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## IT CANNOT BE.

It cannot be that He who made this wonderful world for our delight, designed that all its charms should fade.

And pass forever from our sight; That all shall wither and decay, And know on earth no life but this, With only an unending bliss.

It cannot be that all the years Of toil and care and grief we live, Shall find no recompense but tears, No sweet return that earth can give; That all that leads us to aspire, And struggle onward to achieve, With every unattained desire, Was given only to deceive.

It cannot be that all the ties Of kindred souls and loving hearts Are broken when this body dies, And the immortal mind departs; That no serene light shall break At last upon our mortal eyes, To guide us as our footsteps make The pilgrimage to Paradise.

**RUSSELL AND GRANT.**  
The Governor Denounces the Goldsboro Politician—Grant Favors Russell's Impeachment.

Grant is a Hessian who betrayed his constituents in order to get the smiles and favors of the monopolists, and he is one of the sneaks and traitors whose existence and safety attest to the liberality and toleration of the decent people among whom he lives.—From an interview with Gov. Russell Thursday.

Things are beginning to warm up in the Republican camp. As it well known there are two distinct factions among the leaders—the Russellites and the Pritchardites.

The jockeying for place has commenced. Already there have been several conferences here of Russell's friends and more than one Pritchardite has made a weary pilgrimage to Marshall, to commune with the Nolachucky trickster.

The last of these pilgrimages, and the most important one was made this week by Maj. Hyppo Lovell Grant, of Goldsboro. Now the Major wants to be state chairman of the Republican committee, and he's running on the Pritchard ticket. So he went to the Senator's home, remained two days and filled up with anti-Russell venom.

Then on his way home he stopped over in Raleigh long enough to give out the following interview: "I have found only one Republican who approves of Russell's course, and that one is Marshall Mott. Russell is the only one here for him to go to. Sheriff Call, of Wilkes, told me yesterday that the Democrats would nominate him for Solicitor, and that the Populists would endorse him. Russell actually could not get one vote now, where he got 500 last year. Butler's policy is to kill Russell with his own party. If there is to be an anti-Democratic candidate for the Senate in 1900, Russell would logically be the man. But Butler will kill him so dead that as between the two Republicans would rather vote for Butler than for Russell. Butler has him in his hands, and is moulding him like clay. He will use him and drop him as he did Otto Wilson and me. Russell has no political sagacity, and can't see through Butler's promises. The latter has so pandered to the Governor's vanity that he is beside himself. Our party will pay no attention to Russell. It can't afford to do it. He has voluntarily put himself 'outside the pale.' He broods over imaginary things until in time they become facts to him, and then he acts upon them—nine-tenths of them being imaginary. Russell will not serve out his time if any one will bring articles of impeachment against him in the next Legislature. He could be impeached for 'general eavesdropping.' I do not know one act of his which could be construed to be in the interest of the state. His railroad movements are in the interest of his lawyers."

I called on Governor Russell yesterday afternoon and asked him what he had to say in regard to this interview. At first he refused to say anything, replying that he didn't wish to talk about such "seabs." But when his attention was called to the fact that Maj. Grant was generally believed to be a candidate for state chairman, and it might therefore be well to notice his utterances. The Governor said:

"Grant is a Hessian who betrayed his constituents in order to get the smiles and favors of the monopolists, and he is one of the sneaks and traitors whose existence and safety attest to the liberality and toleration of the decent people among whom he lives. He came to my house, uninvited, to tell me about his personal devotion to me and about how he had been misrepresented, and the rigmarole about his being ostracized and persecuted in Goldsboro on account of his being a Republican. I suppressed my contempt for him and treated him politely, but made him no promises and accepted none of his fraternal advances."

Behind all these sharp words there is a story which the readers of this paper will remember. It dates back to the days of the campaign, when Grant was, or professed to be, Russell's bosom friend. At any rate he was his campaign manager. Then came the inauguration and still they were as thick as two peas in a pod.

It was the railroad fight that first showed the line of cleavage between this political Damon and Pythias. Grant got caught in the corporation net, while the Governor bossed the other side of the fight. Grant began to do things that the Governor

didn't endorse; indeed, he became a leader of the railroad forces in the Legislature. This, of course, did not make the Governor love the Major any better, so, early in the summer, when the time came to appoint directors for the negro State Normal schools, and Grant recommended himself for chairman of the negro school in Goldsboro, the Governor promptly struck out his name and substituted that of another. This made everybody in the State laugh, except Grant; he got mad, mighty mad, and made awful threats.

Later he seemed to think he was playing a losing game at that, and so, when the Governor was on his way to Wilmington one Saturday, Grant got on the train at Goldsboro, went down with his Excellency and next day called on him to again protest his devotion and undying loyalty. The result is told in the Governor's interview above.

Thus baffled, beaten and spurned, the Major swore a mighty oath to be avenged, and now he is collecting the anti-Russell forces, demanding his impeachment and running for State chairman on that issue; and in it he has been trying to get Pritchard and his friends to back him.

It is evident from the hot words above that both sides mean business and that it will be fought out to a finish.—News and Observer.

**A Blow to Free Coinage.**  
PARIS, Oct. 6.—It has become known here that the Indian government, in reply to a further pressing invitation by the English cabinet to consider Senator Wolcott's proposals, has answered that it cannot reopen the question of Indian currency and will not be a party to reopening its mints for the free coinage of silver.

In well-informed English circles it is not believed that Lord Salisbury's government will dare to override on this question the decision of the Indian government. Senator Wolcott's mission must thus be considered abortive.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—The Times this morning, in an editorial on the recent currency correspondence, calls for the publication of details as to what the French and American governments demand and offer.

The Daily News in its financial article refers to the rumors that an active correspondence is proceeding between the home and Indian governments and that the concessions to America will include holding a fifth of the Bank of England reserve in silver, raising the amount of legal tender of silver coin from £2 to £5 and reopening the Indian mints, and says:

"It is very much to be desired than an end should be put to the present mischievous agitation and its attendant disquieting reports."

**Asheville Bankers Arrested.**  
A special from Asheville says: William E. Breece, president, W. H. Penland, cashier, and J. C. Dickerson, a director of the defunct First National Bank of Asheville, were arrested here this (Thursday) morning on indictments from the United States court, in session at Greensboro, charging them with embezzlement and conspiracy. Thirty thousand dollars bail was required in each case, which was given.

