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THE GREEN LANES OF THE PAST.

I care not to gaze at the years coming on,
Thick mantled in mist and with
doubts overcast,
But would rather stray back to the days
That are gone,
Along the green meadows of the past—
Across the cool meadows of memory,
Where
The birds ever sing, and the wild
waters fall,
And the laughter of children is borne
on the air,
And love shineth over it all.
The painter may picture the future in
dyes
That rival the rose and the rainbow,
It may leave him at last but a gaudy
of sights,
And a hope that it failed to fulfill:
The poet may sing of the splendors
Of the opulent ages, far-coming and
vast—
I question him not, yet I ask but to
know
On the old quiet hills of the past.
The past is my own—there is nothing
uncertain
In all its wide range, and my title is
clear—
While the future, at best, is a face on
the curtain,
That fades as my feet draweth near:
Then give me the blossoms, the birds,
And the bowers,
And every lovely scene where my soul
clingeth fast,
Like an evergreen ivy that mantles the
towers.
And feeds on the dew of the past.
—JAMES NEWTON MATTHEWS, in
Ladies' Home Journal for July.

TO END CUBA'S WAR.

Murat Halstead Tells of a Plan for
the Purchase of the Island's
Freedom.
New York, June 24.—I feel au-
thorized to say—not from official
communications, but by the force
of current facts—that before the
close of the present rainy season
in Cuba, and that is to say, sub-
stantially, without further military
operations, the Cubans will have
gained their liberties; that the
Spaniards, without the loss of the
honor of their arms or the fall of
the dynasty, will withdraw their
army and fleet from the island, sur-
rendering the rights of Spain for
compensation to the Cuban govern-
ment, and further, that the de-
cisive act of peace-making will be
that of the United States through
an enabling act by Congress for
the exercise of extraordinary au-
thority by the President.
There will not be the purchase
of the island by the Sugar Trust
or any other trust or combination,
but, as is usual in making war or
peace, the proceedings will be on
business principles, and there will
be another illustration of the power
of money in the affairs of nations.

Much has been said of the crisis
in Cuba. There is equally a crisis
in Spain, and the explanation of it
is that the French Rothschilds have
notified the Spanish government
that no more money will be lent to
Spain after July 1.

This is of the utmost importance,
because the loans of Spain have
been almost exclusively placed in
Paris. Spanish credit has not been
good in England or Germany. The
money has been found in France,
and to a small extent in Belgium,
to carry on the war in Cuba, and
the French bankers' notice that
there is no more money to be had
is the secret of the commotion in
Madrid that presently attracted
the world's attention.

The reason given by the French
banks representing the Rothschilds
for stopping the money for the Cu-
ban war is that there has been no
result, and the possibility of get-
ting money out of the island by
Spain is now too remote to consider.
Hence the cabinet crisis in Madrid
—the call for Campos—the anxiety
about "autonomy" in Cuba.

THE PRESIDENT WILL ACT.
President McKinley has not lost
any time or opportunity in gather-
ing information as to Cuba and
Spain. The whole truth, with the
exception of a few details that do
not change its general character as
to the peninsula and the islands, is
in his possession. The old ques-
tion, What will he do with the facts
in the case? arises, and that means
executive action within a short
time.

The sharp pressure as to time
and the perfect knowledge in of-
ficial quarters of that which has
just been declared here naturally
hastens the administration. I do
not pretend to speak from official
information, but am satisfied that
there is room for hope that the un-
happy Cuban war will soon end,
and that the policy of the admin-
istration, which will promote peace
is formulated with the exception of
a few points that cannot be cared
for with certainty until there are
further developments in Madrid
and Havana that concern Cuba
as well as the Spanish government.

HELP OF CONGRESS WILL BE NEEDED.
Now, with all the reserve becom-
ing in diplomacy, let us set forth
what seems to be the only way open
to the administration to reach con-
clusions swiftly—to do the essen-
tial thing without firing a gun or
assuming a dollar in money obliga-
tion—and before there are frosts
here and the rainy period is over
in Cuba.

It seems to be reasonable to con-
clude that, cautious as Congress is
sometimes, if there was a policy
candidly and conclusively present-
ed to that body which would in a
few weeks yield peace in Cuba,
with the liberty of the people with-
out bloodshed or any expense to
us, and without even committing
us to ultimate annexation, and by
a grand stroke for the commerce
and all the real interests of this
country, Congress would take it up

and pass the enabling act for the
administration. There is under
serious consideration this project:
1. Cuban independence.
2. Spanish evacuation of the Is-
land of Cuba.
3. Indemnity to Spain for sur-
render of sovereignty, to be paid
in Cuban bonds, secured by cus-
toms revenues, the collection of
which shall be supervised and ap-
plied by representatives of the
United States.

CUBA IS ABLE TO PAY.
As this is the first authentic
statement of the policy of the
peace-makers, something further in
the nature of elucidation would
seem to be proper. It will be ob-
served that the bonds to be issued
are not those of the United States
or guaranteed by us.
In regard to Cuban bonds, I am
informed in this connection that
only a very small number have
been sold. There may be an op-
tion out, but it is not a big one.
Cuba has not acquired a large na-
tional debt. The limitations of the
sum of the face of the bonds
has been fixed at \$150,000,000. At
4 per cent, the rate understood to
be preferred, the interest would be
\$6,000,000 annually, and as Cuba
stands today her revenue would be
at once, under our management, far
exceed that sum.

Once in recent times the amount
of Cuban revenue was \$32,000,000
annually, and it is as well known
as anything that the customs ser-
vice of Spain in Cuba has been ex-
tremely inefficient and corrupt, so
that a large share of the interest
money for the purchase of freedom
for the island could be added to
the ordinary revenue of Cuba by
the simple process of honest ad-
ministration. It is believed with
Cuban independence established
and an American supervision of
the custom houses the revenue of
Cuba might soon go beyond the
great figures of the reciprocity era.

A MARGIN TO SETTLE CLAIMS.
The business plan is to pay Spain
\$100,000,000 and to have a margin
to settle claims against that coun-
try held by American citizens.
Then it is possible the bonds
might not sell at par, as it is the
European method to market them
without the par condition held in
this country to be indispensable,
and it has been thought that the
Cubans might need a little money
to start their home rule with just a
little golden oil on the wheels.
Therefore the sum of the face of
the bonds is to be \$150,000,000 in 4
per cent.

INDUCEMENTS ON BOTH SIDES.
What are the inducements to the
Cubans?
First—Liberty.
Second—Independence.
Third—Peace.
Fourth—Prosperity sure to come
like a flood under their indigo sky
and soil of red and black.

What are the inducements for
the Spaniards?
First—Peace. The end of hor-
rible and hopeless war.
Second—The re-establishment of
the credit of Spain through the
gold she is to get.
Third—The security of the domes-
tic peace of Spain for which her
150,000 troops sent home from Cuba
and her \$100,000,000 in the treas-
ury, those responsible for her gov-
ernment might laugh at the agita-
tion of the anarchists and the con-
spiracies of the Carlists.

AS TO SPAIN'S CONSENT.
Would Spain consent? Yes; she
has to do something—to try some
thing else than that which she has
been attempting to do.

