

### THEY DID THE WORK

Weather doesn't mean anything to J. E. Merz, Indianapolis motorcycle dealer, because when his home city is mantled in snow, he just puts his family in his side-car and travels.

### Old Folks Should Watch Colds

IF YOU have passed middle age, you should be careful to keep from letting a bad cold develop into something serious like the flu. Stop every cold before it gets a start. You can feel perfectly safe if you keep a package of

### LIGHTNING LAXATIVE QUININE TABLETS

Will Not Grip or Sicken with you, and take them when you feel a cold coming on. Thousands of particular people have found them a perfect remedy for colds, mild forms of influenza, etc. Will not grip or sicken. Ask your druggist or dealer. They cost only 25 cents a package.

where the weather suits him. He has just returned from a delightful trip to Jacksonville during which he had many interesting experiences with mud, sand and southern hotels. One strip of deep sand for 70 miles, from Waycross to Jacksonville, termed "The Oasis" was reported to be the terror of the south. Mr. Merz was warned not to attempt to negotiate it. While he admits it was tough going and that he does not care to attempt it again, his Good-year tires gave such traction that he came through with flying colors. He met three automobiles that were in difficulty and says the driver looked at him in amazement for his apparent hardihood.

An Argentine horseman paid \$265,000 for Tracery, a famous American-bred stallion.

### SOCIETY DOINGS

#### Club Calendar

**Wednesday.**  
Ladies' Shakespeare Club—Mrs. Arthur Suttles.

**Thursday.**  
Mite Society—Dollar Social—M. E. Church.  
Root Township Home Economics Club—Mrs. C. D. Kunkle.  
Evangelical Aid—Sunday School Room.

Christian Ladies' Aid—Mrs. Noah Mangold.  
Eastern Star—Masonic Hall.

**Friday.**  
Queen Esther Mite Box—Mrs. John T. Myers.

Easter Bazaar, Christian Ladies' Aid at G. C. Steele's Store.  
Zion Lutheran Aid Society—School House.

Queen Esthers—Mrs. John T. Myers.  
Pocahontas Needle Club—Lodge room.

**Monday.**  
Research Club—Mrs. Nellie Blackburn.

The members of the Pocahontas Needle club will be entertained Friday evening after lodge at their hall. Hostesses will be Mesdames Irene Steele, Rebecca Rabbit and Roy Miller. All members are urged to be present.

The members of the Birthday Dinner club held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Burt Mangold. The usual dinner was enjoyed at 7 o'clock, and the evening spent in a social way. Mrs. Edna Carson was a guest other than the club members. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Peoples on North Third street.

The Methodist choir will meet Thursday evening at 6:45 o'clock at the church instead of Friday evening as was first announced. All members are requested to take notice to be present at the meeting.

An interesting meeting of the Research club was held Monday afternoon with Mrs. R. D. Myers as hostess. Mrs. O. L. Vance had a very good paper on "Bolshevism" and "Problems of the Day" was the subject of discussion under current events. Miss Nellie Blackburn will be hostess next week.

Regular meeting of Eastern Star Thursday evening. All officers are urged to be present. Important business.

Silas Beltz entertained friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Shaffer of Bobo Monday evening.

### INDICTMENT RETURNED

Trenton, N. J., March 24.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—An indictment of 56 counts alleging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law was returned in the U. S. court here this afternoon by the grand jury against Colgate & Company, New Jersey makers of soap and other toilet articles.

### REJECT OFFER

(United Press Service)  
London, Mar. 24.—(Special to Daily Democrat)—The miners federation of Great Britain has voted unanimously to reject the government's offer for a wage increase of one shilling six pence a day. The miners held to their demand for an increase of three shillings a day.

### ROCKED TO SLEEP

An old darkey went to the judge and wanted to have his wife arrested for rocking him to sleep.  
"Why man," said the judge, "you can't have your wife arrested for rocking you to sleep."  
"That's all right, judge," replied the darkey, "but you should have seen the rock."

### MOTHERS DO THIS

When the Children Cough, Rub Musterole on Throats and Chests

No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole at hand to give prompt, sure relief. It does not blister. As first aid and a certain remedy, Musterole is excellent. Thousands of mothers know it. You should keep a jar in the house, ready for instant use. It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuritis, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, chilblains, frosted feet and colds of the chest. (It often prevents pneumonia.) 30c and 60c jars, hospital size \$2.50



### BOLSHEVISTS BLAMED FOR PROPAGANDA

Bolshevists are blamed for the hysteria-breeding propaganda which has been sweeping through parts of Africa and from which the native population is only now recovering.

An account of the circumstance has just been received by Northern Baptists at their headquarters in this city, from Dr. W. H. Leslie, Baptist Missionary of Vanga.

"A report came that a new fetish spirit animal was abroad in the land, coming from the west," writes Dr. Leslie. "It was said to have the face of a white man, the forelegs and breast of a cat, and the cry of a bird. It brought sure death to the towns it visited."

"White was a special attraction to it, so word was sent throughout the whole country to get rid of everything white. Beads, bracelets and guns were also attractions and must be disposed of. This sounded quite Bolshevistic. Yet strangely enough it was accepted as truth almost everywhere and people slaughtered or sold goats, ducks, chickens, dogs; in fact all animals or fowls that had any white on them. Some even came from the inland towns to throw their guns into the Kulu river. The people in the villages nearest us inquired about the spirit animal, were reassured and saved their livestock. When some villages refused to credit the rumor, the mania was stayed and the country is becoming rational once more."

