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spect will be charged for. The Sumter Watchman founded in 1850 and the True southron in 1866. The Watchman cannot but wish that for the sake ed circulation and influence of both of the old papers, and is manifestly the best advertising medium

THE COUE SYSTEM

It may seem silly to repeat the formula of Monsieur Coue of Paris: "I'm getting better every day;

"I'm getting better every way." But it works. Those who believe and do what he tells them, do get to spreading the gospel at home.

He takes an old woman, whose around like children. They stay lca, the leaven spreads. as long as they believe

Though optimism and faith may world with its limited outlook. not in themselves cure evils and solve problems, they provide conins that make cures and solu-

ting worried about the labor sup. marriage licenses. It is hoped to lists for the advertising matter of plf. That is natural enough. There rouse public opinion to the benefits is a searcity in most parts of the of this policy and obtain data on country, and it is undoubtedly des- which to base legislation making timed to grow worse in the next year such examinations compulsory. or two, if immigration is held down . A medical official is stationed at

help, she goes into the market for Chicago sets a good example. labor-saving devices whereby she can take care of the work herself. This is a natural process of development, which is retarded by a plentitude of labor and hastened by a

Machines multiply man-power, increasing efficiency and producmore one man can accomplish and the mere goods there are to go around. There need be no worry, other naval powers are concernas there used to be in the early days ed. There has been considerable of this industrial age, about ma- dismantling of old battleships, and visiting in Washington the other chinery displacing men. There will new building projects contem- day predicted that before long the still be plenty of work for available plated before the conference have national capital will be establishhards-running the machinery.

FRANCE AND THE PHINELAND from being realized.

would rather have the Rhineland, ment itself wants to do some trad-portioned. with the Rhine itself for a perma- ing with the United States governnent bulwark against invasion, than men and will ratify the treaty for not a new idea; but after all that the money due her. With the ad- a sufficient consideration. self so strong, and Germany so ever. If France fails to ratify the political center would be attend-

Lorraine, with Germany nursing a putting it into immediate effect. wound in her side and all the bitterness it entailed, until the time came for revenge. Seizure of purely German territory can hardly mean anything but new feuds and

Not to take drastic measures against a sullen, reluctant and Obituaries and tributes of re- dodging debtor would mean an understandable sacrifice in France's present mood. Yet France's friends nd Southron now has the com- of her own future as well as the peace of Europe and the world, she could bring herself to make that

LIBRARIES FOR FRANCE

A movement has been started in France, largely through American inspiration, to establish public Whether it should be made more! libraries throughout the country.

finest reference libraries in the know is bent with rheumatism, and world, they are in university centers has her pass her hand over her and available only to students or knee, repeating to herself, "It persons holding special cards perpasses, it passes," After about 20 mitting them access to the books minutes of that, it does pass, and under guard. Such a thing as the she stands up and walks away. He typical American open-shelf library makes a bunch of cripples start is practically unknown. The few hobbling after him, around a table, which have been established in and tells them they can move just Paris and the devastated regions as nimbly as he can; and in a few since the war have found instant minutes he has them running popularity. In France as in Amer-

It is coming rapidly to be a world of people who read. In the exand isn't that just about what change of literature and ideas prothe world needs today, in "every moted by increased access to readay"? Just plain optimism and ing matter, more of the old barriers taith in its own recuperative pow- will be broken down between peoera-to replace the deadily pessi- ple of the same nation and of difmens and cynicism that have been ferent nations. It isn't any use to public registry. If this were done, crippling men's minds and spirits try to treat this reading, thinking, growing world like the old bookless

CHICAGO'S EUGENIC TEST

The Chicago health department is acting informally with the mar-INDIGRATION OR MACHINERY riage license bureau to encourage be a cruel and unusual reform that the practice of physical examina- would turn the membership lists n good many Americans are get- tion for all persons applying for of fraternal orders into mailing

