Scoop, The Cub Reporter

ALL HE KNOWS IS HIS NAME IS SCOOP

By "Hop"

ONE CENT A WORD

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WANTED

SHAVING 10c at 1929 4th ave. 11-29-tf

WE sharpen safety razor blades better than new, 25c dozen. Send them parcel post. Robert Prowell Stove Co., Birmingham, Ala. 5-14-tf

WE buy second hand clothes, shoes, for cash. Phone 1581. 2116 Second. 1-20-tf

FREE dental work, 1 to 4 p. m. Dental College, Ave. F and 20th st. 10-8-tf

WANTED—People who wear glasses to send their broken glasses here and save money by dealing direct with the man who grinds them. Send glasses by parcel post or call personally; accuracy guaranteed. J. H. Stanton, Manufacturing Optician, Woolworth Bldg., 19th st. and 3d ave., Birmingham, Ala. 11-6-5t

FREE dental work, 1 to 4 p. m. Dental College, Ave. F and 20th st. 10-8-tf

WANTED—To buy several hundred bushels good, sound whipporwill peas for shipment by December; will pay draft from responsible parties; mail samples and quote prices. Address J. T. Walker, broker, Memphis, Tenn. 11-8-6t

WANTED—Furniture to repair, reveneer and refinish; broken and lost parts replaced; special work made to order; 30 years experience with leading firms in east and north. Call Main 7156-W. 11-8-3t

WANTED—A well trained young goat. Wagon and harness also, if in good condition. Address A-86, care Age-Herald. 11-8-2t

GLUCK'S DRY CLEANING CO. Cleaning, pressing, repairing, altering, hats renovated and blocked. 1713 3d Ave. Phone Main 2372. 1-8-tf-we-th-fr-mo

SITUATION WANTED

WANTED—Position by bright young lady as stenographer or cashier; experienced in both lines. Address W-78, care Age-Herald. 10-30-tf

WANTED—Position by thorough and capable business woman, well experienced in stenography and general office work; a trial will demonstrate my efficiency. Phone Main 5814-W. 11-7-2t

WANTED—Work; 56 years of age; active, neat, sober and capable; know the city thoroughly; clerk, porter, watchman, yardman, dishwasher, anything you will offer. Address Urgent, care Age-Herald. 11-8-3t

FRENCHMAN and wife, first class cooks, want situation; good references; was chef at Ridgely apartments for six months; French cooking is very economical; can run hotel or restaurant. Christinet, 127½ 20th st., south. 11-8-3t

POSITION wanted by young married man as collector or anything steady; must have work and will work for any reasonable salary; best of references. Address U-85, care Age-Herald. 11-8-3t

WANTED—Copying to do; will typewrite form letters, 2c each. Main 3642-W. 11-5-5t-eod

BY a woman of experience and ability, giving best of reference, a situation as matron in college, hotel or some other institution requiring the services of a first-class matron. Address Dadeville, Ala., Route No. 1, Box 37. 11-7-3t-sa-mo-tu

MALE STENOGRAPHER—Several years' experience, desires position; best references furnished. Address C-85, care Age-Herald. 11-7-2t-sat-mo

WALLACE NELSON, a colored man, desires cook job or butler or any kind of work; good recommendation. Call at 1920 6th ave., north. 11-7-2t-sat-mo

WANTED—Position by young white woman as housekeeper in private home; necessary that I have employment at once; references. Address E-86, care Age-Herald, or phone Main 4119-W. 11-9-3t

WANTED—Position as hotel housekeeper, experienced. Address M. L. Severs, 1911 Park ave., Birmingham, Ala. 11-9-3t

NORTHERN lady wishes position as housekeeper, with elderly couple preferred. Can furnish good reference. Address A-85, care Age-Herald. 11-9-2t

WANTED—BOARDERS

PARTIES willing to pay good price for good board, with comforts of home, hot water, furnace heat, large room, limited number. Apply 2177 Highland ave. Phone 2338-J. 9-24-tf

EXCELLENT board and room on three car lines; modern home, South Highlands; garage if desired. Main 1825. 11-8-2t

