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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR WEEK

MAN'S HUMBLE ORIGIN: And the Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living soul.—Gen. 2:7

DO PERQUIMANS WOMEN ENDORSE THIS?

This statement from The Progressive Farmer makes us wonder if the club women of Perquimans County have the same objective in view as a part of their Better Homes programs:

"A declaration destined to bring results in terms of farm home beautification is suggested in this significant message from Miss Lillian Kaller, home improvement specialist of the University of Tennessee Extension Service:

"During 1938 one of the major objectives of the better homes movement is to carry on an intensive campaign to remove signs from farm fences and barns. No city home owner thinks of allowing anyone to tack an advertisement on his garage or fence, yet farm people have their premises covered with tin, paper and cardboard signs. These do not add to the attractiveness of either the farm, home or the highway. Our program calls for elimination, so far as possible, of this ever-increasing flood of cheap, unpaid advertising that lines our highways from town to town, and to beautify the approaches to the towns and cities with grass, shrubs, and native trees."

The above program is one that might well be carried on in every state. Such signs are not only destructive of beauty but may be actual traffic hazards, often obstructing the view of a driver and leading to accidents.

While we might add that signs are not allowed to clutter this county as thoroughly as they mar the beauty of other communities, the ones that are here could be removed to great advantage; constituting a needed improvement. And if it is the intention of the local better homes clubs to bring about a ban on this unsightly practice, then most people are for them—all the way.

GET ACQUAINTED!

The Woman's Club is an institution in which Hertford may well take pride—yet several members of the county's accepted reading public have been heard to say that they didn't even know where the library is located.

That must make the women who are responsible for gathering together this collection of good books feel that their work has in some manner not been fully appreciated.

For several months of painstaking work in the selection of reading material is represented in the library as it now stands, and books for children and grownups alike are there in profusion. The aid of the State Library Commission has been secured and with its help the Woman's Club Library is taking a back seat for no other library in the section.

For the benefit of those persons who do not know the location of the library, where the best books can be had for a nominal fee or no cost at all, the library is housed in the Woman's Club House on West Academy—where Mrs. Brooks Whedbee, librarian, is willing and anxious to help in the selection of any type of material.