Cuba is absolutely lost to her.
It would be statesmanship to recog-
nize the loss. Spain would find her
relief in parting with Cuba as great
as that which Cuba would enjoy in
freedom. The colonial system of
Spain has been the curse of the
home country.

WHAT WOULD BE THE ADVANTAGES
IN THIS CONNECTION FOR THE UNITED
STATES?

First—The blessing of the peace-
maker.
Second—The recompense for end-
ing a war that is unchristian, un-
civilized and utterly hideous.
Third—The gain of our com-
merce would be enormous—not less
than \$100,000,000 a year, and the
opening of vast opportunities for
the future.

THE ROYALTY WOULD CONSENT.
Would the French bankers who
have shut down on Spain, fixing
the date of the financial crisis of
that country as July 1, accept the
Cuban 4 per cent if the interest
were to be paid from customs col-
lected and applied by officers of the
United States?
The Rothschilds would jump for
such bonds. It would have great
recommendations. If the French
did not want the bonds they could
be sold in New York in ten days.

TIME AN IMPORTANT ELEMENT.
It will be seen that the element
of time in this matter is extremely
important. That if this thing is
done it must be now. The Cuban
government would not consider it
if there were postponement, for the
island is more and more desolated,
and the cane fields that yielded
1,000,000 tons of sugar a year must
have labor speedily or they will be
a wilderness. This is the last year
of grace for them.
I venture the observation that all
this will not be in the nature of
news to the President of the United
States and his cabinet—or to the
Cuban authorities. This clear busi-
ness policy has had an existence
in official circles, if not in the news-

papers until now. The nation may
go forward confidently and benefi-
cently manage a difficult and dan-
gerous matter on these lines.
MURAT HALSTEAD

THE AMERICAN HEN.

She, Collectively Speaking, Earns
More in a Year Than the Entire
Wheat Crop.

Mrs. American Business Hen is
one of our most useful citizens.
She is a shrinking, unassuming
creature, too modest at times even
to cackle over the birth of her own
egg, leaving that celebration to her
husband; and yet Mrs. American
Hen has been quietly paying off
mortgages, driving wolves from the
door and hatching out nest eggs
for thousands of featherless bipeds.
In 1890 there were in this coun-
try 258,871,125 chickens and 26,
738,315 other fowls. In that year
the American hens laid 9,836,674,
992 eggs. There are now 350,000,
000 chickens, which will lay this
year 13,750,000,000 eggs. These
eggs are worth \$165,000,000, and
the poultry meat sold during the
year will bring \$125,000,000, which
gives \$290,000,000 as a very low
estimate of the earnings of Mrs.
American Hen for one year of the
great depression.

The 350,000,000 hens are worth
\$105,000,000 of any man's money,
but we will not consider that, but
take simply the earnings of the
hen. The average length of an
egg is two and a half inches. The
13,750,000,000 eggs will, therefore,
make a chain 542,218 miles in
length, while the total weight of
this production of hen fruit is at
least 553,125 tons.

Does any reader realize what
this immense production of eggs
and meat means to the country?
Here are a few figures for compari-
son:

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|----------------------------|--------------|
| Value of silver production | \$72,510,000 |
| Wool clip | 38,146,459 |
| Sheep | 65,167,225 |
| Swine | 186,527,415 |
| Mules | 167,294,457 |
| Horses | 500,140,186 |
| Petroleum products | 62,383,403 |
| Potato crop | 78,949,491 |
| Cotton crop | 35,742,221 |
| Cotton crop | 250,164,640 |
| Oat crop | 163,655,968 |
| Wheat crop | 237,388,998 |
| Imports coffee one year | \$1,701,121 |
| Imports tea one year | 12,794,140 |
| Pensions | 139,280,078 |
| School expenditures | 178,215,556 |
| Interest on mortgages | 76,728,077 |
| Cost of U. S. Debt | 90,636,290 |
| Net earnings of railroads | 323,196,154 |
| Dividends on R. R. stocks | 81,375,771 |

The value of all gold produced
in American mines in 1895 was
\$46,610,000, and of all silver \$72-
510,000. The value of all minerals,
including iron, gold and silver,
taken out of American mines in
1894 was \$208,168,768. Americans
are given to bragging about our
immense mineral resources, and
yet you will notice that the hens
paid for it all in one year and had
enough left to just about pay the
interest on all mortgages!

Mrs. Hen will earn enough this
year to pay the entire state and
county tax (which in 1890 was
\$143,186,007), and have enough
left for every cent of pensions that
are paid to old soldiers.

The average cow weighs 130
times as much as the average hen,
and yet all the milk cows in the
country have a total value of but
\$263,955,545. Mrs. Hen in one
year will earn enough to buy every
cow, and put the entire tobacco
crop in her pocket as well. She
could pay out of her year's earn-
ings for all the tea and coffee im-
ported in one year and all the pe-
troleum products, and have enough
left to buy all the tobacco grown
in 1896. The total assessed val-
uation of the following states fall be-
low the hen's yearly earnings: Ne-
braska, New Hampshire, Vermont,
Delaware, Alabama, Mississippi,
Arizona, South Virginia, North
Carolina, South Carolina, Utah,
Florida, North Dakota, South Da-
kota, Nevada, Idaho, Louisiana,
Arkansas, Montana, Oregon, Wy-
oming, Colorado, New Mexico.

In other words, Mrs. American
Hen could buy any of these states
from one year's egg and chicken
money. She could buy in this way
New Mexico, Arizona, Wyoming,
North Dakota, Idaho and Montana
all put together.

The total cost of conducting the
Post Office department last year
was \$90,626,296.84. We can pick
out 50,000,000 of our best hens
that will cover every dollar of this
outlay in one year.

The net earnings of the railroads
in 1895 were \$323,196,454. The
railroad dividends paid amounted
to \$81,375,771. The American
Hen paid nearly twice the profits
earned by American railroads.
The total cost of conducting the
Postoffice amounted to \$261,640-
598, or less than that of the hens.
It cost in 1895 slightly over two
cents to carry one passenger one
mile, .0181 of a cent to carry one
ton of freight one mile, and 91
cents to run the average train one
mile. One single hen, laying 150
eggs per year, could have 215 days
of vacation, and would still be able
to pay for carrying one passenger
100 miles, or for hauling ten tons
of freight 10,000 miles, or for run-
ning an ordinary train two miles.

One hundred and forty such hens
would pay the salary of the average
teacher employed in the public
schools, while seventy-five hens
would pay the average pension to
old soldiers.—H. W. Collingwood,
of the Rural New Yorker, in the
New York World.

The President has nominated Albert
G. Thompson, of Ohio, David B. Culbert-
son, of Texas, and Alexander G. Botkin,
of Montana, commissioners to revise
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Mr. Debs' New Folly.

Eugene Debs' plan for a co-opera-
tive commonwealth in the State of
Washington, although utopian,
seemed to be harmless as originally
outlined by him. Mr. Debs now
proposes to colonize enough repre-
sentatives of his new "social democ-
racy" in that State to secure politi-
cal control. Then the constitution
is to be destroyed or so amended
that it will permit the co-operative
commonwealth to maintain a gov-
ernment in harmony with the ideas
of the "social democracy." Of
course, if Mr. Debs and his follow-
ers did nothing to violate the spirit
and letter of the Federal constitu-
tion they would not be interfered
with. Other extremists have se-
cured control of a State before Mr.
Debs announced his plans and have
done about things before they
learned wisdom. This was notably
the case in Kansas, where for a
time the Populists threatened to
subvert the established order and
to wreck the State by ridiculous
legislation directed at capital and
labor. But even the Kansas ex-
tremists realized in time the sacred
rights of property and the inviola-
bility of contracts, and the Su-
preme Court of that State, com-
posed of Populists, recently handed
down a decision which could hardly
have been improved upon by the
jurists of the conservative East.

