

Is It a Miracle?



It is this side of an age of miracles, one might believe that this kindly faced Korean resident of Honolulu, Michael Kim, found his waning eyesight restored as an expression of divine approval during his laborious copying of the Bible by hand, after he had translated it into his native tongue. Kim, a devout Catholic, accomplished his monumental task in 18 months.

From this side of the ocean it looks like Japan doesn't want an American interference with her decision as to what she wants in Manchuria.

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Cackle Of Hen, Grunt Of Hog And Moo Of Cow Must Save This State, Governor Gardner Tells Farm Meet

Must Permanently Change Our Farming System In N. C., He States.

Faison, Nov. 9.—The cackle of the hen, the grunt of the hog and the moo of the cow is the symphony to save North Carolina, Governor O. Max Gardner told many eastern North Carolina people, gathered here Friday to join the Duplin county people in doing honor to Governor Gardner's "live-at-home" program and to give thanks for the bountiful harvest of food and feed products produced the past summer.

"We have enough sorghum to sop our pay out of this depression, said Governor Gardner, giving figures to back up his statement. North Carolina increased her sorghum production in 1931 over 1929, a million gallons, he said. The live at home program, he pointed out, has resulted in increased production in two-year period, as follows: wheat, more than 1,000,000 bushels; corn, more than 10,000,000 bushels; oats, two million bushels; rye, 300,000 bushels; barley, 400,000 bushels; Irish potatoes, 2,300,000 bushels; sweet potatoes, 2,250,000 bushels. Moreover, he pointed out, the cotton acreage has been reduced 536-

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Barbara C. Beam, deceased, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before November 2nd, 1931, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 30th day of October, 1931. D. M. BEAM, J. A. BEAM, J. H. BEAM, D. M. MORRISON, Administrators.

NOTICE North Carolina, Cleveland County, In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk, J. L. Allen, Esquire et al, Petitioners vs.

Julia Allen, et al. vs. Beulah Allen, Robert George A. Vance and husband, Avery Vance, Cletus Randall and wife, Florence Randall, Violet Randall, and wife, Lorraine Randall, Violet Randall, and husband, Miles Brown, Nannie Randall Norman and husband, Gilbert Norman, Fay R. O'Sullivan and husband, W. B. O'Sullivan.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Fannie Dixon, deceased, of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to me properly proven on or before the 5th day of October, 1931, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery therefor. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned.

This Oct. 5th, 1931. WALTER DIXON, Belwood, N. C., Administrator of Estate of Fannie Dixon.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT State of North Carolina, County of Cleveland, In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk, James Borders vs.

Basil Borders The defendant above-named will take notice that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against said defendant on the 15th day of October, 1931, by the clerk of the superior court of Cleveland county, North Carolina for the sum of \$1,397.92 with interest thereon from the 15th day of May, 1924 until paid, due by note, which summons is returnable before the clerk of the superior court of this county, North Carolina, on the 16th day of November, 1931. The defendant will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by said clerk superior court, at the time of the issue of the summons in said action against the personal property of said defendant, which warrant is returnable before said clerk, at the time and place above named for the return of the summons, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or default to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This 15th day of October, 1931. A. M. HAMRICK, Clerk Superior Court, Cleveland County. Quinn, Hamrick & Harris. 4 Oct 15