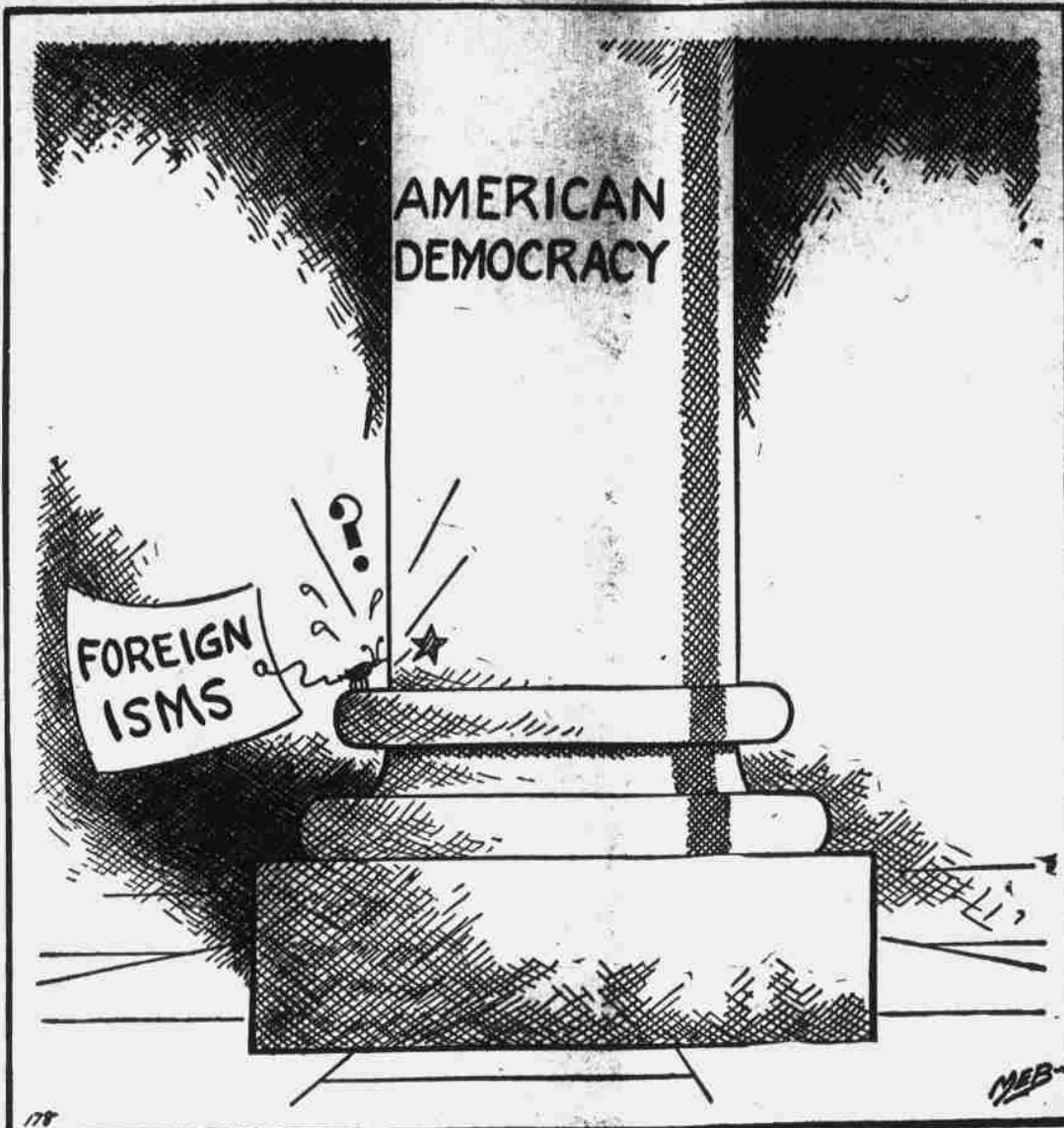
WORTH A TRY

Aren't the thoughts of most of us voiced in this excerpt from "The Economic Outlook," privately printed by Henry G. Weaver, Detroit automobile man, when he says, "call it a 'recession,' call it a 'slump,' call it a 'soft market' or a 'buyers' strike'—call it anything you please—but I kind of wish folks would stop talking to me about it—that is, unless they've got something new to say, or a different way of repeating something that's old.

"As a matter of fact, I wouldn't mind generating a little hard times gossip of my own if I felt it would do any good or even if I thought I might be able to add some constructive contributions along the lines of new rhetorical effects—but that's just the trouble. It seems that all the carious ways of describing a recession were highly perfected and widely circulated almost ten years ago, and now they are becoming a bit hackneyed."

There's really nothing new to say about a recession or slump—so why say anything about it? Mr. Weaver, who is staging a sort of one-man battle against pessimism, says that

The Wood Termite and the Granite Column



SNOW HILL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Gregory, of Woodville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Moody Harrell Friday afternoon.

Miss Beuna Mae Godwin, of Hertford, spent several days recently as the guest of Miss Ida Perry Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Holland Harrell, and Earl Simpson, Jr., of White Hat, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Harrell Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Matthews entertained at dinner Sunday. Those enjoying Mr. and Mrs. Matthews' hospitality were: Mrs. Bessie Nurney and Mrs. Elizabeth Nurney, of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrell, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Benton, Miss Laura Belle Cartwright, Miss Catherine Harrell, Miss Blanche Cartwright, Miss Maxine Harrell, Miss Beuna Mae Godwin, Miss Ida Perry Matthews, Miss Annie Mae Matthews, Ronald Edward Harrell and Walter Ray Benton.

On account of the heavy rain on Sunday night, the Children's Day program will be held at Woodland Church on Sunday night, June 19, at 8 o'clock.

The Snow Hill-White Hat Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Earl Russell on Tuesday, June 21, at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cartwright and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Sawyer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cartwright and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Bessie Hale, at Camden, Tuesday afternoon.

