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## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Hon. Thomas Settle, of Asheville, is in the city.

—Gold Dust, Pearlina and Grandma's washing powders at Scott's.

—A concrete pavement has been placed in front of John B. Farley's drug store.

—Cut loaf sugar, extra fine pulverized sugar and light brown sugar at Scott's.

—Wanted—A situation as night watchman. Steady and reliable. Apply to L., this office.

—Capt. B. J. Fisher came down from New York the latter part of last week on a short business trip.

—Miss Lettie Hairston, who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Lash, has returned to her home at Walnut Cove.

—The aldermen have passed an ordinance prohibiting fresh meats and fish from being sold in the same stalls in the city market.

—Mr. John Hodgkin and Miss Lillie Tinsbloom, both of Oakdale, near Jamestown, were married Easter Sunday by Rev. W. H. Roach.

—Mr. George E. Kirkman returned home Thursday night from New York City, where he has been in school since December, taking a special course in plumbing.

—The Greensboro recruiting station continues to do a good business. During the present month the number of recruits secured for the army has averaged one a day.

—Mr. Pendleton King, a brother of Messrs. R. R. and John L. King, was here from Washington city last week on a visit. He holds a position in the State department.

—Mr. J. M. Walker, president of the City National Bank, has returned from an extended visit to Tallahassee, Fla. He is at present suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

—Artist D. L. Clark, of High Point, has completed an oil portrait of Rev. Dr. Eli W. Caruthers for the Guilford Battle Ground Company. It is pronounced a very fine painting.

—Herd grass or "Red Top" will do well on almost any kind of soil and is about the only low-priced seed on the market now. We have plenty of it.

J. W. Scott & Co.

—Evangelist George Stuart has accepted an invitation to hold a revival meeting in West Market Street Methodist church, beginning September 8th. Mr. Stuart is a well known evangelist.

—Louis Bagger & Co., patent attorneys of Washington, D. C., report that last week Mr. R. A. Gray, of this city, obtained a valuable patent for improvements in seed drills, with fertilizer attachments.

—A car load of demasted soldiers passed through Greensboro yesterday on their way from the Philippine Islands to Washington, where they will be placed in an asylum for the care of the insane.

—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Marvin Carr, who are at present residing in Waynesville, died last Thursday. The body was brought to Greensboro and interred in Greene Hill cemetery Saturday.

—Seed potatoes, Burbank, Early Rose, Beauty of Hebron, White Star, etc., at the lowest possible prices. Varieties guaranteed. We can serve you with the best of everything in groceries.

TUCKER & ERWIN.  
—The two weeks term of Federal court adjourned Saturday afternoon, after clearing the heavy criminal docket. No civil business was transacted during the term. Judge Boyd is this week holding court in Statesville.

—Mr. C. H. Dorsett has moved his stock of merchandise to the room vacated by D. Bendheim & Sons and Mr. S. S. Brown is moving today to the room just vacated by Mr. Dorsett, retaining the stock of shoes purchased of the latter.

—The street force is engaged in cutting down the steep hill in South Asheville, near the residences of Col. J. A. Barringer, Mr. G. Will Armfield and others. A number of nice shade trees have been sacrificed to the work of improvement.

—Beginning next Sunday, Rev. C. A. G. Thomas, of Thomasville, will conduct a revival meeting in the Southside Baptist church. Mr. Thomas was formerly pastor of Washington Street Baptist church and has many friends in the city.

—Every farmer we have heard speak of the matter says the wheat crop is a great deal more promising than it was some weeks ago, when it was believed that the crop would be very short on account of the fly. Farmers are now hopeful of a good yield.

—Mr. Herman Buchanan, who, accompanied by his mother, spent several weeks in Florida for the benefit of his health, has returned, greatly improved. Before leaving home he suffered a severe attack of pneumonia which left his physical condition in bad shape.

—The Greensboro fire department has elected the following officers for the ensuing year, beginning May 1st: Chief, Fred N. Taylor; assistant chief, W. R. Pleasant; secretary, E. L. Clark; treasurer, W. T. Hollowell. This election will be confirmed by the board of aldermen.

—The city of Greensboro has purchased twelve shares of stock, of the par value of \$25 each, in the Guilford Battle Ground Company. The money derived from the sale, \$300, will be used in the erection of the Colonial monument, which will be unveiled at the next annual Fourth of July celebration.

—The business of the Greensboro Broom Works, owned by Messrs. C. C. Johnson, J. Wilson Shaw and others, has been sold to a company in Danville, where it will be conducted in the future. Mr. Shaw will manage the business. Mr. Johnson has not yet decided what line of business he will engage in.