The readiness with which the native Africans give their ear to all manner of superstition has been of the most difficult obstacles in the path of the mission worker, according to Dr. Leslie. In the New World Movement program, for which Northern Baptists will raise \$100,000,000 from April 25 to May 2, provision has been made for a campaign of education which will eventually bring enlightenment to every corner of the Dark Continent.

### NOTICE!

All persons desiring, or who are selling milk, cream or buttermilk in Decatur must have a license in order to comply with the city ordinance. HWS City Board of Health.

Relatives of dead American soldiers who desire the removal of the dead from France will be accommodated by the United States and French governments. There are now 17,000 zinc-lined coffins at Brest for the purpose.

Are you ready for that plastering and stucco? If you are, give me a call. Will also patch. Plastering work guaranteed. Several years' experience. CHAS. AULT, 230 South 12th street. 70-16 162 2nd St.

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## The After Effects of Pneumonia

This is No. 2 of a series of advertisements, prepared by a competent physician, explaining how certain diseases which attack the air passages—such as Pneumonia, Influenza, Whooping Cough, Measles or even a long continued Cold—often leave these organs in an inflamed, congested state, thus affording a favorable foothold for invading germs. And how Vick's VapoRub may be of value in this condition.

Pneumonia attacks the air cells of the lungs. An inflammation is set up and matter is thrown off which causes the air cells to solidify, thus preventing the natural flow of blood thru the lungs. This "backing up" of the blood causes the heart to pump harder, just as stepping on a hose increases the water pressure, which is the reason why, during this disease, the physician watches the overburdened heart so carefully.

After recovery the lungs are filled with a mass of wreckage—the debris of the battle—which must be gotten rid of by a process known as resolution. Frequently, inflamed spots remain, congestion persists, cough hangs on, and the least exposure brings on a cold that is hard to get rid of. If neglected, such damaged air passages may easily develop serious disease of the lungs.

Such cases should always continue under a physician's care and frequent examinations should be made to see that nature is

properly continuing the rebuilding process.

Nightly applications of Vick's VapoRub will aid nature in this work. Because Vicks acts locally by stimulation thru the skin to draw out the inflammation, attract the blood away from the congested spots and relieve the cough. In addition, the medicinal ingredients of Vicks are vaporized by the body heat. These vapors are breathed in all night long, thus bringing the medication to bear directly upon the inflamed areas.

Vicks should be rubbed in over the throat and chest until the skin is red—then spread on thickly and covered with hot flannel cloths. Leave the clothing loose around the neck and the bed clothes arranged in the form of a funnel so the vapors arising may be freely inhaled. If the cough is annoying, swallow a small bit of Vicks the size of a pea.

Samples to new users will be sent free on request to the Vick Chemical Company, 232 Broad Street, Greensboro, N. C.

30c  
60c  
\$1.20

## VICK'S VapoRub

Your Bodyguard Against Colds

More Than 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

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Threaded Rubber Insulation eliminates the need of re-insulation, makes a battery last much longer under equal conditions, and reduces the liability to any other kind of repairs.

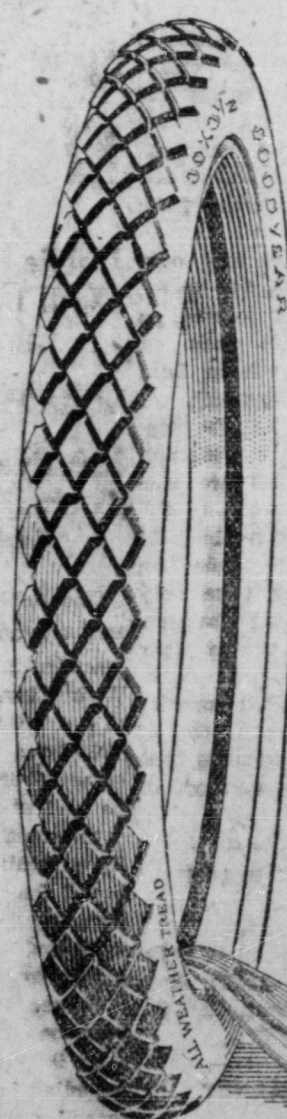
It's the one biggest battery improvement in ten years—demonstrated now by four years of use.

You can't afford not to know about it, for some day you'll need a new battery.

Call and let us tell you all about it.

HOLTHOUSE GARAGE

## Get Goodyear Tire Economy for That Smaller Car



Just as owners of the highest-priced automobiles get greater mileage and economy out of Goodyear Tires, so can the owners of smaller cars similarly enjoy Goodyear advantages.

The 30x3, 30x3½, and 31x4-inch sizes of Goodyear Tires are built to afford a money's worth in performance and satisfaction which only the utmost in experience, resources and care can produce.

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Go to the nearest Goodyear Service Station Dealer for Goodyear Tires for your Ford, Chevrolet, Dort, Maxwell, or other cars taking these sizes. He is ready to supply you Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes at the same time.

30x3½ Goodyear Double-Cure Fabric, All-Weather Tread..... \$23.50  
30x3½ Goodyear Single-Cure Fabric, Anti-Skid Tread..... \$21.50

Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes are thick, strong tubes that reinforce casings properly. Why risk a good casing with a cheap tube? Goodyear Heavy Tourist Tubes cost little more than tubes of less merit. 30x3½ size in water..... \$4.50 proof bag

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