

Nobody's Business

SEE McGEE—

Bad to The Last Drop.
The cost of making whiskey illegally, so says a chronic boot-legger, has declined over 40 per cent during the past 6 months, for instance: wood alcohol is 24 cents a gallon cheaper, lye is off 3 cents a can, stable manure for fermenting the mash is only 75 cents a wheelbarrow load, and the bugs and goats and flies that float on top of the mash (dead) to give it color don't cost a single cent—all of which means that a quart (enough to kill 6 good men) now sells for only 2 dollars.

Cotton Letter.
New York, May 7.—Spots were slightly weak on the opening, and so was Liverpool on the clothes. Due to the "Wear Cotton" movement, petticoat stripes are higher, teddy plaids are stronger, pajama checks are easier, and cotton hose are in demand for night riding. Yarns are dull to coarse, but there has been some pick up in brown sheetings in sympathy with the weather. The government reports fewer boll weevils in Texas and more katy-dids in Alabama, therefore we advise cotton bidders at once.

Clean-up Week, Evidently.
The best day's work Chicago has done since swindling the Indians out of the bay front was to vote Big Bill (the asafetida gas bag) a permanent vacation. And his defeat only shows what's going to become of the republican officeholders as they offer their further services to the "deer people." This country has been fed up on a certain kind of politics, and a housecleaning is in order (Al Capone may have to move).

No Use to Lock It.
Somebody tried to steal my old Essex (1926 model, French design, German type, fissure body 2-wheel brakes, 8 tubes, Baking-back-firing ignition), but they got only 2 blocks from home. It took them (apparently) about 30 minutes to get started, then an installment, worked over and choked her down, a second mortgage got tangled up in the fan belt, and then they ran out of gas and they did not have a jimmy to buy any with at the filling station, so they evidently walked on back to the pool-room. If they had succeeded in their endeavors, I would have been riding a bicycle now instead of walking.

An Apology.
A few weeks ago, this column permitted me to say that times never got too hard for a man to smoke and chew all of the tobacco his heart and appetite desired. A lady came forward today and said that her husband had to choke (last fall) betwixt gasoline and Brown Mule, plus a few Camels now and then, so he chose gasoline and has abstained tee-totally from the bitter weed. I hereby apologize for that broad statement. That leaves only 88,888,888 to chew and smoke since he's quit.

Special news from flat rock
a big misunderstanding took place in our little town last week on Friday morning. Mr. Joe J. King received a tellygram as follows: "aunt dinah is a dying, she will be buried tomorrow at reboher, please dig grave ansoforth, yorse trulle sallie." the grave was dug, and every-boddy went to the funeral the next day, but they was all disappointed, as annother tellygram come which read: "aunt dinah is setting up this morning call off funeral, yorse trulle."

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
North Carolina, Cleveland County.
Having qualified as administrator on the estate of J. T. Poston, deceased, this is to notify all creditors of the said J. T. Poston, deceased, to present their claims properly proven to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of April, 1932 or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All those indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement.
This 17th day of April, 1931.
S. M. POSTON, Administrator of Estate of J. T. Poston, Deceased.
M. R. Weathers, Atty. for Administrator.
6t Apr 17p

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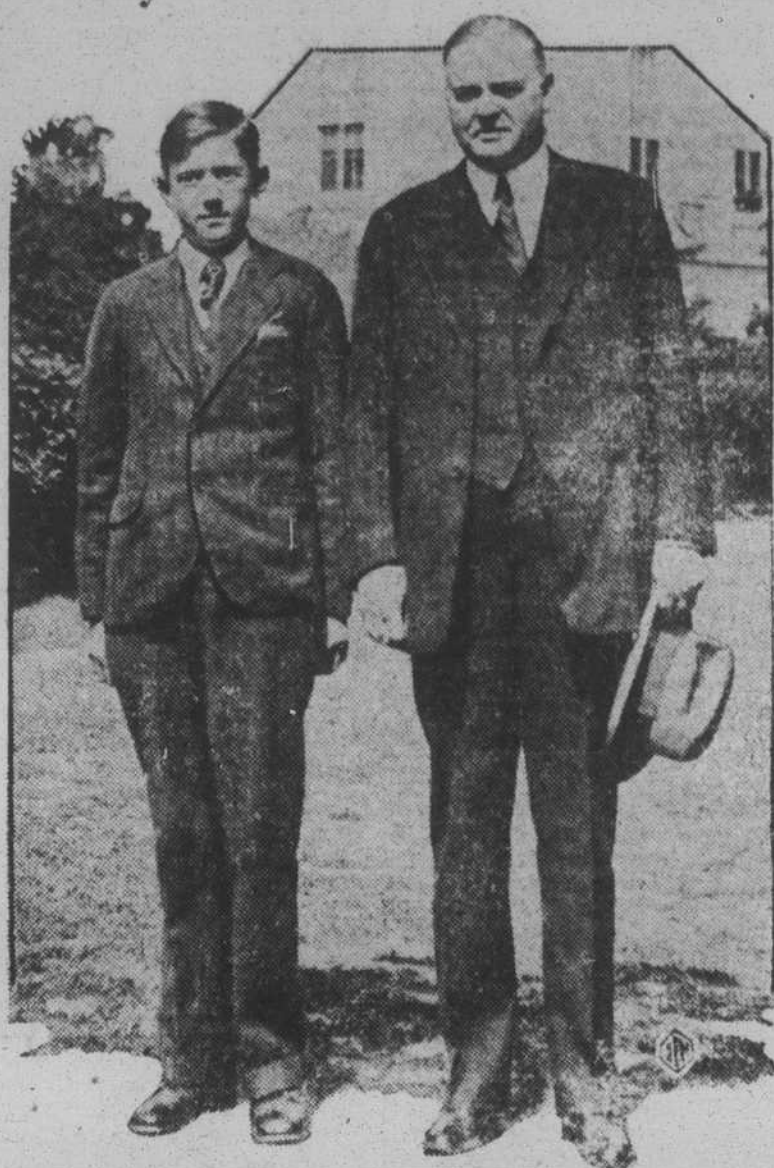
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—SEABOARD—