TO young men or business ladies, beautiful room in delightful South Highlands home on South Highland car line; two excellent meals served. Phone Main 4064. 11-8-8t

BEST room and board can be found by desirable parties at rates to suit the times. 1120 11th ave., S. Main 4556-W. 11-8-7t

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

FREE dental work, 1 to 4 p. m. Dental College, Ave. F and 20th st. 10-8-tf

SALESLADIES wanted in this city to sell our new Elastic Top Petticoats; make $30 to $40 a week; write for particulars. Dept. M. The Fox Garment Co., Lansing, Mich. 11-8-3t

WANTED—10 good salesladies to work a house-to-house proposition for one of the largest retail grocery stores in city. Apply in person between 8:30 a. m. and noon Monday or Tuesday at 1223 Jefferson County Bank Bldg. 11-8-2t

LOST—STRAYED—STOLEN

LOST—At Rickwood park on afternoon November 7, one gold loop earring; finder will please call Miss Belle Roberts at Main 4044. 11-9-2t

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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The Birmingham Upholstering company has opened at 2104 Ave. B, and is prepared to do high-class automobile and furniture upholstering and furniture finishing. Reasonable and absolute satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Phone Main 6431. 11-6-7t

KODAKS

FILMS developed, 10c per roll. Prints 3c and 4c each. Prompt attention and work the best. Covell Co. 5-31-tf

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FOR SALE

TALK WITH ALAN JEMISON. 1003 Jeff Co. Bank Bldg. 8-8-tf

E. J. BURNS CO. REAL ESTATE. PHONE 708. 10-4-tf

WE will build you a home. Birmingham Building and Imp. Co., 414-15-16 American Trust Bldg. 1-16-tf

CONSUMERS, buy your eggs from the country and save money and get fresh eggs. I send six dozen by parcel post for $1.50. T. B. Heard, Moulton, Ala., Route 3. 11-7-8t

FOR SALE at a sacrifice, northeast corner Ave. C and 26th st., Ensley; lot 150x150, new improved, seven cottages renting for $1260 per year; price $8750; $4000 cash, balance easy; room for other improvements. Minge, 924 Jefferson Bank Bldg. 11-1-3t-su-mo-we

FOR SALE—One of the best farms in Alabama, on the main pike 4 miles south of Bessemer; has 85 acres practically level; 50 acres in cultivation, balance woodland; no waste land; plenty of water; close to good school and church; one-quarter mile of railroad station, telephone, daily mail; good 8-room house; good barn and outbuildings; fine orchard. If you are looking for a real farm, this is it. Address J. P. King, Bessemer, Ala., R. F. D. No. 3, Box 171. 11-8-3t

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Several nicely furnished rooms, $2.50 to $3.50 per week, hot and cold water, and all modern convenience; could arrange for very light housekeeping. 2113 5th ave. 10-13-tf

THE AVALON—Warm, pleasant, outside rooms; modern conveniences; moderate prices; baths free. 2100 5th ave. 7-12-tf

NATIONAL HOUSE, 209½ N. 22d st., rooms from 25c up. 10-23-30t

TWO connecting rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping; $16 per month; also two connecting unfurnished rooms, $12.50 per month; every convenience and close in. 825 N. 20th st. 11-5-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room in Southside home. 1615 10th Ave., S. 11-5-4t

NEW 21st St. hotel; 110½ 21st st., N.; clean rooms, 50c, 75c, $1; special rates by week; clean management. 11-5-7t

NEATLY furnished bedroom, also housekeeping apartments, thoroughly modern; furnace and grate heat, nicely furnished, well kept home; special rates to permanent tenants. 2213 7th ave. 11-5-4t

ROOMS FOR RENT—2 rooms, light housekeeping, $4; bedroom, $2.50 week. 2130 5th ave. Phone 4252-W. 11-7-3t

BACHELOR room, $12.50 furnished complete, tile bath, furnace heat. Richmond Apartment, 2030 Highland ave. Phone 3520 or 7550. 11-8-7t

MONEY TO LEND

TALK WITH ALAN JEMISON. Main 100. 8-8-tf

WE negotiate loans and sell real estate. Can handle desirable farm loans. Malone-McConnell Co., 2106 1st ave. 10-29-tf