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust, executed by E. R. McCraw and wife, Zula McCraw on the 4th day of May, 1926, and recorded in book 141, page 31, we will on Saturday the 28th day of November, 1931 at 12 o'clock noon at the court house door in Cleveland county, Shelby, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land, to-wit: That 198 7-10 acres, being a part of the tract deeded Annie Tate by W. M. Podd and wife on April 23, 1903 by deed recorded in book PP of deeds, page 23. Beginning at a stake and pointers, south bank of Buffalo creek about 2 1/2 poles below the new bridge; then along the old roadway south 7 1/2 west 66 poles; south 2 1/2 east 62.85 poles; south 48 east 32 poles; south 40 east 32 poles; south 52 1/2 east 12 1/2 poles to a stone in old road bed; then south 84 1/2 east 32.40 poles to a perimmon; then south 75 east 38 poles to a stone, west edge of old road, J. M. Beane's corner; thence with his line south 38 west 140 poles to a stake and pointers, his corner; thence with Bortler's line to Buffalo Creek, viz: north 4 1/2 west 139.40 poles to perimmon; north 68 1/2 west 28 poles to a stone; north 24 1/2 west 10 poles to center of spring; north 4 1/2 west 28 poles to stone; north 5 1/2 east 18 poles to a stone; north 60 1/2 west 7 1/2 poles to a stake and pointers on south bank of Buffalo Creek; then up the meanders of Buffalo Creek north 48 east 46 poles to meander of creek; thence with his line south 114 poles to the beginning, containing 198 7-10 acres, more or less. This is the same tract of land as that conveyed by E. E. McCraw to R. R. McCraw by deed dated April 20th, 1926 and recorded in book 3-B, page 463, register of deeds of Cleveland county.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of E. R. McCraw and wife, Zula McCraw to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust. A deposit of 10 percent will be required from the purchaser at the sale. This is the 24th day of October, 1931. THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DURHAM, Trustee, Durham, N. C. 4 Oct 24

600 and tobacco 42,000 in the two years.

While Governor Gardner had nothing to say, specifically, about the special session talk, he did suggest that North Carolina had done, in two years, what a dozen other southern states are trying to do by legislation, and has done it voluntarily. Why, he said, inferentially, should North Carolina abandon the live-at-home idea, now deeply imbedded in the thoughts of her farmers and school children, and try legislation with its questionable results.

Also, Governor Gardner's message was shot through with the thought that the ailment is one that needs permanent eradication over a period of years, not a temporary relief from a shot in the arm, which would lull the people back into complacency and self-satisfaction, when the root of the evil had not been touched.

"We must realize in North Carolina," he said, "that we are not up against a temporary dilemma as regards cotton, tobacco, peanuts and potatoes—our main cash crops. We are more than blind if we do not realize that we face permanently changed conditions. We cannot figure out something as a shot in the arm to alleviate our present pain and think that we can permanently cure our troubles. We need not plan some scheme to patch up matters for 1932 and fool ourselves in thinking that we can lapse into the old habit-forming dependence of relying on cotton and tobacco. Any policy of this kind is doomed to failure.

"We have got to think of the long view in North Carolina, rather than the short view, and every act of my administration with respect to agriculture has been based on this policy. Dean Schaub said the other day that he never again expects to see cotton the major crop in North Carolina. The competition of Texas and the Southwest, where cotton is produced without fertilizer, has made it impossible for us to depend upon cotton as we have in the past. And the competition of South Carolina and Georgia has brought about a somewhat similar situation in the case of tobacco and peanuts. It has been said that cotton growing will pass out in North Carolina as rice growing and turpentine did.