the license bureau. He explains to returned to Peking after five months the measure under consideration, Sut it does not follow that there men and women applying for mar- of research work in northern Asia has no relation to the filibuster, incorporated in the Tsingtao police rails, while the two rear cars were But it does not follow that there men and women applying for marshould be an excited demand for riage permits the reasons for medadmitting another horde of immiadmitting another horde of immigrants or for making any special is nothing compulsory about it, explorers covered about 4,000 linear the purpose of killing time and order to avoid the appearance of the breaking of the couplings. effort to bring in foreign workers within one week over 300 agreed miles and mapped out an area of putting off a final vote on the being unable to administer the reif they, do not come voluntarily. A to the tests. Undoubtedy as the 1.000 square miles for further, de-pending issue. tabor shortage that actually pinches public becomes educated to the tailed exploration. They found the and restricts productions and in- idea the percentage will increase. skeleton of a hitherto unheard of general approval. The nation is conveniences employers of all It takes time to teach people that prehistoric animal and a fossil sick of the dilatory tactics in which For it will hasten what Americans ment upon their personal affairs countered tribes of natives who had have talked about so long—the Age may be greatly for their personal never before seen a white man or tended to speed up the nation's advantage and that of their prog- anything like the automobiles and business and restore congressional When a manufacturer cannot get eny, but it is a form of education huge motor trucks used by the procedure to a dignity worthy of road company, and T. B. Young, Pinckney, passengers, was good. was peaceful today, following the cheap labor, he demands machines which should be forwarded. So- party. to do the work, and the machines ciety has been very slow in comare seen forthcoming. When a batting a perfectly well-known keen interest to scientists and hishousewife cannot find domestic evil along broad, sensible lines. torians, the explorers brought back ficult, though, to see how the pur- a ten days' visit into the markets

NAVAL DISARMAMENT

The French parliament is still holding up the naval disarmament conference last winter. Premier Poincare has professed to be for it, like and fascinating pictures of retion. The more machines, the but there is no action. And France's mote regions and peoples. delay is holding up the operation of the treaty as far as the four been largely held in abeyance, but cd in some appropriate location in the full effect of the treaty is far the Mississippi valley, more ap-

It would be understandable, try. The French government plans to though not convincing, if France The speaker, Col. William Boyce, occupy the Ruhr and also take explained that, having seen this said that there is great discontent over the civil administration of the country refuse to ratify two treaties in the regions west of the Alleghen-Rhineland if Germany does not pay in which France is vitally inter- les over the assumption of powthe sums due by January 15. And ested-the Versailles peace pact er by eastern factions, because the exidently Germany cannot or will and the three-power treaty in which capital is located in the East. He The French idea is to take and pledge aid to France in case of from the West and serving over a op rate the coal mires, levy toll on attack-France feels perfectly free period of years eventually become the industries and impose various to turn down a treaty in which imbued with the eastern viewpoint kinds of civil taxes. But it is America is especially interested, and that much legislation partial donktful whether France can make But France does not put her re- to eastern sections of the country up the reparations in that way. fusal on that ground. The only ex- is the result, to the cost of the Most outside observers seem to planation forthcoming is that the Middle West and West. If the capagree that such action will merely treaty is a victim of domestic pol- ital were situated more nearly in cripple the ability ef Germany to hics, with a party holding the bal- the center of the country, he be-If that is true. France must know mere trading purposes.

as well as anybody. There is a A more plausible explanation their own constituencies and

fenses, she might hope to make her- the other powers cannot wait for- shrine, the establishment of a new

weak, as to compensate her for the treaty shortly, there is no evident ed with great difficulty. What is reason why the United States, really needed is the removal of sec-It might work that way, but in Great Britain, Japan and Italy tionalism from men's minds, and all probability it would not. There should not go ahead without her, the idea that what benefits one would be merely another Alsace-, making it a four-power treaty, and part of the country is necessarily a

52 EDUCATION WEEKS

One of the things which should be learned during the seven days of 'Educational Week" is the fact that every one of the 52 weeks of every year should be an education

Sound and wholesome education

There has been much quarreling about education in recent years, answer," he says. quarreling will be beneficial if it helps to keep education out of ruts.

FRATERNAL PUBLICITY

Since agitation was started to compel publicity for the membership of secret societies, in order to drive the Ku Klux Klan into the open, representatives of several secret orders have announced that their organizations would not object. Some of them say that they are actively in favor of such action. The idea would be merely to place the names of members on record and make them ac-

cessible to the public. The president of one society, however, emphatically opposes he says, the members "would become the prey of every fake promotion schemer in the country and invite twisting by irresponsible insurance agencies."

Here is an angle to the proposal in question that must be taken into consideration, to be sure. It would any but their own brethren.

EXPLORING WITH MOVIES

their trip in the form of more than 20,000 feet of motion picture film.

Not every one who desires can travel and explore to his heart's content. But thanks to the detreaty signed at the Washington velopment of the movie, nearly every one can at some time see life-

A NEW CAPITAL

A Chicago publisher who was preximately the heart of the coun-

Great Britain and America were to explains that congressmen elected ance of power using the treaty for lieves that the congressmen would remain more under the sway of belief in many quarters that France might be that the French govern- islation would be more justly ap-

has been done to beautify Washditional territory, resources and de- In any event, delay is bad, and ington and make it a national of chill weather in the East. your shoes to listen to the radio.