They have all been under \$5,000 bonds since July 1, for violating the national banking act. Since then, National Bank Examiner Maxey has been in Asheville, and has made some startling discoveries. One of these discoveries is alleged to be the fact that \$250,000 of "accommodation notes," signed by the officials, and some forged papers, are in the bank. Some of the insolvent notes had been rediscounted at other banks. C. B. Leonard, the man who is supposed to have secured the note signers, comprising janitors, street car motormen, plasterers, carpenters and others of no financial standing, has fled to Mexico.

Almond Cream Lotion will cure chapped hands and lips. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

**The Wrong Man.**  
Sheriff Call, of Wilkes, who spent Tuesday night here, went to Greensboro next morning. From him it was learned that the man John Chestnam, who was arrested in South Carolina a few days ago charged with murdering a man named Ray, in Wilkes county, about 22 years ago, was brought to Wilkesboro Monday and the officer who made the arrest applied for the reward.

Upon investigation it was discovered that the man under arrest was not Chestnam, but his name is Aaron Cheatwood. He acknowledged that this was his name and that he was the man who killed Jim Eastop in Alleghany county 19 years ago. He was carried to the latter county for trial.—Winston Sentinel.

The North German Lloyd steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse ran from New York to Plymouth, England, in 5 days, 15 hours and 10 minutes, breaking all previous records to Plymouth and Southampton by more than half a day.

**MOTHERS PRAISE HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA,** because, by its great blood-enriching qualities, it gives rosy cheeks and vigorous appetites to pale and puny children.

**HOOD'S PILLS** are the favorite family cathartic and liver medicine. Price 25c.

**THOUSANDS PERISH IN CHINA.**  
Late Floods About Peking the Most Disastrous Ever Known.

The steamer Victoria, which arrived last week at Tacoma, Wash., brings news of the most disastrous floods that have visited China for many years. Sixty villages near Tung Chou, containing over 80,000 inhabitants, have been destroyed by floods, and the people drowned or forced to flee. There is no means of finding out how many thousands have been drowned, but the number is estimated by Chinese authorities at from 15,000 to 20,000.

The flooded district is within twelve miles of Peking, the capital of China. As a rule, Chinese officials make very little stir when a calamity like this happens, but the proximity of the disaster has resulted in its being brought to the attention of the emperor, who has ordered that all possible relief be given. Survivors from the villages nearest Peking have been allowed such shelter as they can find in the city walls, but thousands are without protection against the rain, which continues to fall.

The floods have greatly damaged a large number of estates belonging to Peking nobles. The unusual rains began July 23 and continued until August 15. The crops in the flooded district were destroyed.

Early in September high officials of Peking and Tien-tsin suddenly forbade the slaughter of cattle, their object being to appease the wrath of the gods and stop the rain. The result was to cut off the entire meat supply, which led foreign consuls to protest and to report the situation to the foreign ministers at Peking. It is claimed that the action of the officials constitutes a violation of the treaty rights.

**BUSINESS UNDER THE NEW TARIFF.**  
Exports Increased, But the Bottom Dropped Out of Imports.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The Bureau of Statistics has issued tables showing the exports and imports for August, the first full month under the new tariff law. These figures show for that month the largest exports of domestic merchandise of any August in the history of the government. The exports were \$79,490,264, against \$66,859,981 for August, 1896. For the first eight months of the year the exports were \$61,810,000 in excess of the first eight months of 1896, so that the bureau officials believe that the exports this year will far exceed those of last year, which was itself a record-breaking year in the matter of exports.

The value of all imports, dutiable and free for August was \$39,848,312, of which \$18,629,607 were free. These figures show a decrease of about \$10,000,000 below those of 1896. The decrease was due to a heavy reduction in the importation of raw wool which decreased from 4,651,000 pounds in August last year, to 2,877,877 pounds last August; manufactured wool from \$3,709,000 to \$639,000; and manufactures therefrom of \$1,963,000 to \$1,271,000; manufactures of cotton from \$2,553,000 to \$1,613,000; manufactures of jute, flax, hemp, etc., from \$2,221,000 to \$999,289; iron and steel from \$1,766,067 to \$887,344, and sugars from \$5,340,000 to \$2,956,000.

For headache, dizziness, biliousness, constipation, etc., use Dr. Howard's Vegetable Liver Granules. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

**GUITEAU'S PISTOL.**  
The One With Which He Shot Garfield Recovered by the Police.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 7.—The police have recovered what they believe is the pistol with which Guiteau shot President Garfield, and put it in the cabinet at headquarters for safe keeping.

It is an ordinary British bulldog, of cheap make, the handle being set in with pieces of bone and ivory. It is said to have been obtained from a citizen who has had it in his possession for a number of years. July 2, 1881, the pistol was taken from police headquarters by Colonel George B. Corbitt, then district attorney. Subsequently it disappeared, and trace of it was obtained only recently.

**Feeless Corn Cure.** Guaranteed to cure corns in from three to five days. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

**SOUTHERN COTTON MILLS.**  
New England Manufacturers are Invited to Visit Them.

The Southern Railway Company has extended an invitation to the New England Cotton Manufacturers' Association to visit the cotton mill centres of the South, located along that system of railway, and it is expected a large number of them will accept the invitation.

About 250 cotton mills are on the line of the Southern Railway, and the number is increasing.

For coughs and colds use Compound Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

**Cody Brothers Released.**  
BURRIS, Mont., Oct. 7.—The Cody brothers, held at Red Lodge for the North Carolina authorities, have been released on habeas corpus on the ground of insufficiency in the sheriff's return. The men are under sentence of death for burglary in North Carolina.

**For Over Fifty Years.**  
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children's whooping cough, colds, croup, teething, and all the little ailments that afflict them. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind.

**Mary had a little lamb,**  
Its fleece was white as snow,  
And everywhere that Mary went  
The lamb was sure to go.

Now, it is no great surprise that Mary loved this precious little animal, for she knew the warmth of its soft little coat. Suits made of the same kind of material as grew upon this little pet's back we are selling for

**\$7.50 AND GONE YONDER!**

There has just been imported from Europe a novel and unique thing in the way of a heater. It will not be on exhibition for several days, but in order to make space in our overflowing sales rooms we will for the next ten days exercise special effort to please our customers.

Call for one of our vulcanized rubber, cemented seam, guaranteed Waterproof All Wool Mackintoshes. Price \$5.00.

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**DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts,** was the originator of "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," the same that has borne and does now bear the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Pitcher* on every bear the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Pitcher* on the wrapper. This is the original "PITCHER'S CASTORIA," which has been used in the homes of the mothers of America for over thirty years. LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is the kind you have always bought, *Chas. H. Pitcher* on the wrapper. No one has authority from me to use my name except The Centaur Company of which Chas. H. Pitcher is President.