WOODVILLE NEWS

Mrs. Mary Sue Ives and W. E. Bogue were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Pearce, of Newport News, Va., on Sunday.

Mrs. E. R. Whedbee spent Friday with Mrs. M. M. Whedbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and Miss Emma Deal were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deal Saturday evening. Billy Hoggard has returned to Wake Forest College to attend summer school.

Miss Margaret Bogue and W. E. Bogue were in Elizabeth City Thursday.

Little Velma Frances Godfrey was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Deal.

Mrs. C. P. Banks, Misses Jessie Mae and Ruth Banks were guests of Miss Margaret Bogue on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tolar visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. West, of Fayetteville, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin White and children, of Winfall, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey White on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Winslow and son, Leonard, Jr., of Winfall, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bogue.

Mrs. G. P. Poole was the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Humphries, on Thursday.

Miss Mildred Bogue is spending this week at Winfall with her sister.

maybe the best way for him, personally, to help the general situation is to buckle down, dig in and do as good a job of his job as some of the professional pessimists are doing on theirs.

Isn't that about the best thing all of us can do? Like Mr. Weaver, who admits that there are lots of things about his work that he ought to be doing better and a lot of other things that he ought to be doing that he hasn't even begun to do, can't we find room for improvement in our work; whatever it is? Anyway, we can try it.

WHITESTON NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hugh White and baby, Dorcas, of Winston-Salem, Mrs. Claude Walker and baby, Jimmy, of Burlington, are spending several days with Mrs. Mary Jane White.

Misses Johnnie White and Mabel Lane went to Greenville Thursday to attend summer school at E. C. T. C. They were accompanied by Misses Doris and Miriam Lane and Elsberr Lane.

Jesse T. Winslow attended the reunion of the Perry family at Belvidere on Sunday. The occasion was also the birthday anniversary of Eric Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White and children, Evelyn and Thurman, of Belvidere, spent the week-end in Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Winslow and son, Beryl, spent Saturday in Elizabeth City.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Winslow during the week-end were: Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Smith and sons, Adrian, Jr., and Paul, of Bagleys Swamp; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Winslow and children, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Winslow and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Laughinghouse and children, all of Hertford.

Elizabeth Darden, Barbara and Betty Jean Winslow spent several days last week with Miss Winnie Winslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Weeks, of Elizabeth City, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Winslow.

Willard Baker, of Norfolk, Va., was at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker, for the week-end.

CROSS ROADS

Mrs. A. B. Hollowell and son, Asa, Misses Esther Elliott, Margaret Jackson Cooke and Ruth Cooke, of Aulander, and Robert Winborne, of Suffolk, Va., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winborne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Elliott were supper guests of Miss May Warren, in Edenton, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Sutton and baby, of Suffolk, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. John White, of Cowpen Neck, visited Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Jordan, Sr., Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hollowell, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Leary spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hollowell.

Miss Lois Savage is attending summer school at the University of Tennessee.

David Byrum, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Byrum, is attending summer school at Wake Forest College.

Miss Henrietta Hollowell, of White Plains, N. Y., is here visiting relatives for a month.

Herbert Hollowell, Jr., spent Sunday with Carlyle Hollowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hollowell and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hollowell Sunday afternoon.

Miss Pennie Hollowell, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hollowell, is now with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hollowell.

Miss Pattie Perry is attending summer school at Wake Forest College.

Miss Myrtle Twine visited Mrs. E. N. Elliott Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Hughes Bunch visited Mrs. C. J. Hollowell Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Warner Madre and baby, of Hertford, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Privott, of Center Hill, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Privott.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Privott and family, of Greenhall, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dan Privott Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wiggins and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest

Privott and baby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Harrell, in Brayhall.

Mrs. Ernest Privott and baby have returned from a few days' visit with relatives in Portsmouth, Va.

Mrs. Charlie Blanchard and Miss Helen Blanchard visited Mrs. Ed Byrum, Miss Marnie Byrum, Mrs. W. H. Winborne and Miss Sara Winborne Monday afternoon.