When congressmen learn to think as patriots and not politicians,

DOUBLE DECK STREETS

"The only saturation point in the means more to this country in the automobile industry." says an auprosperity which could possibly the highways." In city streets and come to it. In fact, without educa- in highways near large cities, he tion the material prosperity would remarks, capacity has been reachfully pursued if education were multiply thoroughfares in built-up sections. What then?

It is not a new idea. Doublepractical and whether this theory deck streets have been long fore- fer. A Chinese gunboat in the bay the commission. Five young Frenchwomen are now or that should be carried out are seen as the ultimate solution for fired a salute at noon and then the kindly little old psychologist, studying in America, preparatory questions which have occupied dense traffic. But the advent and much of the attention of educators rapid increase of the automobile While France has some of the and laymen alike. But even the has accelerated the crowding pro- or general of Kiachow, and the re- was said that this official would be done in the Philippines, "not

> the lower level given up mainly or Chinese. the ubiquitous motor car.

FILIBUSTERING

Senator Watson of Indiana thinks Congress to de away with the filiregulations should be established which will enable a majority of the with a decent degree of speed. "

An expedition which has recently that dignified debate, confined to the Japanese.

without a cloture rule to limit de- ed over in Buffalo for a visit.

Fur-Trimmed



The fur-trimmed bathing suit is The relocation of the capital is the very latest. Here is Miss Dora Brown, California bathing beauty, whose beach costume shows the result of reading newspaper stories

OF CHINA

Restored by Japan to Chinese Government

Tsingtao, Shantung, Dec. 10 (By long run than all the material tomobile man, "is the capacity of tory of Kiachow was restored to the rear-end collision of passengnot be assured. Even life, liberty cd already. It is possible, but ex- istration building, which had been South Carolina Railroad Commis- program he had sponsored in the and happiness would be less hope- pensive and difficult, to broaden or used by the Germans and later by sion, left yesterday afternoon for Philippines. It was expected that "Double-deck streets is the Chinese officials exchanged formal will be renewed when Mr. W. A. islature and other government de-

were taken over by the Chinese.

A thousand Shantung troops ar-

up all at once to a realization that repeatedly expressed his inability to life. the whole face of our cities has been understand why the arms promised It was commented yesterday that viously expected. changed thanks to the insistence of by the Japanese for the police had this fearful collision had occurred postponed the delivery of the arms

He said he did not wish to acmethods", but does believe that denied there was friction between the wheels of the former. himself and the Shantung Tuchung.

Peking, Dec. 10 (By the Asso-Senate always to carry on business ciated Press).—The province of many lives, for this coach, the to be specified when he actually Shantung was restored to China at Pullman sleeping car Gaspard, bore assumed the office. He accepted TO RENT-Two or more horse noon today by the Japnese.

which it is subjected arises from arrangement by which the bandits ening and none in the coach would lead a drive for a \$10,000,000 endowment fund for the province of Shantung have

party.

In addition to the many facts of

Produ company, and T. B. Young, passengers, was good.

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Line was not interrupted, as all trains were operated on the south.

MANTED—Hardwood logs. We pay legislators themselves. It is dif- Association, and Mrs. T. B. Young, bound track while the have returned to Florence after bound track while the northbound was alleged to have confessed to with them a complete record of pose can be attained in the Senate of the north. Mrs. Meeks remain-

> New York market, where they were bushel hamper with no sales resulting. They state that one dealcents per package and had only York city.

They state that to go on the at the facts of the collision. market in the usual way offering the South Carolina sweet potato, which is practically unknown, against the already established supply from other sources, would ditions and any one investigating the markets or attempting to make sales of the South Carolina product through the usual channels for selling sweet potatoes would inevitably meet with failure. However, the South Carolina Sweet Lady With Large Potato Association, which controls practically all of the South Carolina product, has inaugurated a who is employed in a ready to wear sweet potato trade and seemed to vorably. As a result satisfactory almost the entire territory availers the larger part of Eastern Unit-

Thrill in planting a narcissus bulb comes when guessing if it will references, will not be considered. be a Chinese lily, jonquil or onion.

Height of ignorance is shining advertise "Permanent waving-hair, jeatted for and delivered."