Mr. Debs and his associate agita-
tors are already talking about the
employment of force, if necessary,
to set up and maintain their "social
democratic" form of government in
Washington. "I do not know,"
says Mr. Debs, "whether this great
question can be settled peacefully.
From the bottom of my heart I hope
it can. But if it cannot, then I am
one of those who believe in getting
ready to solve it otherwise. If, in
defiance of the federal constitution,
they send federal troops to suppress
us in the exercise of our constitu-
tional rights, they will be kept busy
in their march across the country,
and when they reach the State line
they will find 300,000 patriots ready
to receive them." Mr. Debs has
not abandoned his old habit of
reckless speech, it is plain, but if
the "Social democracy" is to be or-
ganized upon a basis of armed re-
sistance to authority its existence
will be brief and inglorious. The
300,000 "patriots" will dwindle into
nothingness long before the time
for the supreme test comes.

James Creelman, who attends the
convention of the Debs Social De-
mocracy in Chicago, in a dispatch
to the New York Journal states
that he did not see in the conven-
tion a man "who looked as if he
had the ability to be the foreman of
an ordinary workshop. There were
abstract anarchists, single taxers,
communists, new fangled and ille-
gitimate socialists, but the average
face was dull and unintelligi-
gent, or was plainly fanatical." "I
have seen no sign," adds Mr. Creel-
man, "that the farmers or agrarian
class were attracted to the move-
ment." Mr. Debs cannot hope to
revolutionize existing conditions
with such forces as these. They
would never be able to combine for
any good purpose, even if their
motives were patriotic. The Debs
movement is utopian in its first
stages and it may prove to be an-
archy in its last. But at any stage
and in any form it is sheer folly.
No good can come out of such a
combination, while on the other
hand great harm may be done be-
fore its absurdity is completely
demonstrated to those who must
suffer the consequences.

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STATE FIREMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

Extensive Preparation for the Annual Meeting to be Held in Fayetteville in August.

The State Firemen's Association meets this year at Fayetteville on August 3rd, 4th and 5th.

The prize list will amount to \$1,000, and all indications point to the largest attendance yet known at the annual meeting of the firemen.

The program will be as follows: Tuesday, August 3rd—11 a. m.—convention called to order; prayer; address of welcome; response—Regular order of business.

All competing companies will arrive during the afternoon and evening of this day.

Wednesday, August 4th—9 a. m.—street parade; 11 a. m.—engine contest, (quick run); 2 p. m.—hand reel races; 4 p. m.—grab reel races; 6 p. m.—quick steam and distance.

Thursday, August 5th—8 a. m.—"championship" reel team race; 9:30 a. m.—horse hose wagon contest; 11:30 a. m.—hook and ladder contest; 2 p. m.—inter-state contests; hand reel races; foot races.

In the association races, the picked teams from Asheville, Charlotte, Concord, Salisbury, Greensboro, Durham, Raleigh, Goldsboro, Wilson, Winston-Salem, Fayetteville and probably others, will compete.

In the inter-state contests, Sumter, Florence, Anderson, Columbia, Greenville and other South Carolina departments, will enter with teams from this state. Virginia companies will also be invited.

North Carolina association rules to govern all contests. No company allowed to enter races that fail to take part in the parade Wednesday morning.

Hinton Items.

Mr. M. M. Gladson lost a fine young cow last week.

We are needing rain badly at this time gardens and garden vegetables are burning up.

Dr. M. L. Fox, of Gilmer's Store, passed here on the 27th on his return home from the Nashville Exposition.

The ice cream supper at Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Parker's was highly appreciated on the 26th by the participants.

A party from New York has leased the W. R. McMaister mining property and will commence operations soon.

Mr. G. W. Plunkett and wife are still on the sick list. Mr. Plunkett is better, but there is little hope for Mrs. Plunkett.

We were pleased to meet Professor Gilmer, of Henderson, N. C., at church on the 27th. Mr. Gilmer was born and raised here and looks natural mingling with this people. His accomplished wife accompanies him.

Rev. H. D. Lequeux filled his pulpit at Alamance church on the 27th. His text was the 19th verse of the 18th chapter of Genesis. His discourse was on the importance of prayer, especially by the heads of families. He had a large congregation.

Ramsour Items.

Our merchants are somewhat idle this week.

The new M. E. church is rapidly nearing completion.

Miss Lila Lane, of Mt. Vernon Springs, visited friends in town recently.

Miss Lucy Covington is spending some time at Maxton, much to the regret of our young men.

Mrs. W. H. Watkins and daughter, Miss Etta, and Earnest went to the picnic at Troy last week.

Mr. Walter Johnson, an employee of the Columbia Manufacturing Co., lost a finger recently while at work.

Capt. Lane's excursion to Wilmington last week was well patronized and much enjoyed by all who took in the sea breeze.

Mr. Jesse Copeland, engineer on the C. & Y. V. railroad at this place, is spending sometime at Mt. Vernon Springs for his health.

Mr. S. W. Trogdon, a worthy one-legged confederate soldier, died here on the 17th inst. He was one of our best citizens. He leaves a widow and six children and a host of friends to mourn their great loss.

Lego Items.

The farmers have gotten about all the wheat in the barns.

We see the threshing machines are being gotten in readiness for the wheat crop.

Children's Day at Lebanon took quite a number of people from this neighborhood yesterday.

We are sorry to note the illness of Mr. J. A. Burney with yellow jaundice, though some better.

Elder James Harris and daughter Lelia, of Reidsville, visited B. F. White and family Monday and Tuesday. He preached an excellent sermon on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, of Guilford College, visited Mr. and Mrs. B. F. White Saturday and Sunday, where they enjoyed a feast of fine peaches and other fruits.

Lego is still attractive. There will in a few days be another Wisconsin family here to live. We ask as a favor that they leave the cold winds and snow back there.

Hornor Military School.

The best commencement exercises of this school we have attended in several years took place at the Opera House Thursday evening. An immense audience was present.

It is a well known fact that the Hornor Military School ranks as one of the best classical schools in this country, as its fine record shows. * * * The boys always take high stands at the colleges and universities. We are pleased to express our opinion that the commencement just closed surpassed any we have heretofore attended. —Oxford Ledger.

STATE NEWS.

"Sanctification" preachers are at work in the Piedmont section.

Spencer, the new railroad town near Salisbury, is now a postoffice.

The Waynesville Courier says the last of the walnut timber in Haywood county was shipped away last week.

James F. Wray has been appointed postmaster at Reidsville, D. M. Vernon, at Leaksville, and C. M. Hoover at Thomasville.

Men who pretended to be agents for sale of school charts have awindled Richmond county out of \$1,100 and have fled without making deliveries.