March 8, 1897. *Samuel Pitcher, M.D.*

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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.**

—Mr. Julius J. Newman and Miss Rosa E. Rayle, both of this county, were married by Rev. A. G. Kirkman last Thursday at the residence of Mr. W. A. Sharpe, on South Ashe street.

—The ladies of West Market Street M. E. church are making active preparations for their Christyannem show next month. A list of the prizes offered will be found in another column.

—Wharton Bros., the enterprising booksellers and stationers, have a new ad. in this issue calling attention to their school books. They sell all sorts of school supplies at the most reasonable prices.

—The reception given by the old to the new students at the State Normal College Saturday night was a well arranged and delightfully executed affair. Musical and literary features were prominent.

—Sam Harvey is under bond for his appearance at the next term of court. Sam has exhausted the patience of the city officials and now the state will try its hand at keeping him sober and in harmony with law and decency.

—The High Point Citizen of last week said: "Rev. N. R. Richardson is assisting in a series of meetings at Jamestown this week. We learn that the meeting is very successful and that much interest is being manifested."

—J. W. Smith, who passed forged checks on C. P. Vanosty, of this place, and J. C. Welsh, of High Point, last spring, is under arrest at Spartanburg, S. C., for a similar offense and is certain of a long term in the penitentiary.

—Local rains have fallen in this locality this week but the ground is not wet enough by any means to suit the farmers. However, good rains are reported in most of the southern states and we may soon be favored with a "soaker."

—One end of a box car loaded with loose pears was smashed in the Southern yards here last Wednesday night. The job of transferring the fruit was one of the most agreeable that the railroad men have had since the watermelon season closed.

—Mr. J. B. Stroud, of the firm of Matthews, Chisholm & Stroud, was called to Sanford Friday by the illness of his mother, Mrs. M. A. Stroud, a most excellent christian woman and a former resident of this city. Her death occurred Sunday.

—Reader, if you buy good shoes in the fall of the year you will not have to buy another pair before spring, nor will you have to go with wet feet through the winter rains and snow. You can find good shoes at low prices by calling on J. M. Hendrix & Co.

—J. H. Sullivan and S. Gleason, of Alamance county, who were found guilty in the Federal court last week of removing whiskey from and burning a government warehouse near Burlington, were each sentenced to three years in the penitentiary and a fine of \$2,000.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Woody, of Prosperity, were among our callers Saturday morning on their return from Washington City, leaving later in the day to spend Sunday with his father, Mr. N. D. Woody, at Gilmer's Store. Their visit to the nation's capital afforded them much pleasure.

—A good tobacco season has arrived. Tobacco is rolling into our warehouses and the farmers are going home happy. This reminds one of the good old times, and while the prices are not so fancy as several years ago the average is good, which is far better. Our market has started out not to be left this season.

—The Norfolk and Western Railway will carry free until the close of the hunting season, March 31, 1908, when accompanied by owner, and at their risk, the dogs of sportsmen or hunting parties, not exceeding one dog to each man. Owners must furnish chain, so that dogs may be securely fastened in baggage cars.

—The Southern is having a great deal of trouble now with train rocks. Nearly every night some train is rocked. The Charlotte News says that Friday night the fast mail going South was rocked three times between Fraklin Junction and Greensboro. The rocks came from the same side of the road in every instance.

—Sufficient money has been subscribed to pay for setting the auditorium of the new West Market street M. E. church and the finishing touches to the magnificent structure will follow rapidly. The pay-as-you-go policy has been used to advantage in the construction of this building and the wisdom in its adoption is apparent.

—Wagon tar is about the last thing in the world a merchant would think of advertising, but Hiatt & Lamb want their friends to know they have just received a barrel that will be sold at a reasonable price. It is such disagreeable stuff to handle that few stores keep it in stock, but it can be found, as stated above, at Hiatt & Lamb's.

—Ladies' and children's winter wraps are cheaper than ever this year with us, and we are selling them, too. Already we have sold quite a lot of them and the ladies say they are very cheap and so pretty. Call and see them, and if you are going to buy one this season select it while our stock is complete. J. M. HENDRIX & CO.

—Mr. C. M. Vanosty is nursing a very sore leg that was injured by a misstep in his building while it was undergoing repairs recently. At first he paid little attention to the injury, thinking it was nothing more than an abrasion of the skin, but for the past few days it has been very painful, almost to the extent of keeping him indoors.

**WARNING:**—Persons who suffering from coughs and colds should heed the warnings of danger and save themselves suffering and fatal results by using One Minute Cough Cure. It is an infallible remedy for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. Howard Gardner.

**Fertilizer Agency.**  
W. A. Watson & Co., at the Greensboro Roller Mills, have the agency for the celebrated Navassa Fertilizers. Farmers will find it to their interest to call on this firm before purchasing. They will accept wheat at cash prices in payment for fertilizer. 40-ct.

—Mr. W. F. Garrison, of Burlington, and Miss Lizzie J. Boon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Boon, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents near MeLeansville on Sunday, Oct. 10th, Rev. E. P. Parker, of Gibsonville, officiating. It was a most pleasant occasion. The best wishes of many friends go with the happy couple.

—We call attention to the advertisement of the United Mine Co., with headquarters in Richmond Va. It is seldom that a mining enterprise is so well presented, and a mining company so well officered. The directors are business men who occupy responsible positions, and a reference to any mercantile agency will show that they are financially responsible.

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—A middle-aged man, a stranger here, came near losing his life at the Southern depot last night. He handed his valise to the porter on the south-bound train as it pulled out and attempted to get aboard, but missed his footing. A colored truckman who saw the predicament the man was in grabbed him just as his hands slipped from the iron railing about the steps and in all probability saved his life. The train stopped and took him aboard.

—Prof. Chas. L. Raper is contributing a series of valuable papers on "The Church and Private Schools of North Carolina," to the College Message, the first number of which for the new school year is on our table. When completed these articles will be printed in pamphlet form, adding materially to the information upon an important yet meagerly developed subject. They show a vast amount of research and high literary talent.

—The Ashboro Courier of last week said: "Mr. Ed. B. Leonard and Miss Eugenie Covington will be married in the Baptist church at Ramseur on Wednesday, October 13, 1897. Mr. Leonard is a clerk at the Ramseur Store Co., and was until October last, when his successor took charge, postmaster at Ramseur and is a very popular young man. Miss Covington is a daughter of Mr. A. B. Covington, proprietor of the hotel at Ramseur, and is a beautiful and accomplished young lady."