Miss Mary Winborne Evans has returned from a visit with Miss Frances Evans, at Manteo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hollowell and son visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Leary, Sr., in Rocky Hock, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Perry, of Rocky Hock, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winborne Sunday afternoon.

Huge Losses Are Due To Disease In Swine

Keeping swine free from diseases and parasites is one of the biggest problems in hog production.

Heavy losses are suffered by North Carolina farmers whose pigs are stunted by diseases and parasites, said Dr. C. D. Grinnells, veterinarian at the N. C. Agricultural Experiment Station.

Since some of the diseases are hard to cure, and may prove fatal in a large number of cases, the best method of disease control is to keep the swine from getting infected.

A clean pasture for the hogs to range in is much better than an old hog lot, and particularly a muddy lot.

Outbreaks of infectious enteritis, or "necro," becomes a serious threat in warm, damp weather, Dr. Grinnells warned. This disease kills many pigs, and stunts others so they cannot grow into profitable hogs.

The organisms which cause enteritis multiply rapidly in warm, damp weather, and lurk in muddy lots where they can attack whole herds in a short time.

Sometimes hogs suffering with enteritis have been vaccinated with hog cholera serum and virus. Dr. Grinnells urged farmers not to do this, because the serum and virus are for treating cholera and no other disease.

"If you are not sure what is the matter with your pigs, consult a county agent or a veterinarian," he suggested.

Merchants Of State Meet At Blowing Rock

Blowing Rock, in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains, will be the meeting place for the 38th annual convention of the North Carolina Merchants Association on June 20-21.

The program for the convention will be one of constructive worth, excellence and timeliness, according to Willard L. Dowell, executive secretary of the State Merchants Association, who states that "the speakers for the occasion will be men of state and national reputation who are outstanding in their chosen vocations and who speak with authority on the problems confronting retailers."

"The convention offers a combination of business, education and pleasure" continued Mr. Dowell, "for in addition to an exceedingly beneficial business program, there will be an abundance of splendid entertainment provided for all those attending."

Bottle Trees as Homes
Nature has made some really amazing structures, not the least of which are the bottle trees used as homes by the Toborocho, a tribe in Brazil. A little hollowing by crude tools and the trees make comfortable homes, but are themselves unharmed.

Produces Underground Flowers
The fringed milkwort has a crop of underground flowers capable of producing seeds, even though its purplish-rose blossoms, growing above the soil, have been picked.

To My Friends In the First District

The official count released Wednesday, the 15th, by the State Board of Elections shows my opponent in the lead by 246 out of a total vote of 22,410. I carried seven of the ten counties, and, exclusive of the vote in Pasquotank and Chowan, received 8,871 and my opponent 7,598, or a majority of 1,273 votes in the district at large. Pasquotank voted 4,193 and Chowan 1,711, a difference of 2,482 votes. The unprecedented vote in Pasquotank was responsible for the margin of 246.

Though it would afford me keen satisfaction, I cannot hope to thank each of you in person, but I do wish you to know I shall always remember and ever cherish the fine loyalty of my friends in my own county of Chowan and throughout the District and desire to express to each my sincere and deep appreciation for the support given me and the many kindnesses shown me, for which I shall ever be grateful.

Faithfully yours,

HERBERT LEARY

Don't Forget Dad . . .



Next Sunday Is Father's Day

He's a pretty good guy . . . and believe it or not, he's a "softie" . . . he's expecting a gift from you next Sunday! Why not double his joy of receiving your gift by getting it at his favorite store . . . SIMON'S? In all probability we know his size and his particular taste for clothing. Stop in today to be sure you don't forget Dad.

Gift Suggestions

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| Smart New Ties..... | 25c to 95c | Hats | \$1.00 to \$3.50 |
| Pajamas | \$1.00 to \$1.98 | Shoes | \$2.00 to \$5.00 |
| Shirts | 50c to \$1.95 | Wash Pants | \$1.00 to \$3.50 |
| Silk Hose | 10c to 25c | Belts | 25c to 95c |

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