Judge Purnell has appointed J. P. Fortune clerk of the district court of the Eastern district at Raleigh, vice N. J. Reddick, removed, who was appointed in 1896.

The general opinion of all who attended the session of the Teachers' Association which ended Saturday, is that it was the most satisfactory, practical and valuable ever held.

Guy V. Barnes, of Raleigh, succeeds Stewart Bros. of Winston, as printer. The Stewarts are said to have made a good thing out of the state work through overcharges and by employing cheap labor.

Col. S. McD. Tate, a prominent citizen of Morganton, died suddenly of heart failure Friday evening. He was born in 1830. As a legislator, as president of the Western N. C. Railroad and as State Treasurer he achieved great honors.

The railroad commission will today make the annual assessment of property, including that of the 72 railroads and their branches, of the state.

Lines, 26 telegraph, 29 telephone and 5 street car. The two last named come in under the act of 1897.

The managing editor of Senator Butler's paper says the reports that it is to divide the public printing are incorrect. The public printer has rented the paper's outfit and that the two offices will be operated together.

At a meeting of the University executive committee Saturday at the Governor's office, Ralph H. Graves was elected librarian of the University to succeed Benjamin C. Graves, who resigns to the University of Texas. Mr. Graves is the fourth generation of his name to serve the University of North Carolina for nearly a century.

David Costello Loughlin, the circus performer and acrobat, whose home is at Henderson, is one of the passengers aboard the Columbian line steamer Financier, which recently arrived from London with yellow fever aboard. Mr. Loughlin is one of the sick passengers also. He is just returning from South America, where he has been filling an engagement with a circus.

State Treasurer Worth has brought two suits against Stewart Bros., public printers. One on bond and the other for money paid Stewart Bros. to which they are not entitled, but for which they are liable. The amount demanded by the State is said to approximate \$10,000, though the exact figures are not yet given out. The bond is \$5,000. The suit naturally follows a very serious charge against Stewart Bros. which have been publicly made during the past six days.

An opinion was given by the attorney-general Monday which is far-reaching and starting. It causes intense anger. It is that sections 52 and 53 of the last session act apply to all taxes alike. Section 52 requires the sheriff of each county to report to the judge at each term of the Criminal court following the time when taxes should have been paid and make out a delinquent list, while section 53 provides that persons or corporations who fail to pay taxes shall be punishable by a fine of not over \$500 or imprisoned not over six months. The attorney-general says: "At first I thought the provisions unconstitutional being in contravention of the provision of the State constitution which provides that there shall be no imprisonment for debt, but after some consideration I have concluded they are valid."

How to Cure Bilious Colic.

I suffered for weeks with colic and pains in my stomach caused by biliousness and had to take medicine and while until I used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy which cured me. I have since recommended it to a good many people. Mrs. F. B. Frazier, Fairview, Conn. Persons who are subject to bilious colic can ward off the attack by taking this remedy as soon as the first symptoms appear. Sold by Richardson & Fariss, Druggists.

Liberty Store Items.

We had a nice rain Wednesday night.

More hay than usual is being made in this locality this year. A good idea.

Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Flack visited their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Busick, Sunday.

Wheat has all been put up in good condition and our farmers are "laying by" their corn. Chinch bugs are playing havoc with the corn in some places where it was planted too near wheat.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Busick are yet very sick with fever. Mr. J. W. Busick is also on the sick list. Mr. R. B. Kernodle, who has been sick for some time, is very low at this writing. "Squire Alfred Apple and little daughter are quite sick and Mrs. Apple is feeble. The sympathy of the neighborhood is extended to all these unfortunate people.

Queen Victoria began her golden jubilee Sunday by attending service in St. George's Chapel, at which special prayers were said and a special hymn sung. At the close of the service the Queen affectionately kissed those of her family present, who were surrounded by her cheeks. Services in St. Paul's Cathedral were attended by the Prince and Princess of Wales and many of the royal family and the envoys from other countries and many other dignitaries.

Summerfield Items.

Mr. A. L. Smith, now of your town, is at home for a few days.

The health of the people of our community is very good and the doctors have but little to do.

Mr. G. S. Foster, of Greensboro, was in town yesterday on a visit. He has recently taken unto himself a better half and his visits to Summerfield are more frequent than usual.

The farmers are about through hauling up wheat and a good crop is reported. The chinch bugs are raging in a terrible manner since harvest. They infest the cornfields by millions, and in spite of various remedies used by the farmers they still multiply and it seems they will ruin the corn crop.

"The worst cold I ever had in my life was cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes W. H. Norton, of Sutton Creek, Cal. "This cold left me with a cough and I was kept from my work the time. The Remedy cured me, and I want all of my friends when troubled with a cough or cold to use it, for I will do them good." Sold by Richardson & Fariss, Druggists.

GENERAL NEWS.

It is rumored in Havana that Gen. Maximo Gomez, the Cuban insurgent leader, has been killed.

The British navy review on Saturday was the greatest demonstration of naval power ever made. The United States cruiser Brooklyn participated and was much admired by naval experts.

All the union iron mills in the country, the tin-plate plants and sheet mills will close up Wednesday night and remain closed until the wage scales are settled. No serious trouble is expected.

Hon. Geo. Wesley Atkinson, Governor of West Virginia, was killed Thursday night at Clarksburg, the home of the bride, to Mrs. Myra H. Candan, widow of the late wealthy Judge G. D. Candan.

Governor Bloxham, of Florida, appointed to President McKinley Thursday for United States troops to restore order at Key West, where there was great excitement and disorder of a colored mob.

All the manufacturers of window and tint glass, together with 95 per cent. of the green glass establishments in the country, will shut down at midnight tonight. It is not unlikely that they may remain closed for the longest period in the history of the industry.

Congressman Edward Dean Cook, of Illinois, was found dead in his room at the Cochran Hotel, Washington, Thursday morning about 5 o'clock. His death was the result of a clot on the heart. Mr. Cook retired about 11 o'clock and apparently in perfect health the night previous.

Ex-Gov. Horace Boies, of Iowa, says he does not believe the Democratic party can succeed if it forces the fight upon a platform demanding free coinage of silver. He has always been a staunch friend to silver and was regarded as a possible nominee of the Chicago convention.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—It is a terrible accident to be burned or scalded; but pain and suffering and the trifling inconveniences can be quickly over come without leaving a scar by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Howard Gardner.

Pine Grove Items.

An ice cream supper given by Mr. Will Ross Saturday night was very much enjoyed.

A crowd of our boys went over to Mr. Joe Hodgins' last Wednesday night and had singing and a very nice time.

Mrs. Emily Field and daughter, Miss Ada, are down from Guilford College spending a few weeks at their home and visiting their many friends.

At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Seth Hockett, on Thursday evening, June 24th, Miss Viola Hockett and Mr. Walter Whitehead were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. S. T. Barber. Miss Octavia Hockett was maid of honor and Mr. Toogood was best man. After the ceremony the guests were invited to the dining room, where a bountiful table was set and enjoyed to the fullest extent. We wish the happy couple much happiness.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant, for the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will cure what its names implies. Howard Gardner.

Col. Andrews President.