REAL ESTATE loans to suit you in amount, terms and interest; can pay back monthly or yearly; will take second mortgage. John W. Prude, 106 N. 22d st. Bell Phone 240. 10-16-tf

MONEY to lend on close in improved property. Leonard-Riley Co., 725 Woodward. 11-5-tf

MONEY to lend at 6 per cent on close-in business and residence property. Carle & Wright, 309-10 Woodward Bldg. 11-7-3t

MONEY TO LEND. We are prepared to make loans on approved stocks and bonds for term of from one to six months. W. B. LEEDY REAL ESTATE & INS. CO. 11-7-3t

DOGS

BIRD DOGS for sale; good covey and single bird dogs; good retrievers and good all-around dogs; English pointers, males, $35; females, $30; English and Lewellyn setters, males, $40; females, $35; we allow five days' trial; dogs not satisfactory refund money; Pennsylvania, Beagle, black and tan and Redbone hounds, trained for scons, 'possums and cats, $17.50 each; $35 per pair. Allow 10 days' trial on hounds. Good tree, strike and trail dogs. The Southland Kennels, Macon, Ga. 10-25-30t

HOTELS

HOTEL MASON 2016 5th Ave. Cleanest and brightest rooms in city Hot and cold running water. Baths free. HOME COMFORTS—HOTEL SERVICE 9-27-tf

FARM LANDS

FARMS ANYWHERE IN ALABAMA For Sale by INGRAM REALTY COMPANY, Empire Bldg. Phone Main 1197. 9-29-tf

STOVE REPAIRING

STOVE repairing, lowest prices, work guaranteed, experienced workmen; let us get your heaters and ranges in shape for winter. Phone the Miller Stove Works. Main 6626. 11-3-tf

AUTOMOBILES

WANT to trade a diamond ring, valued at $950, for an automobile. Call Main 3207-W.

LEGAL NOTICES

In the District Court of the United States for the Northern District of Alabama, Southern Division.

Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Bank, trustee, vs. Lacey-Buck Iron Co., et al., in equity No. 241.

Public notice is hereby given that under and in pursuance to a decree entered in the above entitled cause on October 31, 1914, the undersigned special master commissioner appointed by said decree, will at 12 o'clock noon on Saturday, December 5, 1914, at the Third avenue front door of the courthouse of Jefferson county, Alabama, in Birmingham, Ala., sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder and in pursuance to the terms of said decree those certain lands and properties described in said decree and generally known as the Trussville furnace property, and the Labuco and Graves mines, situated in Jefferson county, Alabama, and the Crudup mine properties situated in Etowah county, Alabama, and all formerly belonging to the Lacey-Buck Iron company. Reference is hereby made to said decree for a specific legal description of said properties and the terms and conditions of said sale. Under the terms of said decree no bid will be received for said properties from any bidder who shall not first have deposited with the undersigned at the time of said sale $15,000 in cash, or, a certified check for said amount drawn on some bank or trust company having a capital and surplus of not less than $1,000,000. In event any bid is accepted the deposit made by the successful bidder will be applied upon the purchase price, and the deposit made by any unsuccessful bidder will be returned to him at the time of sale. Any successful bidder may pay in part of the purchase price with bonds of the Lacey-Buck Iron company, as proved in said decree.

Dated at Birmingham, Ala., November 2, 1914. A. R. FORSYTH, Special Master Commissioner., Brown-Marx Building, Birmingham, Ala. MAYER, MEYER, AUSTRIAN & PLATT, Chicago, Ill.; ALEXANDER W. CHAMBLISS, Chattanooga, Tenn., Attorneys for Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings bank, Trustees. PERCY, BENNERS & BURR, Birmingham, Ala., Attorneys for Defendants in Said Cause. 11-2-9-16-23

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS, BIRMINGHAM

The following schedule figures are published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