—At a meeting of the Greensboro Tobacco Association last week the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, J. N. Leak; Vice President, H. C. Berger; Treasurer, W. E. Beville; Secretary, John W. King; Sales Committee, J. F. Jordan, J. S. Cobb, H. C. Berger; Arbitration Committee, T. B. Yullie, E. J. Stafford, W. E. Beville; Executive Committee, J. H. Whitte, C. A. Bray, G. H. McKinney. The retiring president's report was not quite ready for submission at this meeting and it will be presented at a special meeting to be called in a few days.

—The Conrad-Bogart excursion to Washington City last week was conceded the best of the season by everyone fortunate enough to be numbered with the party. A more delightful season could not have been chosen to view the beauties of the capital, while the trip through the Shenandoah valley was a source of constant delight to the admirers of the sublimely beautiful in Nature. The visit to the Cavers at Luray was well worth the cost of the entire trip. The Norfolk & Western road has made many new friends here by the courtesies it showed the excursionists.

—Special bargains in ladies' cloaks and capes at Thacker & Brockmann's.

—We hear complaints that some of the county roads recently worked by the convict force are left without any attention on the part of the township authorities to relapse into their previous condition. This should not be. The convicts shape up the roads as good as is possible where macadam is not used, and very little work or expense is required in keeping them so, provided repairs are made as they are needed, but where there is no inclination to do even that much toward having good roads there is little encouragement for those who favor permanent work, as it would be subject, in a measure, to the same disadvantage. Let the different townships make an effort to keep up such roads as they have until the county can relieve them of the responsibility.

For coughs and colds use Compound Syrup of Tar and Wild Cherry. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

—Ham Ferrell, a colored boy about eighteen years old, with two companions, held up John Henry Malloy, a young and unspoiled "country nigger" on the street last Wednesday night and robbed him of fifty-seven cents and a pocket knife, the aggregate of his earthly possessions. Malloy gave such a good description of Ferrell that the police had little trouble in fixing his identity. Officer Weatherly put him under arrest the next morning and found the money, which had been accurately described. The knife had been given away, but was afterward recovered. Ferrell has had a bad reputation for stealing, and has not been of the county roads but a few weeks. Mayor Nelson put him under a bond that will hold him for the next term of court, when he will most likely receive a sentence that will keep him out of devilment for quite a while.

—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's Creosote Linctus. It stops the hard spell of coughing at once and prevents a return. Satisfaction guaranteed.

**A Huge Enterprise.**  
The coming of the great John Robinson and Franklin Bros.' Enormous Combined Shows to Greensboro on Saturday Oct. 16 will be a treat to the citizens of this entire community like they never experienced before. The Robinson Shows have delighted American amusement lovers for more than three generations, and the Franklin Bros. are the founders of the new school of American showmen. In combining and organizing their shows for the season of 1897 they have spared no money to secure the best for every department. A glance at the list of celebrities under their control will convince the most skeptical that they have been amply rewarded for their lavish outlay for they are the best in the world in their various lines. The horses, many of them imported, are models of horse flesh, while their stud of trained horses do everything but talk. They will appear at every performance with their original troupes. Twenty lions in one den are to be seen only with these great shows. A royal troupe of Japanese, imported expressly for this vast enterprise, and the only double troupe ever brought to this country, is another feature. They would be a whole show in the ordinary circus, but are only a single feature with the Robinson & Franklin Bros.' Shows. Acres of tents are required to accommodate this huge amusement, while one ticket admits to all the combined shows.

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**Col. C. A. Boon Passes Away.**  
The friends of Col. C. A. Boon, of Rock Creek township, will be pained to learn of his death, which occurred about three o'clock yesterday morning. He had been sick for some time, suffering with cancer of the stomach, and while there has for several weeks been no possibility of recovery his family was loth to relinquish the hope that his life might be spared. His sufferings were borne with heroic fortitude, and the end found him fully prepared to meet the summons of his Master. Col. Boon enjoyed a wide acquaintance throughout the county and his friends represent every walk in life. Prior to and during the war he filled the office of county sheriff in a most acceptable manner, and since that time he has filled various other positions of public trust in a manner that won him the respect of everyone. He had almost attained his three-score-and-ten before the weight of years fell heavily on him, but for the past few years his busy life had given way to quiet pursuits that did not call forth the energy that characterized his earlier life. A wife and several children survive him. His funeral occurred to-day at Bethel church. Rev. J. McL. Seabrooke conducting the last sad rites over the remains in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends. The sympathy of the Patriot is extended to the bereaved family.

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—When the "Meadow" was cleaned out last month a large number of the inhabitants who had helped materially in making that section famous took up their abode in one of the old buildings at the Oak Hill mill. The new location seems to suit them better than the old, because it is near the depots, where the darkies love to loiter, and yet is in a rather secluded spot, there being no electric lights nearby to mar the nocturnal festivities that occur with alarming frequency. Scarcely a week had passed before the people living near the mill began to make complaint to the police that whiskey was being sold there and that scenes were enacted that would bring a blush to the cheeks of a marble statue. Saturday night the police took the preliminary step in a reckoning with the gang, arresting ten or twelve of the women and a man named Bullock, who runs the place under the name of the National Hotel. In police court Monday he was held for court for keeping a disorderly house, and the women were fined a dollar and costs and told that they must abandon their wicked ways or be driven from the city. Bullock has heretofore given the police much trouble by harboring abandoned characters and he will likely be shown little mercy, now that a good case has been made against him.

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**Another Incendiary Fire.**  
The store of Jacob Jones, colored, on East Market street, a little way beyond the railroad, was burned Saturday morning shortly after three o'clock, entailing a loss of about \$500 on the stock and a similar amount on the building, which was owned by J. H. Nocho. There were suspicious circumstances connected with the burning of the place and the police set about making an investigation, with the result that Officer Scott arrested W. L. Murphy, colored, and also a storekeeper, Monday night on a charge of setting the building on fire. From what we have learned we judge there is a pretty strong case against Murphy, he having had an altercation with Jones only a few nights previous which resulted in his being released from further obligations to the church with which he was connected. He was seen hanging around his rival's building only a little while before the fire and afterward told conflicting stories about it which at once directed suspicion toward himself. The preliminary hearing takes place this afternoon at two o'clock.