Col. A. B. Andrews will leave for New York Saturday to take charge of the office of the president of the Southern Railway for the next two months in order that President Spencer may take a vacation. It will be remembered that last year President Spencer went to Europe for some three months and at that time Col. Andrews, who is first vice president of the Southern Railway, had complete charge of the whole system.—Press-Visitor.

Killed in Quarrel Over a Woman.

TAEWELL, Va., June 26.—On Wednesday, in the west end of this country, near Cedar Bluff, two white men, J. M. Wagoner and William Cutshaw, became involved in a difficulty over a woman, which resulted in the death of Cutshaw at the hands of Wagoner by shooting with a Winchester rifle. The former came from North Carolina, and Cutshaw from Ohio.

North Carolina Appointments.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—The president-to-day nominated Herschel S. Harkins to be collector of Internal revenue for the Fifth district of North Carolina, and Theodore E. McCrory to be postmaster at Lexington.

Armfield, Ridge & Vickory.

Have Made Deep Cuts in Several Lines of Their Goods.

A BIG LOT OF

REMNANTS

FOR

LESS THAN COST!

Just call and see for yourself.

ARMFIELD, RIDGE & VICKORY.

Land Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Guilford county in the case of Thomas B. Bower, executor vs. Solomon Gardner and others, the heirs at-law of Solomon Gardner, deceased, I shall on

MONDAY, AUGUST 2, 1897,

at 11 A. M., at the late residence of said Solomon Gardner, sell at public auction to the highest bidder the real estate of said Solomon Gardner, in the following lot and parcel, to-wit: Tract of land lying south of the line of the old road, and north of the line of the old road, containing 35 acres more or less, adjoining the lower land of B. B. Gardner on the east, the land of B. B. Gardner on the west.

The above property will be sold on the following terms: One-half of the price will be paid in cash, and the balance in installments of \$100.00 each, payable on or before the 1st day of January, 1898. The interest on the balance to be paid at 6 per cent. per annum. The 25th day of June, 1897.

M. F. BLAYLOCK, Com.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—William Ryan, better known as "Fat" Ryan, a son of the notorious Sonny Ryan, was arrested Monday on a charge of larceny, the stolen property consisting of two bicycles belonging to Dr. E. L. Stamey and W. W. McCabe. Mr. McCabe's wheel was stolen from the Southern depot platform on the evening of the 18th inst., while Dr. Stamey's was taken only last Friday.

Some one who had seen young Ryan with the wheels tipped him off to the police and Officer Jeffries found one of them at Ryan's grandfather's, several miles in the country. The saddle had been replaced with one from the other wheel, which led to its recovery, also. It was found in the woods about four miles from the city. When arrested Ryan denied any knowledge of the wheels but before reaching the jail he confessed to these thefts as well as others. He admitted having robbed a Mr.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure

Manufactured by the Great Leavening strength of the Royal Baking Powder Co., Ltd., London, England. It is the only baking powder that is absolutely pure and contains no alumina or other injurious ingredients. It is the only baking powder that is absolutely pure and contains no alumina or other injurious ingredients. It is the only baking powder that is absolutely pure and contains no alumina or other injurious ingredients.

GREENSBORO PATRIOT.
ESTABLISHED 1821.
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Mr. Harry C. Martin is on the sick list.

—Mr. Jno. W. King, of Winston, spent Sunday here.

—Mr. J. M. Walker spent Sunday at Mt. Vernon Springs.

—Mrs. L. A. Wyck is seriously ill, threatened with typhoid fever.

—Engineer Claude Pearce is now running on the Virginia Midland.

—The Wakefield Hardware Co. has an important new ad. in this issue.

—Miss Carolina Eiler is visiting friends in the eastern part of the state.

—Sensational rumors from Lexington are heard on the streets this morning.

—Mr. A. L. Morris moved his family from Burlington to Greensboro last week.

—Richardson & Faris have something to tell you about trusses in their new ad.

—A good mare belonging to Banks Boom died Monday, the second he has lost within a year.

—New gas mains have been distributed along South Elm street and will be laid at an early date.

—Squire Alex. Tinkle and little daughter, of McLennanville, were among our callers yesterday.

—Dr. W. H. Brooks has returned from New York, where his injured arm was successfully treated.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gaffin have suffered the loss of infants the past week.

—Mr. D. B. Smith, of this city, has secured a position in the city schools at Marion, S. C., which opens in September.

—Everybody should spend a few hours at the Battle Ground Saturday. There will be much to entertain and instruct.

—Mr. J. P. Dempsey, of Brown Summit, is at Carrollton, Ky., fitting up a new roller process mill. He is an expert millwright.

—A colored man was arrested this morning by Officer Scott on a suspicion of complicity in the burning of C. F. Vanstony's barn.

—W. D. McAdoo is building a big brick barn on South Davis street to replace the one used by Rank Thomas as a livery stable.

—The Reidsville and Greensboro base ball teams play here Saturday afternoon. The existing friendly rivalry guarantees an interesting game.

—L. S. Marshall Milkin's office is now located in this city, the change having been made this week. His office force is quartered in the Federal building.

—Palge's Players appear here again Friday and Saturday evenings, July 2 and 3, and in a special matinee Saturday afternoon. The company now is at Charlotte.

—Mrs. G. W. Vernon, a former resident of this city, died a few days ago at her home in Virginia. Mr. Vernon will be remembered as train dispatcher here for several years.

—Mr. J. E. Staley, of Julian, has gone to Chicago to look after some business interests. He will visit some of the summer resorts along the Great Lakes before returning.

—The Horner School asks for the continued patronage of N. C. and promises the very best instruction and most systematic discipline, moral, mental and physical, to be obtained.

—Mrs. Nannie Weatherly calls your attention to a large line of fresh trimmed hats, cheap and stylish. See them before buying. 109 East Market street, square opposite postoffice.

—Go to Howard Gardner, the wide awake druggist, for Dr. Earl S. Sloan's great horse remedies: Sloan's Liniment, Fever Remedy, Quick Cure, Colic Cure and Worm Powders. 10-1-97.

—Fruit season is here and you need one of our handy spring wagons, two seats, only \$40. We have a nice stock to select from. Come and see them and you will buy. M. G. NEWELL.

—The Wilkesboro Chronicle of last week said: "Mr. W. B. Beacham, of Greensboro, is here, and will begin work on Mr. Morrison's house right away. He is an excellent architect."

—Mr. R. W. Drew, a northerner who is developing a gold mine on Haw River, in Washington township, this county, was one of our callers Monday. He is well pleased with his prospects.

—Some ten, some for twenty and some for thirty years have suffered from piles and then have been quickly and permanently cured by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the great remedy for piles and all forms of skin diseases. Howard Gardner.

BROOKS MANUFACTURING CO.

ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER OF ALL KINDS, HOGSHEAD MATERIAL, PINE BOXES and other Specialties are their line.

Factory, corner of Lee and Ashe Streets; Office, on Lewis Street. T. L. Brooks is Secretary and Treasurer, and C. G. Wright is President. Go to see them when you need anything in their line. The prices and quality will please you.

—A colored man named Gentry, from the Brown Summit neighborhood, will answer to a charge of criminal assault at the next term of court, the victim being his thirteen-year old step-daughter.

—Mr. Chas. C. Weaver, of this city, has been honored with one of the thirteen North Carolina scholarships at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore. He will probably spend three years there.