BIRMINGHAM TERMINAL STATION

Southern Railway

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
23	New York	12:20 pm	30	New York	9:00 am
29	New York	5:45 pm	24	New York	4:00 pm
11	Atlanta	5:20 am	12	Atlanta	12:15 am
23	Atlanta	12:20 pm	40	Atlanta	6:30 am
29	Atlanta	5:45 pm	30	Atlanta	9:00 am
39	Atlanta	10:00 pm	24	Atlanta	4:00 pm
16	Columbus	11:15 am	11	Greenville	6:45 am
12	Greenville	7:55 pm	19	Mobile-Selma	7:00 am
28	Selma	11:35 am	27	Selma	4:40 pm
26	Mobile-Selma	7:00 pm	15	Columbus	3:45 pm
23	Jacksonville	12:20 pm	24	Jacksonville	4:00 pm

Queen & Crescent Route
A. G. S. R. R.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
1	Cincinnati	10:05 pm	1	Shr'pt & N. O.	10:15 pm
2	New Orleans	6:10 am	2	Cin. & N. Y.	8:20 am
3	Cincinnati	10:15 am	3	New Orleans	10:20 am
4	New Orleans	6:00 pm	4	Cincinnati	6:05 pm
5	Chattanooga	11:38 am	5	Meridian	4:10 pm
21	Chattanooga	9:00 pm	6	Chattanooga	4:00 pm
6	Meridian	10:50 am	22	Chattanooga	5:05 am
12	Meridian	11:35 pm	11	Meridian	5:30 am

Frisco Lines

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
105	Kansas City	3:50 pm	106	Kansas City	12:30 pm
103	Kansas City	6:15 am	104	Kansas City	10:30 pm
925	Amory	10:15 am	926	Amory	3:25 pm
921	Memphis	5:55 pm	922	Memphis	7:00 am

Central of Ga. Ry.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
1	Macon	10:10 pm	2	Macon	7:00 am
2	Jacksonville	12:15 pm	10	Jacksonville	4:35 pm
3	Savannah	12:01 pm	4	Savannah	3:50 pm

BIRMINGHAM TERMINAL STATION

Seaboard Air Line Ry.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
5	New York	10:00 pm	6	New York	7:15 am
11	New York	12:15 pm	12	New York	3:00 pm
23	Atlanta	9:20 pm	22	Atlanta	8:00 am

Illinois Central Ry.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
9	Chicago	4:05 pm	10	Chicago	12:45 pm

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE STATION

L. & N. R. R.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
1	Cincinnati	8:52 am	1	New Orleans	9:00 am
2	New Orleans	12:10 pm	2	Cincinnati	12:22 pm
3	Cincinnati	3:25 pm	3	New Orleans	3:40 pm
4	New Orleans	8:37 pm	4	Cincinnati	8:45 pm
*5	Decatur	7:30 pm	*6	Decatur	6:15 am
7	Cincinnati	8:50 am	7	Montgomery	4:05 am
8	New Orleans	11:53 pm	8	Cincinnati	12:01 am
10	Montgomery	7:15 pm	9	Montgomery	6:20 am
12	Montgomery	10:45 am	11	Montgomery	3:50 pm
*13	Decatur	10:15 am	14	Decatur	4:00 pm

Birmingham Mineral

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
39	Praco	5:15 pm	38	Praco	8:25 am
48	Tuscaloosa	11:10 am	41	Blocton	6:30 am
42	Blocton	7:25 pm	49	Blocton	2:55 pm
45	Anniston	10:40 am	44	Anniston	3:40 pm
47	Anniston	6:50 pm	46	Anniston	8:35 am
102	Tuscaloosa	5:50 pm	101	Tuscaloosa	7:00 a.m.

A., B. & A.

No.	Arrive from—		No.	Depart to—	
23	Roanoke	11:30 am	26	Manchester	7:30 am
25	Manchester	6:00 pm	24	Roanoke	4:15 pm

Trains marked thus (*) run daily except Sunday. Other trains run daily. Central time.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A Fine Krell-French upright piano, mahogany case. I gave $325, will sell for $165; practically as good as new. Address B-86, care Age-Herald. 11-8-3t

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, northeast corner Ave. C and 26th st., Ensley; lot 150x150, new improved, seven cottages renting for $1260 per year; price, $8750; $4000 cash, balance easy; room for other improvements. Minge, 924 Jefferson Bank Bldg. 11-8-3t-su-mo-wed

FARM BARGAIN.

