 chains to a stone, Mintz corner; thence with Rippy's line S.

36 W. 5.00 chains to an iron pin thence N. 63 W. 32 chains to an iron pin on Jas. Rippy's line; thence with his line N. 27 3-4 E. 5.00 chains to the beginning, containing 16 1-10 acres more or less.

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