—The commencement number of the State Normal Magazine is on sale at Wharton Bros' book store. The addresses of Mr. Walter Page, Dr. Curry, Hon. J. S. Carr and others are given in full.

—An enjoyable and profitable lawn party was given by the ladies of West Market Street church last Thursday evening on the spacious lawn surrounding Squire Eckel's home on South Davis street.

—Some of the parties who couldn't resist the temptation afforded by Mr. J. L. Fonda's fruits and vegetables have come to grief this week. They will answer for their sins at the next term of court.

—The Oak Leaf, published by the Athenian and Philomathean literary societies of Oak Ridge Institute, sends out an unusually interesting number for June. The copy which reached us is appreciated.

—Petitions from the various churches of the city will be presented to the county commissioners at their next regular meeting praying that no liquor licenses be granted in Guilford county the coming year.

—Gov. Russell has appointed Dr. D. W. C. Benbow, of this city, one of the nine delegates to represent North Carolina at the National Conference of Charities and Correction at Toronto, Canada, July 7th to 11th.

—Remember the attractions at the Academy of Music this week: Friday evening, "The Life of an Actress;" Saturday evening, "My Mother-in-Law," both tip-top comedies admirably presented by Paige's Players. Popular prices.

—The residence of Mr. J. H. Neal, just west of the city limits, was burglarized early Sunday morning of about \$15 in money, a couple of shot guns, two watches, a pistol, some clothing and a lot of eatables. The thieves, and there were evidently two or more of them, have so far eluded detection.

—Wanted.—Three energetic salesmen at once to travel Guilford, Randolph, Alamance and Davidson counties who can furnish horse and a small honest bond. Experience unnecessary. Address THE SINGER MANUFACTURING CO., Greensboro, N. C. 21-1.

—We have a number of testimonials from mothers in Greensboro and surrounding towns who say that nothing relieves their children of whooping cough as quickly and permanently as Good Grease Liniment. It stops a hoarse cough of coughing at once and prevents a return. Satisfaction guaranteed.

—A school paper is shortly to be issued by the Faculty and Cadets of the Horner School. In the June issue will be printed the Oration that won prizes at the Horner School Commencement. Photographs of the Medalists will be given. We look forward with interest and pleasure to the first appearance of this paper.

—The escape of Lexington's foul murderer should prompt every county in North Carolina to procure bloodhounds that would be available in such emergencies. Many villains would be deterred from crime by the knowledge that detection would almost inevitably follow. Guilford county could make no better investment.

—The Horner School, of Oxford, N. C., points with pride to the standing maintained by her students in our Colleges. The two students who led the Freshman class of more than 100 students which graduated in '97 at the University were both prepared at Horner School. Five of the base-ball team were also from this school.

—The board of aldermen meets tonight to take final action on the Summit Avenue matter, the entire right of way having been secured. At the regular meeting Friday evening the nine applications for city liquor licenses were ordered to be favorably reported to the county commissioners. The license remains the same as heretofore, \$500.

—The county commissions were in session Monday revising the jury lists. They also made application to Gov. Russell for a special term of court for civil actions only beginning August 2d and continuing three weeks. The regular term of two weeks begins August 23rd, making a continuous term of five weeks, one of which, however, will be devoted to the criminal docket.

—A dispatch printed in another column tells of the awful death of Walter Steele, an aeronaut who formerly made Greensboro his headquarters. He was expected here this week to make an ascension at the Battle Ground. It is said that an aunt and sister of the dead man met death in a similar manner. Steele's home was in Canada, and his bravery had long since reached the point of recklessness.

—The sympathy of the PATRIOT is extended to Uncle Jake Hicks, the well known old railroad engineer, who is sorely bereaved by the loss of his faithful companion through life. Mrs. Hicks died suddenly Saturday evening and was buried Sunday, Rev. Dr. Weaver conducting the funeral service. The deceased possessed many characteristics that endeared her to her family and friends.

—W. B. Johnson, Newark, O., says, "One Minute Cough Cure saved my only child from dying by croup." It has saved thousands of others suffering from croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and other serious throat and lung troubles. Howard Gardner.

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—A dispatch from Roanoke Monday tells of an accident which befell our friend Capt. S. Johnson, formerly of Summerfield, this county, but now a resident of Winston. It says: "Conductor Johnson, of the Roanoke & Southern, was badly hurt by the explosion of an air-pipe in one of the brakes on his train last night. He was knocked insensible and it took some time before he was himself again."

—Postoffice Inspector Dexter, Mr. J. W. Scott and Mr. W. H. Rice were at Wilkesboro yesterday, witnesses before Commissioner Cranor in the preliminary hearing of I. N. West, of Grigsby, who was held under \$500 bond for his appearance at the next term of Federal court here to answer to the charge of devising a scheme to defraud by the use of the postal establishment of the United States. The offense was committed in 1895.

—Representatives of all the cotton mills in Randolph county met here Friday and effected a permanent organization with Mr. O. R. Cox, of the Cedar Falls Manufacturing Company, president, and Mr. Hal. M. Worth, of the Worth Manufacturing Company, secretary. It was unanimously agreed to curtail production one-third time until the new cotton crop is on the market. The next meeting of the association will be held at the call of the president.

—A man arrested at Chattanooga last week for trying to realize on worthless checks in every respect answered to the description of H. H. Watson, who defrauded Mr. Hammer, of the Benbow House, recently. At Chattanooga he registered as C. C. Kemp. Later on he was turned over to the authorities at Nashville, where he was wanted. Unless there is a clear case against him there he will be brought back here on a requisition and tried, where conviction is certain.

—Mr. Lucien Smith, the well known base ball pitcher, who home is near Greensboro, was here today. Mr. Smith has been with the Wilkesboro, Pa., team in the Eastern League, but has been purchased by the Lyons, N. Y. club. Mr. Smith's old associate on the diamond, Bob Stafford, is playing first base for the Milwaukee team in the Western League. His batting average is something like .350 and several major league teams are "laying" for him. Press-Visitor.

—All the Methodist Sunday schools of this city, West Market, Centenary and Grace, will spend a day at Col. J. S. Carr's Oconeechnee Farm, near Hillsboro, next week. Col. Carr has generously proffered the schools the freedom of this celebrated farm, including the ponies, hay wagons and everything calculated to delight the younger scholars, while the grown folks can not fail to enjoy a day of recreation at that charming place. Thursday, the 8th, is the date fixed.

—Sick headache can be quickly and completely overcome by using those famous little pills known as "DeWitt's Little Early Risers." Howard Gardner.

—The World says J. W. Walker, of Greensboro, who ran the Rowan House at Salisbury several months and later a store and boarding house at Spencer and still later skipped out, leaving several anxious creditors to mourn his departure, has been convicted of handling "green goods" in South Carolina and sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Miss Addie Houser, of Charlotte, who posed as his "private secretary," also got five years. Walker has a wife, a very nice lady, and two grown sons.

—Not only piles of the very worst kind can be cured by DeWitt's Little Early Risers, but eczema, burns, bruises, boils, ulcers and all other skin troubles can be instantly relieved by the same remedy. Howard Gardner.