400 acres well improved, 3 miles from railroad station, 36 miles from Birmingham. Price $3500. Terms or part trade. J. L. Kelley, 225 Jefferson Co. Bank. Main 1715. 11-8-3t

FOR SALE. FOUNTAIN HEIGHTS COTTAGE 6-room, modern bungalow, ½ block car line. Will take vacant lot as cash payment, balance easy. LESTER & FAIN, 2107 3rd Ave. Main 74

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Indian motocycle, recently overhauled, '12 model, 7 H. P. What have you to offer? Address C-86, care Age-Herald. 11-8-3t

SALE OF SURFACE OF INDIAN LANDS. IN EASTERN OKLAHOMA BY UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

THERE will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at different railroad points in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations in eastern Oklahoma, from November 16, 1914, to December 2, 1914, the surface of approximately 375,000 acres of Indian segregated coal and asphalt lands, at not less than certain minimum prices. One person can purchase not exceeding 160 acres of agricultural or 640 acres of grazing land. Bids may be submitted in person or by mail or by authorized agents. Residence on land not required. Terms, 25 per cent cash, 25 per cent within one year and the balance within two years, with 5 per cent interest from date of sale. Where houses or other improvements are located on the lands the same will be sold, with the land, at appraised value. Improvements to be paid for in full at time of sale. The coal and asphalt underlying these lands will not be sold with the surface, except where authorized. Where the coal and asphalt are to be sold with the surface descriptive circulars will so state. For maps and full information communicate with the Superintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla. CATO SELLS, Commissioner of Indian Affairs. 9-7-10t-mo

WANTED—HELP

$10 TO $15 per week copying letters at home; stamped envelope for reply. Multi-Copy, 1073 Rayborn, Memphis, Tenn. 10-30-15t

WANTED—Railway mail and postal clerks; examinations soon; over 2000 appointments yearly; prepare at home; write for plan No. 36 of payment after appointment. Philadelphia Business College, Civil Service Dept., Philadelphia, Pa. 11-4-30t

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR Thanksgiving fruit cake: Sherry wine, 50c quart; brandy, 75c and $1 quart. Phone Main 3003. J. C. Marks Liquor Co., wholesale. 2024 2d ave. 11-7-7t-sa-mo-we

FOR RENT—ROOMS

COUPLE who own modern home on West End car line will rent three rooms and bath completely furnished for housekeeping; linen, electric lights, water and telephone. 1018 Tuscaloosa ave. 11-8-2t

FOR RENT—Entire upstairs for housekeeping, 1720 8th ave., north. Phone Main 7697. 11-4-2t

FOR RENT. Three or 4 beautiful rooms, with all modern conveniences; private bath; in best part of Norwood, one-half block car line; price reasonable. Call Main 2299-J. 11-6-3t

NICELY furnished front rooms; house screened, hot baths at all hours; price reasonable. 2212 4th ave., north. 9-8-tf

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping in new, modern bungalow; furnace heated. 2016 15th ave., North Highlands. Phone Main 7858-W. 11-8-2t

BEAUTIFUL large front room, private bath, suitable for two gentlemen or couple; very light, sunny and reasonable. 709½ N. 19th st. 11-8-3t

FOR RENT—Three nice, unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, South Highlands; cheap rent if taken at once. 1628 13th ave., S. Main 8447.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Large, 3-story store, facing 50 feet; 1805-07 1st ave., extending back to Morris ave. and L. and N. tracks; large, modern electric elevator. F. L. Demere, 1917½ 1st ave., Potter Bldg. Phone Main 1779. 11-4-5t

FOR RENT—Large, roomy garage, with light and water, at 2177 Highland ave. Phone Main 2398-J. 6-24-tf

FOR RENT—Cheap; store, 2119 1st ave.; excellent location; well lighted; suitable for retail or wholesale business or offices. Macke Real Estate and Investment Co., 2119½ 1st ave. 10-2-tf

FAMILY apartment, Highland ave.; front porch. The Richmond. Attractive proposition. Phone 3520 or 7550. 11-8-7t