BLAME NOT **FIXED FOR**

Men is Reported at factory

the Associated Press)—The terriling a preliminary investigation into tomorrow. China at noon today with a strik- er trains at Hanahan flag station quested of the university an exing lack of ceremony. The Chi- Saturday morning at 7 o'clock, tension of time before assuming nese flag for the first time in 24 Messrs. Frank W. Shealy, chair- the office of provost in order to see years was raised over the admin- man, and John C. Coney, of the the completion of the legislative the Japanese who seized the ter- Columbia. They said that the the Philippine legislature would blame for the wreck has not yet pass certain legislative changes A small group of Japanese and been fixed and that the inquiry but it is understood that the legaddresses and drank mutual toasts Williams, engineman on train sec- partments have failed to pass cerbefore handing over the final doc- ond 80, is sufficiently recovered tain legislation as was expected. uments which completed the trans- from his injuries to appear before Certain features of the program

An inspector for the Interstate Wood. the Japanese police headquarters Commerce Commission was expected here vesterday to begin his fident the university appreciated General Yuhi, Japanese govern- inquiry into the collision, but it the great importance of work to cess and hastened the demand for maining Japanese troops in the ter- arrive today, having been delayed only to the Philippine people but ritory will depart December 14. in leaving for Charleston. He will to the United States, and that I The staffs which have been on the go thoroughly into the matter of did not come here either for We shall see it, no doubt, before docks and wharves will remain ten the condition of the equipment in pleasure or profit, but in compli- an enemy of prohibition is enlong-this new type of street, with days longer, then be replaced by service on both trains, 52 and sec- ance with the repeatedly expressond 80.

wholly to vehicle traffic and the rived here before the territory was rear of train 52, Mr. W. M. Smith, what I considered an imperative upper level providing balcony- taken over. Wang Cheng-Ting, engineman for 52, was under his call for service, which past exsidewalks along the walls of office foreign minister, who received the locomotive attending to a hot box. perience has perhaps particularly buildings, for pedestrians. The inhe was confident there would be no of the impending collision. By General Wood added that he had novation may come so gradually as trouble from the bandits. He de- instinct, he grasped braces and was pushed forward the legislative proto attract little attention, but in a clared that now the only possibility carried in this position for 482 gram which he asked for the Philgeneration or so people may wake of danger is from Japanese roughs. measured feet, trainmen marvel- ippines as rapidly as possible but Minister Wang, in an interview, ing that he has escaped with his the situation was more complicat-

not arrived. Japan, he said, has on a stretch of railroad which is equipped with "great protective information from Washington that three times. He had 2,700 police measures," a double track and au- General Leonard Wood had decidtroops within the city and 10,000 tomatic signals. The fact that the ed not to become the head of the automatic signals were passed has University of Pennsylvania was rebeen attributed to the foggy con-ceived with surprise by university cuse Japanese authorities of double ditions. It is declared that when authorities. The general was exdealing but he asserted relations second 80 piled into 52, the engine pected here early next year. No existed between the Japanese sub- on the former had not been shut word of General Wood's intention buster. He does not favor "gag ordinates and the bandits. Wang off and that the brakes were on had been received. Railroad men vesterday were

free to concede that a steel coach April, 1922. He was to be the at the rear of train 52 had saved executive head and his duties were the terrific impact from the on- the place on condition that he be rushing locomotive. Had this been granted a leave of absence to ge the public dissatisfacton with Con- Peking, Dec. 16 (By the Asso- an ordinary wooden coach, the lo- to the Philippines. The leave was gress and much of the ridicule to ciated Press).—The government comotive would have ploughed later extended until next January. which it is subjected arises from announces that it has effected an through without perceptible slack-

method of delaying legislation, been temporarily appeased. The By the force of impact, it has The office of provost of the unipractised habitually by minorities bandits have received \$100,000 on been established, train 52 was versity has been vacant since WANTED—To sell milk cow in fine of both parties. He points out violence after the withdrawal and three coaches being build violence after the withdrawal of and three coaches being hurled resigned. Dr. Josiah H Penniforward a distance of 482 feet, man has been acting provost since One thousand bandits have been practically without leaving the that time.

> the Riverside Infirmary and four Florence, Dec. 7.—B. S. Meeks, Whaley, passenger; Hayes Miller, of the Atlantic Coast Line Rail- porter, and A. P. Beard and Sam track was blockade by the wreck, slaying Miss Ruby Henry, a school They report having found the to clear up the wreckage, good

> sweet potato market in perhaps progress being made by these men. The general comment of people raised by a tax on beer and wine the poorest condition that it has who inspected the wreck is that so the soldiers can pay it thembeen for a number of years. They the wonder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound a great quantity of surplus the worder of it is that more peofound the worder of its peofound the sweet potatoes, particularly on the impact of train second 80, a ple were not killed or injured, for being offered freely at 50 cents per paratively light accommodation heavy express, on train 52, a comtrain, was terrific. Those who inspected the Pullman sleeping car er showed them a large lot of sweet Gaspard and the day coach to potatoes in bushel packages for which it was coupled appreciate the which he was trying to get 50 tremendous force of the blow.