—Twenty-five scholarships are now open to students at Whitsett Institute, Whitsett, N. C. This school was formerly known as Fairview Institute and Commercial College, but the name has been recently changed, the school incorporated, and many additional advantages are now offered to students. The Fall Term opens Aug. 1st, and those desiring help from the Scholarship above mentioned will do well to write at once for further information. New Catalogues are now ready. Address W. T. WHITSETT, PR. D., Supt., Whitsett, N. C.

—"They are dandies" said Thos. Bowers, of the Crocker, Texas, Enterprise, while writing about DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for sick headache and disorders of the stomach and liver. Howard Gardner.

—Mr. W. F. Bogart announces his annual midsummer excursion to Wilmington through the PATRIOT columns this week. The schedule and detailed information will be found in his advertisement. His excursions are gaining in popularity each year because they afford genuine pleasure to all who take advantage of them. Everyone wants to visit the seashore at least once a year and no more favorable opportunity will be afforded than that advertised for July 14th. The fare is reasonable and the accommodations are guaranteed. Write or call on Mr. Bogart or any member of the committee for further particulars.

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—We acknowledge an invitation from Prof. L. L. and Mrs. M. M. Hobbs to the marriage of their sister, Miss Judith Genevieve Mendenhall and Mr. Augustine Wilberforce Blair, which occurs in King Hall, Guilford College, on Monday, July 5th, at four o'clock. P. M. Miss Mendenhall is well known here, having at one time served as librarian at the State Normal College. Mr. Blair, a member of the faculty of Guilford College, has recently been honored with a responsible position under the State government. They are both cultured people and the Patron wishes them the fullest measure of happiness.

—Mr. N. N. Osburn, well known at Woodstock, Mich., was troubled with a lame back. He was persuaded to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It gave him relief in one night. This remedy is also famous for its cures of rheumatism. For sale by Richardson & Faris, Druggist.

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| Climax, | 8.10 " | " 1.65, " 85c. | Ore Hill, | 9.10 " | " 1.40, " 75c. |
| Julian, | 8.20 " | " 1.65, " 85c. | Sanford, | 9.50 " | " 1.25, " 75c. |
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Wednesday, July 14th, Return July 15th.

COMMITTEE: J. C. Lambeth, Reidsville; J. L. Arnold, Jamestown; Dr. Robinson, Guilford College; Riley Tucker, Pleasant Garden; J. C. Wilson, Tabernacle; H. C. Causey, Liberty; R. W. White, Ore Hill; J. F. McArthur, Staley.

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GORDON RE-ELECTED.

The Gallant and Gifted Georgian Again Honored.

Nashville, Tenn., June 23.—The annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, a business meeting was held at which reports were presented and Gen. John B. Gordon delivered an address. General Gordon delivered his remarks with an announcement of his intention to resign as general commanding. There were cries of "No," "No," from all over the hall and when quiet had been restored, General Gordon proceeded with his address.

When General Gordon had concluded his address, a motion that General Wheeler be requested to nominate General Gordon for re-election was made and carried. Gen. Stephen D. Lee, who had been called to the chair, declared nominations closed, and General Gordon was unanimously re-elected. The thousands of delegates present cheered and waved their hats and handkerchiefs.

The committee on credentials reported 7,600 delegates present and 1,000 camps represented.

The report of the board of trustees of the Confederate Memorial Association was read and adopted.

At the business session this afternoon it was voted to meet in Atlanta next year.

The afternoon session was held for the purpose of winding up the business matters before the association. The unanimous refusal of the association to allow Gen. J. B. Gordon to retain the position of chief of staff put an end to possible difficulties and entanglements and paved the way for a speedy disposition of the remaining business.

A resolution commending the queen Victoria was voted down and the resolution to praise the queen's jubilee was defeated.

HISTORY AND MEMORIAL.

The principal reports were by the committee on history and the memorial association. The history committee in substance reported in favor of the plan now pursued of inviting many writers into the field of history rather than selecting one or more to write a history. The memorial report showed that the board of trustees were making excellent progress, and would be able to report a location for the memorial building at the next reunion, provided camps and bivouacs submitted liberally. Both reports were adopted.

BOE TAYLOR SANG.

To-night in the tabernacle thousands were delighted with a Confederate concert in which were sung and played old Confederate airs. Gov. R. L. Taylor and Mr. S. M. Gardner sang a duet which captured the audience. After this concert, the Confederate Reunion Club gave a ball and reception to the young people attending the reunion at the capitol. It was a brilliant affair and was attended by thousands.

IMMENSE CROWDS.

Fully 10,000 visitors were in the city to-day, and to-morrow this number will be greatly increased. The veterans and their friends will devote themselves to social recreations to-morrow.

There are 15,000 of the old soldiers in attendance. Official badges have been issued to more than 12,000, and regularly delegated attendants from camps and bivouacs number, according to official reports, more than eight thousand. There never before has been so large a gathering in this city. Hotels are jammed, business houses are full, the temporary lodging places are crowded.

GREAT PARADE TO-DAY.

The great parade occurs to-morrow. From every adjacent county comes information that thousands are ready to advance under this city. Ten thousand men will be in line. Governor Taylor and staff, Governor O'Ferrall of Virginia, the staff of Governor Culberson of Texas, members of the Texas legislature, Generals Buckner, Stewart, Wheeler, Evans, Wood and others will be in line.

All the States forming the Southern Confederacy will be represented in the order in which they voted to secede.

After passing through the principal streets of the city, the procession will move to the Centennial grounds, where a jubilee meeting will be held in the auditorium.

At night the veterans are expected to witness a splendid display of fireworks prepared especially for the occasion.

Uncle Sam's Great Land Possessions.

"The area of the United States is 3,625,690 square miles; with Alaska it is 3,662,990 square miles, equal to the area of all Europe, with Italy and Turkey excepted." "The Great Nation on Earth," in the July Ladies' Home Journal. "Texas, its largest State, is two hundred and twelve times the size of Rhode Island. Texas might invite every man, woman and child now living in the world to settle within its territory, offering each individual a plot of ground forty-nine and a half feet by one hundred feet. The State would not be really crowded, for each individual would have four times the space taken by each person in New York City, England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, Italy and Portugal could be transplanted to Texas and there would still be room for a good-sized promenade where curious Americans could walk and study this bit of Europe. Three of the cattle ranches of Texas cover as much territory as the Sandwich Islands, which we were to annex four years ago."

Colorado Holidays Swept Away.

For the ensuing two years Colorado will be distinguished as the only state in the Union which has Fourth of July, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas, New Year's Day and Washington's Birthday are not legal holidays. The discovery has just been made that an act of the legislature in regard to negotiable instruments repealed the statute establishing these holidays. The only legal holidays left in Colorado are Arbor Day, Labor Day and the Saturday half-holiday.

The North Atlantic fleet will rendezvous in Hampton Roads in August for drill. The maneuvers will not be on an extended scale as last year.

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The North Polar Problem.