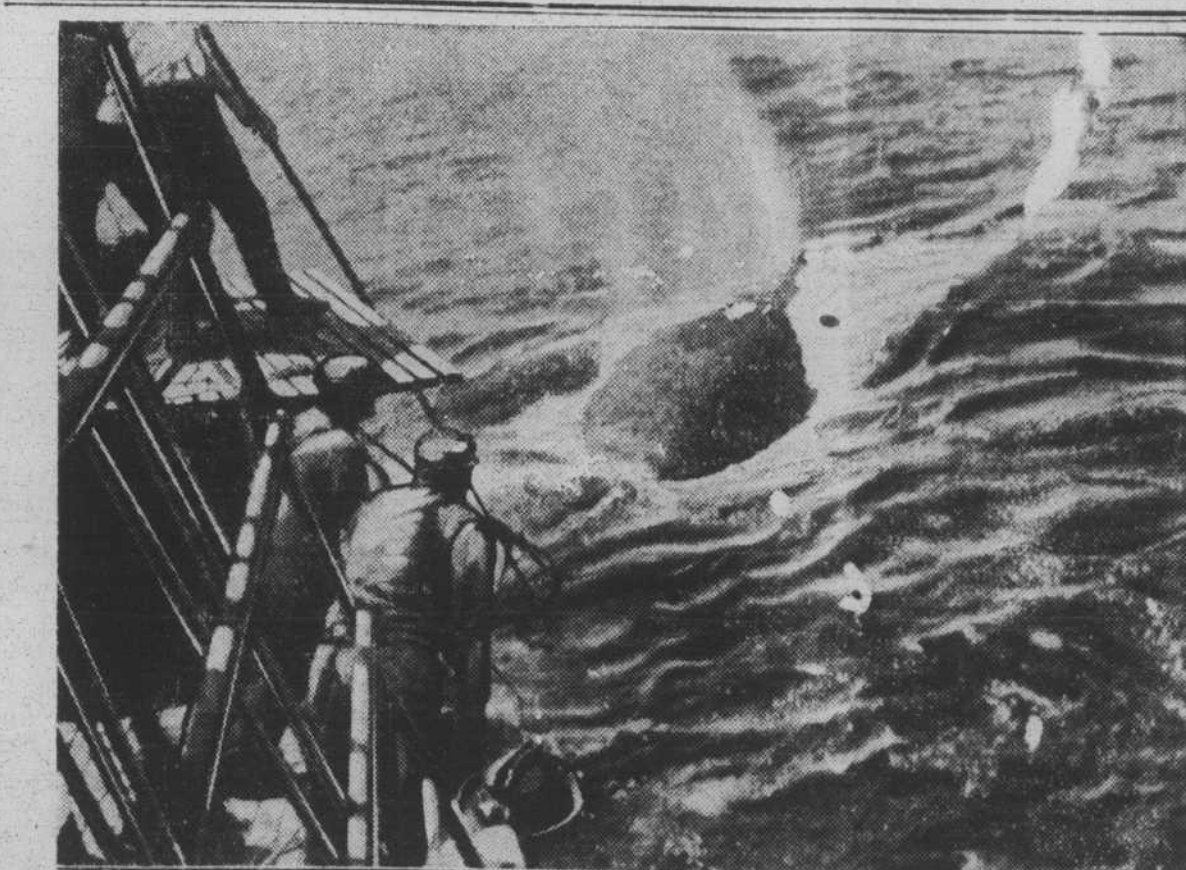
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DR. D. M. MORRISON OPTOMETRIST Woolworth Building, SHELBY, N. C. Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted And Repaired.



LEVIATHAN OF DEEP ARRIVES EARLY WEDNESDAY FOR TWO DAY EXHIBITION AT SOUTHERN RAILROAD Pictured above is one of the greatest action photos ever made, showing the actual harpooning of a whale at sea. Tales of this and other experiences of the deep will be recounted here next Wednesday and Thursday, when the Pacific Whaling Co.'s educational department presents its mammoth whale exhibition at the West Wagon street tracks of the Southern Railway. Captains Harry White and William N. Smith will lecture at short intervals, and they are assisted by a crew of 10 salty gobs, who have hunted the elusive whale in all corners of the globe. Admission for adults is 25 cents, and children 10 cents. The exhibit is always open.

Lame Man Sure Winner In Race For Governorship

Hoodoo Precedent Would Have Helped Brummitt, Jarvis, Gardner, Others Crippled.

(News and Observer) "I know what made Brummitt choose not to run; leastwise, I'm pretty sure I do," averred W. F. Marshall.

"It was a purely personal matter," he continued. "Mr. Brummitt said it right. And that's the bad part of it for me. As soon as I read last summer about his knee being in a collision that shelved him for quite a spell, I climbed right up on the Brummitt platform, counting on the lame member staying lame. Now, he may not suspect it, in the least, but it was the occult influence of that knee getting well but

assisted for years, we must change from one-arm farming—plant production only—to a two-arm system—plant production plus animal production, including poultry, Lespedeza and other great feed crops are preparing the way for this. Why should California supply the great egg market of New York? We are nearer and have as good advantages in every way. Why should Eastern North Carolina be in an area having the fewest cows in the United States.