County Coroner John G. Mansbeen offered 25 cents. These sweet field will hold an inquest, as a potatoes were good quality and result of the death of Mr. Isaac well graded. They found the East- A. Edwards, of Sumter, and it ern Shore Virginia sweet potatoes may be that this official investion the markets being sold as low gation will result in establishing as \$1.25 per barrel, delivered, New the blame. The coroner has already taken steps toward getting

Bazaar.

The ladies of the Ascension Parish. Hagood, will give their anmean practically an impossible nual bazaar at the Rembert school task to market the South Caro- house next Friday evening, Decemlina supply at enough to pay ber 15th, at 6 o'clock. Supper freight and crating. These were will be sold also. A program will found to be actual existing con- be rendered during the evening.

> What this country needs is pipes that will stay lit without puffing.

Acquaintance

rather unique idea for selling its department or who is dressmaking business and create a worth while inchome without competition. We will send you from fifteen to fifty occasions, every month; constantly exchanging unseld models for new

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Cen. Wood Stays in Philippines

Announcement Made That He Prohibition Officers Propose Will Decline Post With the

Pennsylvania University General Wood, governor general Haynes today brought his message Washington, Dec. 7. - Major unit instead of in divided areas, it Shantung Province is Condition of Injured of the Philippine islands, will re- of enforcement of the Eighteenth will make no difference where the cline to accept the offer of the University of Pennsylvania to be Hospital to Be Satis- the provost of that institution, administration officials said today they had been informed. An official announcement to this effect is

Previously General Wood had re-

ed wishes of the president to do When second 80 piled into the a certain work and in response to

ed and critical than he had pre-

of the university by the trustees in dowment fund for the university.

Burned at Stake

Perry, Fla., Dec. 8.-Charlie said last night that the condition Wright, negro accused of the murof Frank R. Putman, express mes- der of Miss Ruby Hendry, young MARKET POOR senger, and Seth W. Scruggs, mail school teacher was taken from the WANTED-Several small tracts of clerk, was satisfactory, that of R. sheriff and burned at the stake at J. Tallon, mail clerk, and W. A. the scene of the crime early to-

Perry, Florida, Dec. 9 .- Perry

BLOCKADE ON XMAS LIQUOR

to Put on the Lid in Florida

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 7 .- Prohibition Commissioner Roy A has been described as a prickly thorn in the matter of his work.

At a meeting this morning between Mr. Haynes and federal forces from throughout the state Charleston, Dec. 11.—After mak- expected from the war department plans were laid for a stringent blockade against the flow of Christ-

At three other meetings, arranghad been reduced by 66 per cent were put forward by General so powerful in everything, if they could not enforce a statute they

in the power of thought. When

The party, which besides Mr.

Haynes, include Col. L. G. Nutt. chief of the field forces; Judge the department, and Sherman A Cunco, publicity agent, left early tonight for Columbia, S. C.

Radio messages traveled 5200 miles in four minutes and 18 seconds but Christmas comes faster

"Score Clemenceau"-Headline. That reminds us after this winter

farm, one mlie from Wedgefield ture, abundant water, inexhaustible amount well decomposed vegetable matter convenient. F M. Dwight, M. D., Wedgefield,

fix. To freshen next month, for fourth time. Cheap for prompt sale. F. M. Dwight, M. D., Wedgefield, S. C.

NOTICE-I will sell at Dalzell, S. C., on next Saturday, December, 1929 at 11 a m one hav horse. and one black top buggy, both taken up on my place on June 11th, 1922. Rev. H. J. Davis, Sumter, S. C., R. F. D. No. 4,

good pine timber from 1-4 to 5 million feet. We also pay cash for No. 1 pine logs 14 inches and up in diameter delivered to our new band mill at Denmark. S. C. The Zickgraf Company,

Oak logs of standard specifications, delivered to Sumter by rail or truck. We buy logs twelve months in the year and give preference to loggers equipped to bring in a steady supply. What have you to offer? Sumter Hardwood Co., Sumter, S. C.

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C. G. Rowland, Pres. Earle Rowland, Cashier

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YOU HAVE STARTED TO SAVE

IT DEPENDS ON WHETHER OR NOT

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Plow your cotton stalks in now.