When your stomach begins to trouble you, it needs help. It will not digest your food, and, until it gets it, you won't have any peace. Stomach trouble is very distressing, very obstinate, very dangerous. Many of the most dangerous diseases begin with simple indigestion not digested and non-digested food, one system and allows disease germs to attack it. The antidote is Shaker's Digestive Cordial, strengthening, nourishing, curative. It cures indigestion and restores strength and health. It does this by strengthening the stomach, helping it to digest your food. It nourishes you. Shaker's Digestive Cordial is made of pure herbs, plants and wine, is perfectly harmless and will certainly cure all common stomach trouble. Sold by druggists, price 10 cents to \$1.00 per bottle.

J. C. Berry, one of the best known citizens of Spencer, Mo., testifies that he cured himself of the worst kind of whooping cough by using a few boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He had been troubled with piles for over thirty years and had used many different kinds of so-called cures; but DeWitt's was the one that did the work and he will verify this statement if any one wishes to write him. Howard Gardner.

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We can save you money on your School Books this year by buying second hand books. We have also a full supply of New Books.  
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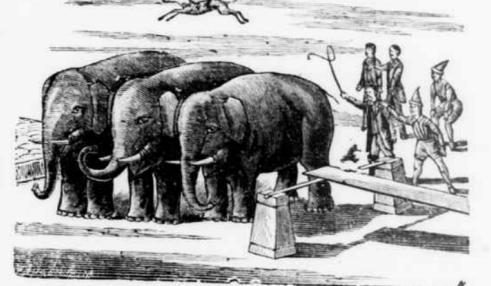
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Until September 15th, as we expect to move into our new store, on South Elm street, opposite the McAdon Hotel, about that date, our entire stock of FURNITURE, CROCKERY and GLASSWARE, STOVES, CARPETS, MATTINGS, RUGS, and in fact everything for furnishing the house, will be sold at greatly reduced prices. Do not hesitate to come and make us an offer. The goods must go!  
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....IN SHOES!  
We have decided to close out our entire stock of Shoes, and we mean what we say. We are going out of the shoe business. You know what that means:  
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We will sell shoes regardless of what they cost, and we want all our patrons to get the benefit of the low prices. We have the largest stock of shoes in the city, and would advise you to come early before the stock is picked over.

**THE COX-FERREE DRY GOODS COMPANY.**  
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Have you looked over the establishment of the  
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To those who suffer pain the joy of relief is indescribable. Debility or nervous prostration causes all the inconveniences of pain, though not its source. It is a later stage of disease, a result of the kidneys.

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I wish to say a word in behalf of the Hobbs celebrated Sparagus Kidney Pills. For five years or over, I have been troubled with a chronic complaint, weakness, pain in back, dull aching pain in head and occasionally melancholia. The first time I took these pills I felt better. I have felt in two years. I propose to keep the pills on hand all the time.

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# WEATHER SIGNS AND OLD SAYINGS.

## The Equinox Does Not Always Bring a Storm.

The time of the equinoctial storms has passed and no rain came to the drought-stricken localities of this country who pinned their hopes to that particular period of the year. Weather prophets agree that equinoxes are by no means unfailing rain-bringers. These same people also say that the law of equalization prevails in nature as well as in morals, and that the mean rainfall of the year is about the same.

It will be remembered that there has been an unusually wet spring. Nature is now averaging up to that score with an unusually dry autumn. While the Western hemisphere is languishing in dryness the Eastern half of the globe is complaining about continuous wet weather. Letters received from France a day ago relate the fact that the rainfall there has been unprecedented for weeks. While we were having a wet, cold spring portions of Europe were sweltering in early heat.

Of course, everybody has a theory about the weather which is much at variance with that of the professional weather forecasters. These opinions have been handed down from generation to generation. Finally they become the sayings of the wisecracks and have aspired to the distinction of proverbs. The proverb is the consensus of opinions that may be traced back to the beginning of the world.

The moon has always been a prime favorite to hang a weather prognostication on. Its position in the sky indicates rain or shine. A hanging moon, it is claimed, will bring no rain, while a floating moon promises wet weather. The last two moons have been hanging moons. Now in some localities these signs are just reversed.

"The tub is full," says the good wife, "it won't spill," when she sees the first quarter of the moon floating in the horizon.

"When the sun is drawing water at night, know that it will rain in the morning." This is an old superstition with the farmer. The sun is said to be drawing water when its rays can be seen shining through rifts in distant clouds.

Rain before seven. Clear before eleven. "This agrees with the old woman's saying, 'that she never knew it to begin in the mornin' and rain all day.' The rain that begins at noon is said to last all day lots of times."

"Six weeks after you hear the first katydid look for a frost." "Notices your cat when it washes its face. The paw it uses and the direction it faces will show the point of compass which the wind is blowing."

"Blow out a candle, and if the wick continues to smolder, look for bad weather. If it goes out quickly, the weather will be fair."

"The last Friday of each month is the almanac index for the next month will be likewise. If foul, so will the month be. The last Friday of September was fair."

"If it storms the first Sunday in the month it will storm every Sunday in the month."

Fog on the hills. More water for the mills. "If the sun sets in a cloud, it will rain on the morrow."

"If you see sun dogs, expect rain soon." "Three white frosts and then a storm."

"When the smoke from a chimney does not rise, but falls to the ground, it is going to storm."

"Three foggy mornings and then a rain." "An evening red and a morning gray will set the traveler on his way. But an evening gray and a morning red will pour down rain on the traveler's head."

"A ringing in the ears is the sign of a change of weather. Others say it is a sign that several people are talking about you."

"When the rooster crows at 9 o'clock in the evening expect a change of weather."

"If the chickens come out while it rains it is a sign that the storm is to be long one. If they stand around under the shed, the storm will be short."

When the fog goes down the mountain hoppin'. Then the rain comes down the mountain droppin'.

"If you see froth along the shores of the stream, you may know it is going to rain."

# NOT ALWAYS UNDERSTOOD.

A fact often overlooked, or not always understood, is that women suffer as much from distressing kidney and bladder troubles as the men. The womb is situated back of and very close to the bladder, and for that reason any distress, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb trouble of some sort.

The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided by setting urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need doctoring. If you have pain or dull aching in the back, pass water too frequently, or scanty supply, with smarting or burning, these are also convincing proofs of kidney trouble. If you have doctored without benefit, try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. The mild and extraordinary effect will surprise you. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures. If you take a medicine, you should take the dollar. At druggists fifty cents and one dollar. Mention the GREENSBORO PATENT and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

Veracity of the Editor. A lawyer in a court room may call a man a liar, a scoundrel, villain or a thief, and no one makes a complaint when court adjourns. If a newspaper prints such a reflection on a man's character there is a libel suit or a dead editor. This is owing to the fact that the people believe what an editor says; what the lawyer says cuts no figure.—Exchange.