"I am willing to do everything I can to help the present agricultural situation. This purpose has been the dominating idea of my administration. I recognize that today an emergency exists, and a grave one, but it will never do to recognize it as a temporary emergency. We must permanently change our farming system. The live-at-home farming was the first step. It saves the farmers' income. Aiding farm production to plant production (home grown feeds) must be the next step. It will increase the farmers' income, or, at least take the place of income lost from cotton and tobacco. We must not go into it, but grow into it with our agricultural leadership not only encouraging wise feeding and breeding, but helping develop markets both local and foreign.

"I see no path of permanent escape except through live-at-home farming, supplemented by new sources of income, principally in livestock, dairying and poultry." "In good years, we have bragged about our high rank in crop value, but we have not told our farmers and the world that in livestock value per farmer North Carolina is at the lowest state in the union, but one. In 1920, with 2,500,000 people, North Carolina had fewer hogs, fewer sheep and fewer cattle than we had in 1880, with 1,500,000 people. Yet it is precisely these forms of agricultural production that are paying best now, as compared with cotton and tobacco. Cotton is selling for only 47 percent of pre-war prices; hogs 75 percent; butter 109 percent, and eggs 88 percent.

"We have been money-crop crazy. Now our progressive adult farmers, guided by county agents and agricultural teachers and our 4-H club boys and girls and our vocational agricultural students, must lead us into wiser policies. We must not only live at home, but, as the progressive farmer has in-

factually kept him out of a race he was sure to win if only that knee hadn't convulsed and spoiled everything."

"Did you know you can't beat a crippled man for governor—may beat him for other things, but not for governor. Away back yonder, Governor Jarvis, tall, square-shouldered, impressive, used to talk hard, common sense to the people by hours and gesture with one long arm, while the other, with a whole section of the bone shot out, hung mutes by his side and made more votes than his speech and gesture both put together. And then there was Governor Aycock—he wasn't crippled, but he was a firm believer in lameness as an invincible political asset to its possessor and used to confide to his friends that he'd rather know how to limp like John W. Daniel than to speak like Demos-thenes. Then, you know, there was Governor Kitchin, lame from an accident in early boyhood. And Governor Gardner—remember how, after being in a railroad wreck, he used to limp to the front of the platform and stir the folks up at the conventions in the old city auditorium?"

"Yes, sir; you can't hardly beat a fellow for governor, if he's got a lameness that won't go back on him at a critical moment."

Banks Of Rutherfordford Pay 20% to Creditors

Forest City, Nov. 7.—At a meeting of the officers and directors of the National Bank of Forest City held this week, it was ordered that a dividend of 20 per cent be paid stockholders and checks have been sent out. The National bank was closed recently and taken over by the Union Trust Company, of Forest City, a branch, with headquarters in Shelby. Harry Long was appointed liquidating agent for the National bank to collect outstanding notes. All the depositors have been paid and all creditors except stockholders and there are indications that they will eventually be paid.

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Corpse in Trunk



Here's the latest picture to be found of Hedwig Samuelson, 24, former school teacher, whose body was mutilated, stuffed in a trunk and shipped from Phoenix, Ariz., to Los Angeles. Mrs. Winnie Ruth Judd, 26, wife of Dr. W. C. Judd, gave herself up early Friday night after having hid five days. She confessed the crime which included the similar murder of Agnes Lerol, Phoenix clinic technician.

Piedmont School Honor Roll Given

The following is the honor roll for Piedmont school: First grade—Harry Royster. Second grade—Janice Wallace Pearl Lattimore, Bobby Elmore, J. W. Haynes. Third grade—Dwight Hord, Edwin Wright, Julia Queen. Fourth grade—D. W. Towery, Coy Hunt, Thomas Hord, Mildred Eaker, Georgia Flay McFarland. Fifth grade—Charles Champion, Ralph Eaker, Glennie Lattimore, Rose Mary Eskridge. Sixth grade—Hugh Cornwell, Sam Jr., Eskridge, Ralph Spangler. Seventh grade—Hubert Lee, Mary Lou Southard, Gretchen Duncan, Mattie Sue Elliott, Ruth Richard. Eighth grade—Jack Southard, John D. Hoyle. Ninth grade—Herman Eskridge, J. D. Eskridge, Nancy Beam, D. C. Southard. Tenth grade—Mary Linda Bridges, Janette Miller, Elaine Hoyle, Mary C. Cornwell.

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