At a recent meeting of the Royal Geographical Society, London, attended by Nansen, arctic explorer, the present state of our knowledge, as witnessed by Nansen's discoveries, was sketched by the various speakers. Sir Clements Markham, president of the society, referred in his review of the polar problem to the theory of our Maury of an "open polar sea," which theory is now again in favor, being sustained by all recent observations. The cardinal facts of the polar question are these: That the southern border of the polar sea, along the north coast of America and Greenland, is covered with very heavy ancient ice, from Behring strait to Franklin bay and beyond, only a narrow lane being kept open by the current of the Mackenzie and Colville rivers between the land and the pack; that a great stream of heavy ice flows southward down the east coast of Greenland; that warmer water, due to the gulf stream, comes to the surface of the sea along the Siberian coast, and aided by the outflow of the Siberian rivers and the prevailing winds forms a current northward across the polar area. So much was known before Nansen's memorable voyage in the Fram, but there were uncertainties and misconceptions as to certain important points.

Nansen has thrown new light on the whole problem and given it a certain definite character. His chief discovery is that there is a very deep sea north of the Fram, a Josef group of islands, continuous with the deep sea known to exist north of Spitzbergen, and that this deep sea has a relatively warm temperature in its depths. The warmer water begins 100 fathoms below the surface and extends down to 250 fathoms. If it be due to the gulf stream, its greater salinity and consequent greater density would keep it in the depths, while the fresh water of the Siberian rivers would be lighter and continue on the surface. It was ascertained by Nansen that the time occupied by ice in drifting across the polar basin is a little over three years, and that the ice bearing ocean extends at least as far as the pole. There is, it is believed, a general drift of ice across the polar basin from the eastern to the western hemisphere, as well as from left to right, due to the flow of warmer water into the polar area, which seeks an outlet southward at every opening. Hence the ice current southward along the east coast of Greenland. No adequate opening is found along the northern coast of Canada or Greenland, for which reason ice accumulates there and attains a great age.

An interesting question, in Nansen's view, is as to the extent of land and sea in the polar region. The north polar basin is a deep sea filled with comparatively warm water, and the pole is situated in that deep basin. There cannot be much land north of the Fram's route, else it would stop the outflow of ice southward past Greenland. No land birds were seen flying northward, as would have been the case if there were land in that direction. There might be small islands, but no great area. Such islands would account for the delay of the ice seems to encounter at times.

The oldest ice Nansen saw in the polar region was five or six years old, averaging from 10 to 12 feet. The explorer favored another trial of his plan of trying to drift across the polar area, and suggested that a ship should try to enter the current somewhere to the northeast of Behring strait, and not so far west as the point from which he started. "It would probably last for five years," said Nansen; at which the audience laughed, being tickled, it appears, at the cheerfulness with which such a dangerous and dismal experiment was proposed. There would be no difficulty, he thought, in reaching the pole. With 200 dogs it was certainly practicable. But he did not think the exploit worth the trouble. What was wanted was a careful study of the winds and currents and other natural phenomena of the polar area, with a view to the enrichment of science.

Married Seventy-two Years.

On May 3 the Rev. Andrew Patrick and his wife, Olivia, of Grays, Knox county, Ky., had been married exactly seventy-two years. Both are in good health and in enjoyment of all their faculties. He is ninety-two years old and she is eighty-five. His living descendants in the fifth generation, Mr. Patrick was born in North Carolina in 1805, and at an early age he moved to Tennessee. At Elk River, that State, he met his wife, then Olivia Manor, and they were married when she was a little less than fifteen years old. Thirteen children were born to Mr. Patrick and his wife, six boys and seven girls. The oldest of their children is now seventy. He, like his father, is a Baptist minister. The Rev. Andrew Patrick has 428 living descendants. There are 104 grand-children, 304 great-grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren. He has a grandson, fifty-three years old, who has grandchildren, five or six years old. Mr. Patrick has been preaching for sixty years, and during that time has had many interesting experiences.

The Queen's Jubilee procession in London was a magnificent success. The weather was perfect.

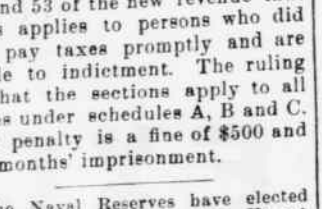
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MR. BRYAN EXONERATED.

Senator Allen Denounces Bateman and His Bribery Story in Strong Terms.

WASHINGTON, June 23.—Immediately after the prayer in the Senate to-day, Mr. Allen of Nebraska, arose to a question of personal privilege in connection with the conduct of the last campaign. There was much of interest in the statement, as Mr. Allen was chairman of the Populist national convention. Mr. Allen read a published press dispatch from Lewiston, Maine, stating that Professor L. C. Bateman, candidate of the People's party of Maine for governor last year, was out in an attack on W. J. Bryan to the effect that Mr. Bryan's gift of \$1,500 to the Populist national committee was with understanding that a position favoring Bryan should be taken by the Populist national convention. Mr. Allen made a sweeping denial. He said Mr. Bryan had determined to divide the royalties on his book, and in doing so he allotted \$1,500 to the Populist party. The draft was sent to Mr. Allen, but the chairman of the Populist national committee (Senator Butler, of North Carolina) declined to accept it. Thereupon, at the suggestion of Mr. Bryan, Mr. Allen invested the amount, to be used in the interest of bimetalism.

Mr. Allen declared that the statement that any agreement existed as to the gift in the convention with the gift was "an absolute and unqualified falsehood." There had never been, he declared, an attempt to fuse the parties, either nationally or locally. Mr. Allen also specifically denied the statement that Mr. Bryan had given the \$1,500 to the Populist party in return for a high tribute to Mr. Bryan and an arraignment of Professor Bateman.

An Aeronaut Killed.

LYNCHBURG, Va., June 22.—Walter Steele, a well known balloonist, was killed here to-day afternoon while making an ascent at Riverton Park in the presence of a large crowd. The balloon had been inflated in a small circular opening in quite a large body of woods. The day was clear and beautiful, but occasionally a brisk breeze would sweep across the tree tops. When the aeronaut had completed his preparations the ropes were loosened and the balloon started straight towards the open skies. Just as the main body of the balloon passed the trees it was caught by a gust of wind and carried with great force toward the north. A cry of horror went up from the crowd, for it was seen that Steele could not miss striking one of the lofty trees. As the big sphere of gas swung away, it left him suspended for a moment in the centre of the opening, and in plain view. The next moment he was hurled with awful velocity into a tree which stood on the edge of a ravine of some depth, and from the very top of the tree into the bottom of this depression the aeronaut plunged. There was a sickening thud, and a doctor, who reached him in a few seconds, stated after a brief examination that death had been instantaneous.

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30 DRINKS IN 40 MINUTES.

And Mr. W. B. Young Died With Convulsions.

WINSTON, N. C., June 24.—Mr. W. B. Young, of Southern, Va., aged about 40 years, died from convulsions, produced by strong drink in the office of his physician, Dr. Farrington, at 5:20 o'clock. The deceased came to Winston six weeks ago and was employed by contractors to superintend the construction of a large dam across the Yadkin river.

He had been drinking nearly ever since he arrived here. He owns the large Buffalo farm near Southern and is said to be the proprietor of the Star tobacco warehouse at Danville. He told his physician to-day that he took 30 drinks of whiskey in 40 minutes and would die.

His only brother, professor of English literature in Richmond College, died two weeks ago.

Mr. Young requested that his remains be sent to his cousin, J. R. Chaney, at Southern, and this will be done. When he came here he had \$600. About \$100 of this is supposed to be in the bank. It will require more than that amount to pay his hotel and other bills about town.

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