By Piece's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully compounded by an expert and analyzed by a chemist, and is a woman's delicate and natural. It is purely vegetable and perfectly harmless. It cures, weak stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia, female weakness and kindred ailments.

The German government has refused to recognize Ferdinand Neumann, of Illinois, who was nominated by President McKinley to be United States Consul at Cologne.

Use Dr. Howard's Worm Syrup. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

# Much in Little

Is especially true of Hood's Pills, for no medicine ever contained so great curative power in so small space. They are a whole medicine in a box.

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chest, always ready, always efficient, always satisfactory, prevent a cold or cough, cure all other ailments, headache, jaundice, constipation, etc. 25c. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

# Notice.

A petition signed by numerous citizens asking for a public road leading from Bloomington via a point on the north side of the High Point road at or near what is known as the Old Home having been presented before the Board of Supervisors, it is hereby notified any person who objects to said petition to file his objections with the Board on or before the first Monday in November, 1897.

# Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as the administrator of the estate of Spurre Sledge, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me on or before the 14th day of October, 1897, on this notice will be void. All persons indebted to my intestate are requested to come forward and settle the same at once.

# Notice to Taxpayers.

I will attend in person or be represented by deputy at the following places on the dates named to receive the state and County taxes for the year 1897:

Hood's Store,	Monday,	October 11
Wood's Mill,	Wednesday,	13
Friday,	15	
D. P. Fout's,	Friday,	15
McLean's Mill,	Saturday,	16
Sumner's Mill,	Sunday,	17
Merry Oaks,	Tuesday,	19
Row's Summit,	Wednesday,	20
June-down,	Thursday,	21
Henry Barrow's Store,	Thursday,	21
Friendship,	Wednesday,	22
Hillside,	Thursday,	24
Somerset,	Friday,	25
Shoemaker's,	Saturday,	26
Monday,	28	
High Point,	Wednesday,	29
Gilmanville,	Thursday,	30

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For Infants and Children. The favorite remedy of the world. Sold by all druggists.

# Executor's Sale.

Personal to a decree of the Superior court of Guilford county, N. C., made in the case of Vines Dick, deceased, executor of Vines Dick, deceased, and others, the undersigned, as executor of Vines Dick, deceased, will offer for sale at the court house in Greensboro, N. C., on

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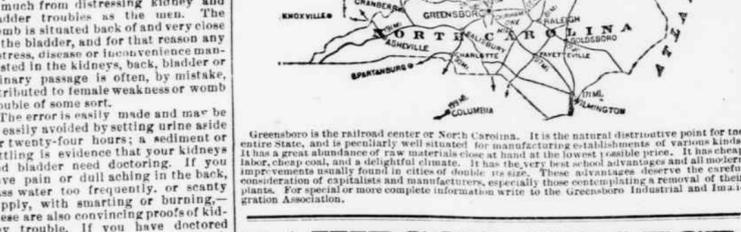
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If you will sell your Tobacco this season from "start to finish" at the Banner Warehouse we promise you that in the wind up you will be pleased. We are going to sell this season the amount of the season just ending, and we want your extra crop of Primings and Leaf.

Your tobacco is fast growing in favor and demand everywhere, and some of our order men want more than was sold on our market last year.

The trade of our new manufacturers have gotten a taste and they all want it. The buyer for the American Tobacco Co. wants more than ever before.

The fact is you have got the kind of flavor they all want and must have to please the trade. This is a Greensboro crop of Tobacco and our buyers are at home when you bring a load of BRIGHT and MAHOGANY WRAPPERS. We look for the best prices in five years.

Come to the BANNER first and last, and you will find us fully equipped in every way to take care of you. Warehouse right in the heart of the city; accommodation for you and stock the very best.

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No USE IN GOING TO KLONDIKE TO MAKE A FORTUNE. STAY HOME AND RAISE WHEAT.

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And guarantee there are no better Drills sold in Greensboro. They are right up-to-date in every respect. A look will convince you of their superiority.

We have plenty of Bone Meal and Bone and Potash for Wheat. See the new "Steel Frame" Cutaway Harrow. Come and see us. We will treat you right.

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# Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

# RUSSELL'S FREE PASS

Otho Wilson Tells of the Executive's Embarrassment. Mr. Wilson, has been in Winston getting the Hayseed in sailing shape. Otho is talking as he walks these days. He tells the Winston Sentinel an interesting story about the governor as follows:

"Otho Wilson, the 'free pass' matter and tells a story on his excellency which is a stunner if it is true—and Otho vouches for it. It is well known that Russell is making a fight against the issuing of free passes and last week Judge Robinson charged the Wake county grand jury to return true bills against all railroads for this crime (?) During the session of the court there was a case of this kind in which the governor was a witness for the state.

Well, Otho's story is like this. Governor Russell, Judge Robinson and Solicitor Pou boarded the Seaboard Air Line at Raleigh a few days ago. The meeting of the three men on the train was by accident, but they made a pleasant party and when the conductor came up calling for tickets they were in the midst of animated conversation. The conductor called 'tickets,' and Solicitor Pou and Judge Robinson handed over their regular tickets, as the governor says all law-abiding citizens should do. All eyes were then turned upon His Excellency. Strange to say, he seemed to have 'shrank up' several pounds (he usually 'puffs up'), that is, when the tables are not against him.) He didn't hand over a ticket.

The conductor assumed an air of 'hand over or get off.' The Governor squirmed in his seat, 'spluttered' out one of his characteristic 'shorts' and humbly appealed to the conductor to 'pass on' and he would adjust the matter with him in a few minutes. Of course a little later he had a private audience with the conductor and showed his pass over the Seaboard Air Line system.

It was evidently embarrassing for Russell to be caught in such a box, especially in the presence of Judge Robinson.

Sleepy, Dull, Languid and morose, is the way you feel when your liver fails to do its work properly. In such cases you offer no resistance, but weakness and dizziness. You have a 'dull' or 'heavy' head, a 'played out' feeling, and everything tires you.

To get the liver in action, purify and enrich the blood, and strengthen and utilize the whole system, take Dr. Foy's Golden Medical Discovery. Having a peculiar action upon the lining membrane of the stomach and bowels, it makes a lasting cure of all stomach, liver and bowel disorders, by increasing the blood supply, as well as enriching it, and the organs of the body are re-nourished, and the liver becomes pure, firm blood.