NICELY furnished front room, modern conveniences, $10 month; gentleman. 1610 6th ave., N., opposite park. Main 3231-J. 11-8-2t

TO SUBLET—An attractive apartment in Terrace Court, 5th floor, reasonable. Main 6745-W. 11-8-3t

FOR RENT. NEW WOODLAWN HOUSES. Four bunaglows in the heart of Woodlawn ranging in size from 4 to 6 rooms, and in price from $15 to $22.50, one block from East Lake car line; each house has beautiful plumbing, electrical fixtures, hot water connections and gas. LESTER & FAIN, 2107 3rd Ave. Main 74

TWO furnished, connecting rooms for light housekeeping. 2114 6th ave. 11-6-5t

PERSONAL

LADIES—$100 reward; I positively guarantee my great successful "monthly" remedy; safely relieves some of the longest, most obstinate, abnormal cases in three to five days; no harm, pain or interference with work; mail, $1.50; double strength, $2; booklet free. Dr. Southington, 14 Long Bldg., Kansas City, Mo. 10-18-tf

LAW CASES OF INTEREST DECIDED BY THE COURTS

A JOY RIDE WITH DISAGREEABLE AFTER EFFECTS. With slight omissions, the language of the Georgia court of appeals in Jordan vs. State, 81 Southeastern Reporter, 359, is substantially as follows: "It appeared from the evidence that Hawkins, whose father instituted the prosecution against the defendant, Jordan, was only 20 years of age, and like the average normal youth, enjoyed the society of the fair sex whenever possible, and regardless of Mr. Kipling's assertion that 'the female of the species is more deadly than the male,' it seems that he often braved danger and was more or less a general beau, and did not by any means confine his attentions to one, or even two, of the neighboring girls, but was in the habit of indulging in the usual innocent attentions, going to church on several occasions with different young ladies, and, as opportunity afforded, tendering delicate attentions in the way of Coca Cola drinks and gifts of picture films; that on a particular Sunday he met Miss Heisel, and paid her some attention in her mother's presence, drinking Coca Cola with them; that later, on the day of the occurrence out of which this prosecution arose, he met Miss Heisel and the daughter of the defendant in the afternoon on a public street and bought crackers and Coca Cola for them, and finally started to accompany them on their way home; that an automobile drove up with two young men of their acquaintance occupying the car, who, at the request of the two girls, took them to the home of the girls, with Hawkins; and that when they reached there the girls said something about continuing the ride, and said their parents would not object, provided they returned by dark. The ride was continued, and on reaching the town of Harrison, one of the girls suggested that they continue to the next town, and the driver agreed to this. After starting on their return trip, a tire blew out, and after spending an hour or so in getting the car in condition it was about 8 o'clock when they got back to Mr. Jordan's. When they reached Mr. Jordan's house they found him standing in the road waiting for them, and upon coming up to him he appeared to be very angry and threatened to kill them. The mother of Miss Heisel began whipping Hawkins with a buggy whip, and hit him over the head with the butt end and broke his hat, being continually urged on by Mr. Jordan. While she was whipping him Jordan stood there with a pistol pointed at him, and Hawkins backed down the road trying to explain, but was not allowed to do so. He never knew that Mrs. Burnett objected to his paying her daughter attentions, nor did he know why she got angry with him." The court held that parents have authority to use necessary force to protect their daughters from seduction or debauchery, but may not assault an apparent suitor merely on the assumption that he may prove to be a seducer, unless the known facts and circumstances are sufficient to legitimately induce this conclusion.