Boy's Heroism Rewarded



The thrill that comes once in a lifetime came to Bryan Unteldt, 13-year-old hero of the Colorado bus tragedy, as he posed with his host, President Hoover, on the White House grounds, where the boy guest was received with the formality accorded to White House visitors.

Belwood Section Events Of Week

Thieves Enter Porter's Store. Birth day Dinner for Mrs. Willis. Personals.

Belwood, Mar. 6.—Memorial services will be held at Knob Creek church the 4th Sunday in May. There will be no afternoon services. Misses Thelma, Margaret and Pauline Spurling of Lawndale spent the week end with Miss Katherine Hubard. The children of Mrs. Willis gathered at her home on May 3rd and surprised her with a birthday dinner on her 58th birthday. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Dock Willis and children and Mr. Mack Willis and children of Lincoln. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bingham and Miss Alma and Mr. Ezra Bingham of Fallston Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Elliott and children of the

Banoak community and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Willis and children of Malden and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton King and children of Vale. Miss Pearl Gantt spent last Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ramsey of Shelby. Misses Blanche Peeler and Mary Elizabeth Hubbard spent Saturday night with Miss Lillie White. Misses Hazel Richard, Lorene Goodman and Ruth Hartman spent the week end with Miss Merrill Edwards of Toluca. Miss Ruth Tillman of Morganton, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Tillman Sunday afternoon. Misses Rosemary and Dorothy Peeler and Katherine Hubbard visited Misses Ruth and Pauline Spurling of Lawndale Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Jeffries and children of Lincoln spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norman. Mrs. M. L. Willis and children of Lincoln route 1, spent last Friday with her mother Mrs. E. L. Gantt. Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and children spent Sunday with Mr. and

Mrs. Buford Spurling of Lawndale. The Boy scouts have returned home after spending some time in Florida and other points. There were 13 of the boys with Mr. Alvin Propst as scout master. Miss Nanny Lou Goodman spent Saturday with Misses Vivian and Olivia Peeler. Misses Blanche Peeler and Mary Elizabeth Hubbard spent last Wednesday night with Miss Mabel Warlick. Mr. Claudia Short has returned to his home in Bessemer City, after spending some time with his grandfather Mr. Joe Short. Mrs. Molly Parram of Kannapolis spent last week with her sister Mrs. Mack Smith and Mr. Smith. Thieves entered Mr. W. R. Porter's store Sunday night and carried away six or seven sacks of cotton seed meal. No trace of the thieves has been found.

Pleasant Hill Community News

Mr. Hendrick Suffering With Carbuncle. Mr. Dover Delivers Memorial Address.

(Special to The Star.) Pleasant Hill, May 6.—The farmers of this community are very busy planting. It will be several days yet before they have finished. Mr. and Mrs. Max Francis and children of Charlotte, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Francis Saturday night. Mr. Victor McCarter and a friend from near Antioch church spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Kendrick. Mr. Monroe Hendrick was taken to the Shelby hospital the last of the week. He has a carbuncle on his neck from which he was suffering. Mr. George Roberts of Charlotte visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Q. Roberts over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Colet Roberts of Blacksburg spent Saturday night with Mrs. C. C. Putnam. Mr. Wells Lowery attended a fare well party at the home of Mr. R. Ford Davis one night last week; Mr. Davis and his parents were leaving for Wake Forest. There was a large crowd attended memorial services at Pleasant Hill Sunday, Mr. John R. Dover, of Shelby, made a fine talk on the Sunday school lesson, which all enjoyed. There were visitors from all sister churches. A bountiful dinner was spread and fine singing in the afternoon.

Add human observations: Most individuals lose little time in collecting their pay checks.



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Pound
STEW MEAT — **10c**
Pound
PURE PORK SAUSAGE — **18c**
Pound
CURED HAMS — Half or Whole — Pound **21c**
CROAKERS — **25c**
4 Pounds

— A. & P. PRODUCE —

GREEN BEANS — **25c**
3 Pounds
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