Scarcely is the 'stary of the starved nerves for food'; nervous debility and exhaustion, sleeplessness and nervous prostration are in a measure the direct result of a starved condition of the blood. The true way to cure these ailments permanently is to take the 'Golden Medical Discovery,' which was discovered and perfected by an eminent physician, Dr. R. V. Foy, at present and for nearly thirty years chief consulting physician and specialist to the Invalid, Hotel and Surgical Institute, Boston, and if you want a medical opinion on your case, write him. It will cost you nothing.

# Death of Capt. Jas. A. Orrell.

The Smithfield Herald prints an obituary of a former resident of Guilford county who will be remembered by many of our older citizens. From it we condense the following:

Capt. Orrell was born near Greensboro, N. C., April 6, 1843. He lived in Greensboro until he went to the war in 1861, being then just 18 years old. After spending four years in the war without an injury, he went to Fayetteville, N. C., and lived with his uncle, Maj. R. M. Orrell, and was Captain of one of his uncle's boats, 'The Halcyon,' on Cape Fear River, from there to Wilmington, for three years. He married Miss Laurinda C. Vinson, of Wilson's Mills, Johnston county, in 1868, and settled on their farm two miles from Wilson's Mills.

Capt. Orrell was known throughout the county as one of its best farmers. He was a member of the Christian Church at Wilson's Mills for several years. Having decided to give up farming, he moved with his family to Selma in February, 1895.

He died of paralysis, having the first stroke in October same year. The next hard stroke was in 1896, from which he gradually grew worse up to the time of his death.

He leaves a wife and three daughters. His remains were interred in the Vinson family graveyard at Wilson's Mills.

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# The Lightship in Her First Storm.

HATTERAS, Oct. 6.—The Diamond shoal Lightship has weathered her first severe gale since being placed September 30th. She was sighted today from Cape Hatteras in the same position as when first anchored. A heavy northerly gale began the night of the 2d and lasted till the morning of the 5th, blowing at the weather station from thirty to forty miles per hour, and much heavier off shore. The ship rode out the storm without apparent injury, and the light is plainly seen tonight.

# Peaches Grafted on Dogwood.

A correspondent of the Statesville Landmark writes that Mr. Asa Jones, of Ashe county, has a peach orchard that is something new. The trees are grafted on wild dogwood stocks. They are loaded with peaches this year. Mr. Jones says that they hardly ever fail to bear fruit and that the life of the tree is several years longer than the ordinary.

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# MANY THINK!

when the Creator said to woman, 'In sorrow shalt thou bring forth children,' that a curse was pronounced against the human race, but the joy left by every Mother when she first presses to her heart her babe, proves the contrary.

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so relaxes the system and assists Nature, that the necessary change takes place without Nausea, Headache, Nervous or Gloomy Foreboding of danger, and the trying hour is robbed of its pain and suffering, as so many happy mothers have experienced. Nothing but 'Mother's Friend' does this. Don't be deceived or persuaded to use anything else.

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Punctures in the well known Morgan & Wright tire are mended about as easily as a man would close a hole in his finger with a bit of court plaster. Inside of the inner tube of the tire lies a long strip of patching rubber. Use this:

By injecting M. & W. quick-repair cement through the puncture into this inner tube, and then pressing down on the tire with the thumb, like this,

the repair strip inside is picked up by the cement, thus closing the puncture, like this:

Very simple, but—now every rider should remember these two 'butts,' or he will fail!

Before injecting cement, pump up the tire. If you don't, the inner tube will be flabby, like this,

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NORTH BOUND. No. 2. Leave Wilmington, 7:00 a.m. Arrive Fayetteville, 10:00 a.m. Leave Fayetteville, 10:30 a.m. Arrive Greensboro, 12:30 p.m. Leave Greensboro, 1:00 p.m. Arrive Salisbury, 3:00 p.m. Leave Salisbury, 3:30 p.m. Arrive Greensboro, 5:30 p.m. Leave Greensboro, 6:00 p.m. Arrive Wilmington, 8:00 p.m.

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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11, 1897.

That Mr. McKinley is being duped by the government of Spain is the opinion of nearly everybody, except Mr. McKinley and the members of his cabinet. Spain is playing for time and a plenty of it, and it is likely to get it, too, unless this country rudely awakens the administration from its dream and demands that Spain be made to fish or cut bait. It is difficult to find an intelligent person who does not believe that the change of ministry in Spain was brought about solely for the purpose of securing delay in replying to the proposition submitted by the United States, and if the game worked well then, there is no reason that it will not be worked again, or at any rate attempted, when Minister Woodford tries to prod the new ministry for a reply. Spain is also trying to secure the support of the bread and butter brigade in this country by hinting at a commercial monopoly to be granted to us as soon as peace is restored to Cuba under the new home rule scheme. These things may catch Mr. McKinley, but they do not catch those who know the actual situation in Cuba. Spain will have nothing to do with the commerce of Cuba when there is a restoration of business and trade on the island, because its hold upon the island will be gone. Mr. McKinley cannot change the ultimate result in Cuba, but he can hurry up matters if so disposed. If he allows Spain to pull the wool over his eyes by the recall of Butcher Weyler, and indefinite talk about home rule concessions to the Cubans, which every schoolboy in the United States knows will not be accepted, he will simply lose a great opportunity to please the people of this country, regardless of party. He probably has not forgotten how difficult it was to prevent Congress forcing this issue last spring. It will be impossible, if nothing has been done by the time Congress reassembles in December.

The single gold standard advocates composing the so-called monetary conference, which has reassembled in Washington after a recess, are, perhaps unconsciously, doing the silver men a great favor by trying to force the administration into the advocacy of a financial bill intended to perpetuate the single gold standard on the country at the coming session of Congress. Nothing would please the silver men so well as to see this issue forced to the front by an attempt to jam legislation through Congress. Without the active assistance of the administration it cannot be done. Left to himself Mr. McKinley would let the financial question severely alone, but with this commission hammering away at him from the outside and Secretary Gage from the inside, he may give in and recommend financial legislation in his annual message to Congress. If the support of Czar Reed can be secured any sort of a bill can be passed by the House, but that is where it will stop. The silver men command the situation in the Senate, and

nothing which they oppose can get through that body.

It is enough to cause a smile on the face of a wooden Indian to listen to the official announcement that Mr. McKinley is going to Ohio to vote, but is in doubt as to whether he will accept either of the several invitations that have been extended to him to make a speech in the state previous to the election, when it is well known that Boss Hanna billed him weeks ago for a speech in Cincinnati.

Pagan Bob Ingersoll had influence enough with Mr. McKinley to pull down a nice plum for one of his nephews, John C. Ingersoll, in the shape of the consulship at Copenhagen.