PROHIBITING TOBACCO IN CITIES. The city of Zion, Ill., adopted an ordinance making it an offense to use or to carry tobacco on any of the streets or in the parks or the public buildings of the city; but the supreme court of Illinois in city of Zion vs. Behrens, 104 Northeastern Reporter, 836, declared the ordinance void, using the following language: "Recognizing that tobacco smoke is offensive to many persons, and in exceptional cases harmful to some, we have no doubt that power exists to prohibit smoking in certain public places, such as street cars, theatres, and like places where large numbers of persons are crowded together in a small space. But this is quite a different matter from prohibiting smoking on the open streets and in parks of a city, where the conditions would counteract any harmful results. The personal liberty of the citizen cannot be interfered with unless the restraint is reasonably necessary to promote the public welfare. The only case that has been called to our attention that lends any support to the defendant in error's contention is Commonwealth vs. Thompson, 12 Metc. (Mass.) 231. In that case the supreme court of Massachusetts sustained a statute which made it an offense to smoke or have in one's possession a lighted pipe or cigar on any of the streets of the city of Boston. In that case the law was upheld on the ground that it tended to protect the city against damage from fire. This seems to be the only case in the United States where an ordinance or statute forbidding smoking of tobacco, in any form, on streets or public grounds, has been sustained. While we have a very high regard for the decisions of the supreme court of Massachusetts, still we are constrained in this instance to decline to follow the doctrine of the Thompson case. * * * It will be seen that the ordinance in question cannot be sustained on the ground that it tends to protect the property of the city from damage by fire. If the ordinance were limited to places where quantities of highly combustible materials were collected, it would be less objectionable. In the broad language in which the ordinance is enacted it is apparently an attempt on the part of the municipality to regulate and control the habits and practices of the citizen without any reasonable basis for so doing. The ordinance is an unreasonable interference with the private rights of the citizen and must be held void."

RACE SEGREGATION. A city ordinance made it unlawful for a colored person to occupy, as a residence, a house upon a street on which a greater number of houses were occupied by white than by colored people. It contained a similar provision as to white people. This was passed under the authority of a section of the charter providing that the board of aldermen might pass ordinances which it might deem wise and proper for the good order, good government, or general welfare of the city, etc. Upon appeal from a conviction under this ordinance, the supreme court of North Carolina in State vs. Darnell, 81 S. E. 338, in discussing the ordinance, said, among other things: "If the board of aldermen is thereby authorized to make this restriction, a bare majority of the board could, if they may 'deem it wise and proper,' require republicans to live on certain streets, and democrats on others, or that Protestants shall reside only in certain parts of the town, and Catholics in another, or that Germans or people of German descent should reside only where they were in the majority, and that Irish and those of Irish descent should dwell only in certain localities, designated for them by the arbitrary judgment and permission of a majority of the aldermen. They could apply the restriction as well to business occupations as to residences, and could prescribe the localities allotted to each class of people without reference to whether the majority already therein is of the proscribed race, nationality, or political or religious faith." The judgment was reversed and the prosecution dismissed.

SPLITTING FEES BY PHYSICIANS. Where a person requiring a surgical operation is treated by the family physician, and the operation is performed by another physician assisted by the family physician, can the latter act as agent for both parties and draw pay from both parties without the knowledge of the patient? The supreme court of Michigan in McNair vs. Parr, 143 Northwestern Reporter, 42, holds that any tacit understanding or agreement between the two doctors for division of fees would be against public policy and void, and that the patient, in an action by the operating physician for his fees, has a right to show that plaintiff has charged an unreasonable sum for his services in order to divide the fees with the family physician.

WAS SHE A PERFECT LADY? Bessie Moore of North Carolina was charged with disorderly conduct, "in that she did curse upon the streets." Having given a bond for her appearance for a breach of some local ordinance, she was stepping into her buggy, when, cautioned by a detaining policeman not to drive through the town, she shocked him by saying she would drive "where she damned please." The supreme court of North Carolina in State vs. Moore, 81 Southeastern Reporter, 693, very diplomatically frees her from the charge: "We will not venture to enter upon any casuistical discussion of the question whether the word 'damn' is profanity or not, as our decision in the case does not require it. The speech of the defendant was not nice or refined, but this does not of itself render it criminal. Disorderly conduct is a species of nuisance, and it may be a violation of the ordinance without necessarily being indictable at common law, as it is a minor offense below the grade of a misdemeanor and not known to the law as a separate and distinct crime except as made so by statute or municipal ordinance. Conduct can hardly be described as disorderly unless it tends in some degree to disturb the peace or good order of the town or has a vicious or injurious tendency. * * * The defendant expressed her displeasure or futile indignation a little too strongly, and should not have used so indecorous an expletive in doing so, but it did not reach beyond the ears of the policeman and hardly made a ripple on the placid surface of the municipal peace. The evidence did not correspond with the allegation nor tend to support it, nor was there a breach of the ordinance as is set forth in the affidavit."

The Imperial Bank o fGermany

From Moody's Magazine.

The Imperial Bank of Germany was founded in 1875, using the Bank of Prussia as basis. It has now nearly a monopoly of note issue, as it has assumed the circulation of most of the other banks. The stock is in private banks. The bank is managed wholly by the government. General administration is under the chancelor of the empire with four curators. A board of directors has direct administrative authority and is named by the imperial government. A central commission of 15 members and 15 alternates is chosen by the shareholders. This commission has supervision over some of the business details. The bank's employes are construed to be government employes and are pensioned by the state. Surplus profits are divided thus: 3½ per cent of remainder to accumulate a surplus fund of to 60,000,000 marks; the balance is divided: 25 per cent to stockholders and 75 per cent to the government. The bank pays no interest on deposits. Bank notes are not legal tender. Formerly none were issued below the denomination of 100 marks. Since 1906 50 and 20-mark notes have been issued.

COTTON CONTINUES TO SHOW ADVANCE

Liquidation of Contractors on Constantly Increasing Levels for Week

New Orleans, November 8.—Liquidation of cotton contractors last week was on a constantly advancing basis, the higher prices being paid toward the close, when January sold at 7.65.

On the closing session a bid of 7.60 was made for 8000 bales but sellers were not much in evidence.

Spot cotton did better, opening at 7 1-16 for middling and closing at 7 5-16. A week ago middling closed at 6⅞. The most encouraging features of the week were the resumption of business in futures in the Liverpool market, under restrictions and the better feeling in interior spot markets.

The last of the week saw the new style of cotton contracts go into effect. Officials of the exchange have been busy for weeks preparing new rules to govern future trading in accordance with the new federal laws. The posting of the rules was, in some measure, regarded as a step toward the resumption of business on a normal basis.

The trade is prepared to listen to a bearish report on ginning from the census bureau Monday morning. It may, or may not, affect the prices of contracts. Much depends upon how the spot markets in the interior accept the figures.

The federal court decision in New York, yesterday making possible the liquidation of holdings of suspended firm of S. H. P. Pell and Company was believed here to presage setting a date for the reopening of the New York exchange. Officials of the local exchange doubtless will follow the lead of New York as regards reopening.

Old English Breakfast

The breakfast appetite of the English-speaking race is not as stout and hearty as it once was, says the Washington Star. Time was, though of course it was long ago, when the British forbears of a large number of Americans did not dally with tea and toast, a pat of butter, a dash of marmalade and an egg. The English, German, Scotch and Irish ancestors of Americans did not think much of eggs as food, but when they ate them, considered them as trifles in the nature of an entree, and would eat two or three or four eggs as a man nowadays daintily nibbles a pickled olive or a bit of celery.

Before tea and coffee entered Europe to modify the breakfast, strong ale or bere was the early moring drink to wash the cobwebs of sleep from the throat and lighten the lids of the eyes. Men and women took their morning draught of ale or beer, and it was usually a long drink instead of a short one. A quart of ale at breakfast was an ordinary amount. The virtues of a glass of cool water after getting out of bed were not then highly esteemed by so many persons as now.

If a woman, frail and delicate, chanced to feel that the copious morning draught of strong and bitter ale, home-brewed, of course, would be a trifle heavy for her on any particular morning, she, her husband or her serving maid, would prepare for her a most mild and soothing drink, which was a tankard of small beer touched by the flavor of rosemary. That was about the limit as a molly-coddle breakfast drink. Then, instead of toast and butter, there might be a boar's head and brawn; a baron or buttock of beef and venison, pasties with large quantities of honey, and in addition deep potations of wine. From memoranda which have survived since the fifteenth century, it is clear that 6 o'clock was the breakfast hour in the higher class English families.

It was during the Elizabethan period that tea and coffee came into fashion in strong ale, and a little later chocolate came upon the breakfast table. Eggs began to be understood, and in their natural combination with bacon or broiled ham, began to supplant boar's head, barons of beef and venison pasties.