"Fools rush in," etc. There has been more or less comment in Washington on the fact that Senator Foraker, of Ohio, was the only Republican of national prominence who could be induced to take part in the Republican mass meeting in New York, held to ratify the nomination of ex-Secretary Tracy by Boss Platt and McKinley. Ex-President Harrison positively declined, although Tracy is his personal friend and was a member of his Cabinet. Chauncey Depew conveniently managed to have other engagements, and Czar Reed politely refused to go. This means that these men are "onto" the Platt-McKinley game and are too smart to get themselves mixed up in it. Why Foraker went to New York is one of the hard things to answer. After his shabby treatment in Ohio by Boss Hanna, he was probably flattered when Boss Platt asked him to speak at the New York meeting and accepted the invitation offhand.

Almond Cream Lotion will cure chapped hands and lips. Every bottle guaranteed. For sale by Howard Gardner, druggist.

Will Not Menace Spain.

A Washington special says: The administration has practically determined to keep the North Atlantic squadron away from the gulf during the coming season.

While no such orders have been issued, it is generally understood that Secretary Long will follow the course pursued by his predecessors and keep the ships away from Cuba. This means that during the cold season the headquarters of the squadron will be at Fort Monroe, and their evolutions will be held on the Southern drill grounds, just outside of the capes.

The intention to keep the ships in northern waters is due, it is understood, to a desire to refrain from giving any evidence of a purpose to intimidate Spain. The negotiations between the governments are so delicate in their character that the President does not want to affect them by making what might be considered by the Spaniards a display of force.

Loss of Bill Nye's Widow.

The Hendersonville Times learns that the widow of Bill Nye had \$8,500 in the broken First National Bank of Asheville, of which she will get not a dollar back, and adds that the admirers of Nye should start a subscription and make up the amount, as it was about all she had save some mountain land.

A Model Government for Cuba.

MADRID, Oct. 9.—The cabinet today held a four hours' session during which the decision previously arrived at regarding the recall from Cuba of Captain General Weyler was confirmed.

El Heraldo makes the announcement that the captain general of Porto Rico will be appointed acting governor of Cuba pending the arrival of Marshal Blanco.

In replying to a number of Cuban senators who had offered their support to the government, Premier Sagasta said that the government would devote itself before all else to the pacification of Cuba, and would then introduce in the island a model administration. The government, the premier added, considered that the pacification of Cuba would facilitate the restoration of peace in the Philippine islands, where the situation now is serious.

Following the appointment of Marshal Blanco to succeed Captain General Weyler, the Marquis Palmirola, civil governor of Havana, and the other provincial governors have tendered their resignations.

New Orleans in Fever's Grip.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 11.—From the returns there is little hope in the yellow fever situation. The board of health is daily demonstrating that with a fair show it is possible for modern science to restrict and stamp out the disease. But the people who must suffer from a strict application of scientific methods rebel, and the result is that the pathway of the board of health is beset with difficulties. If there was strict compliance with the health laws; if prompt report was made of cases, the fever germs would quickly be wiped out, but it begins to look now as if from 30 to 40 cases and some 4 to 6 deaths will be daily reported until frost puts in its appearance. To-day, as on nearly every other day since the fever first appeared here, about 50 per cent. of the fatalities was traceable to neglect and a disposition to hide cases until it was too late to do anything to save life.

Safe-Blowing in Durham.

DURHAM, Oct. 11.—Durham seems to have a professional safe-blower. Some time during last night some person or persons entered the store of J. S. Mangum, on Mangum street, and blew open the safe. The hole was bored near the bolt of the safe door, and was so situated that the explosion shattered the lock. About one hundred dollars was missing this morning when Mr. Mangum opened up his store. There is no clue whatever to who the perpetrators were.

Hazleton Miners Strike Again.

HAZLETON, Pa., Oct. 8.—The Lehigh and Wilkesbarre Coal Company's 2,500 breaker employes are again on strike. They were paid off today, but when they found that they had been granted less than they say they were promised at the time of settlement of the recent strike, they refused to work.

Chapel Hill Defeats Guilford.

CHAPEL HILL, Oct. 9.—In a game of foot ball here this afternoon between Guilford and the University the latter won by a score of 16 to 0.

Ex-Senator McPherson Dead.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Oct. 8.—John Roderick McPherson, once the Democratic leader in New Jersey and United States Senator from that state from 1877 until 1895, died late tonight at Taylor's Hotel, in Jersey City. He had not been well for some time, being sick with intestinal trouble. Heart trouble set in as a complication.

Ex-Senator McPherson was born at York, Livingston county, N. Y., in 1833. He was for a long time engaged in farming and stock-raising. Coming to Jersey City in 1858, he entered largely into the live-stock trade and soon became one of the most prominent dealers. He also became a banker.

He was a member of the board of aldermen of Jersey City from 1864 to 1870. In 1871 he was elected to the New Jersey Senate, in 1876 was a presidential elector and in 1877 was elected United States Senator to succeed E. P. Frelinghuysen. He was elected to a second term as United States Senator by the Legislature of 1883 and to a third term by the Legislature of 1889.

At the outset of the political controversy over the money question Mr. McPherson took a strong position against the unlimited use of silver and was regarded as one of the able financiers in the Senate. At the time of the last presidential election he had retired from the Senate. Though still adhering to his belief in gold, he supported Mr. Bryan as the regular Democratic candidate.

The Yellow Fever Quarantine.

Letters from the Southwest show that business and ordinary travel are much interfered with by the quarantine which the towns enforce against all the world outside. Persons who travel by the railroads or other public conveyances are not allowed to enter towns in Louisiana, but such as go by private conveyance are received. A certain college in Louisiana, for example, has few students because only such boys are allowed to enter the college town as travel across country, avoiding the railroads. The fever seems to be spreading nevertheless. It is, happily, of a mild type and few deaths occur.

A Raleigh Machinist Shoots His Wife and Then Himself.

RALEIGH, Oct. 11.—Early this morning, at his home here, Alfred Watson, a machinist in the employ of the S. A. L., shot his wife and then took his own life. He was drunk yesterday, and his wife had declared she would leave him. He had been married less than three months. His wife's thirteen-year-old sister witnessed the shooting and the suicide. There is no hope of the woman's recovery. She is shot in the left side near the heart.

Bennettsville Partly Burned.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 9.—A special to the News and Courier reports the burning of a large part of the business portion of Bennettsville, Marlboro county, this state. Estimated loss, \$15,000; estimated insurance, \$2,800. Col. W. S. McCall was the heaviest loser, his loss being \$6,000, with no insurance.

Pain has no show with Dr. Miles' Pain Pills.