—At the regular meeting of the board of aldermen last Friday night Mr. John Barker filed an application for license to engage in the retail liquor business on West Market street, in the building at present occupied by his grocery store. Under a rule of the board, the application was laid on the table for two weeks, when some recommendation will be made to the county commissioners.

—Mr. A. G. Brooks, a son of Mr. T. T. Brooks of this city, died at his home at Putnam, Moore county, last Friday night. He was operated on for appendicitis a few days previously. The remains were interred at Mt. Vernon Springs Sunday afternoon. Mr. Brooks leaves a wife and three children, besides a father, two brothers and three sisters. He was engaged in the lumber business at Putnam.

—United States Marshal Millikan has issued warrants restoring seized property to the following persons who were acquitted at the recent term of Federal court: C. H. Greenwood, Arthur L. Combs, John A. Sparks, Harry Goodman, John R. Stewart and Richard P. Kerner. The property restored to all except the last named, who is a tobacco manufacturer, consists in distilled spirits.

—Mrs. R. P. Atkinson, widow of the late Maj. R. P. Atkinson, died at her home on Spring street Monday afternoon, aged sixty-eight years. She was the mother of Mrs. N. J. McDuffie, with whom she had made her home for a number of years. Mrs. Atkinson was a native of Pennsylvania county, Va., and was a most excellent Christian woman. She was a devout member of the Episcopal church. The funeral was held from the residence this morning.

—We would call attention again to the attractive clubbing offers we are making. In connection with the PATRIOT we can furnish the Thrice-a-week New York World for \$1.60; the Atlanta Constitution for \$1.50; the Semi-weekly Atlanta Journal for \$1.60; the Toledo Blade for \$1.25; and the best farm journal published, the American Agriculturist, weekly, together with the Agriculturist year book, for \$1.30. Cash in advance must accompany club orders.

—Mr. C. H. Dorsett has moved his stock of dry goods to the store just vacated by D. Bendheim & Sons, where he will do an extensive business in dry goods, carpets, house furnishings, etc. Mr. Dorsett is an experienced merchant and will doubtless meet with continued success. The old Johnson & Dorsett stand has been leased by Mr. Sample Brown, who also purchased Mr. Dorsett's stock of shoes. He will fill the store with a line of new goods, greatly enlarging his present stock.

—The commencement exercises at the Agricultural and Mechanical College for the colored race will take place this year on May 27th-30th. Rev. Dr. E. W. Smith, of this city, will deliver the literary address. The annual sermon will be preached by Rev. H. B. DeLaney, of the St. Augustine School, Raleigh. Rev. J. D. Chavis, president of Bennett Seminary, this city, will deliver the address before the religious societies. Rev. C. J. O'Kelley, of Winston, will address the literary societies.

—If you are going to buy a mower or a binder, don't do so until you have seen the new pattern machines made by the Deering Company on exhibition at Townsends.

## County Affairs.

As a result of a visit yesterday, the county commissioners have ordered extensive improvements in the public road leading southeast of the city where it crosses South Buffalo creek. The bridge will be lengthened in order that the channel may be widened and both ends of the bridge raised to the level of the center. The roadway beyond the bridge will be raised above high water mark. About fifty yards south of the creek the road will be changed to bear further eastward, through the land of Judge Douglas, not only making it straight, but reaching the hill where a better ascending grade is available. Mr. W. R. Jenkins, with a large force of hands, went to work on the road this morning and it will be pushed rapidly to completion. The improvements will be of great benefit to the people living south-east of the city.

The convict force in the eastern part of the county, under the direction of Mr. Stanley, is engaged in working the old Fayetteville road from a point near Mr. D. C. Stewart's residence to Mr. Pleasant church. A bridge will be built across the creek just below the residence of Mr. R. S. Phipps. When the work on this end of the road is completed the camp will be moved and the road worked to the county line.

Mr. John H. Clapp, of Jamestown, has been elected county standard keeper to succeed the late Mr. L. M. Stewart. The selection is a good one.

Mr. E. B. Respass, of this city, has been elected county surveyor to succeed Mr. George W. Pritchett, who resigned on account of being unable to devote his attention to the duties of the office.

The county sanitary commission spent a good portion of the day Monday discussing the matter of draining the land along North Buffalo, just north of the city, where there has been so much complaint of malaria. No definite plan of action was agreed upon. The commission will meet again on the first Monday in May, and in the meantime Prof. J. M. Bandy will make a survey with a view to ascertaining if it is possible to drain the land without cutting the Revolution Manufacturing Company's dam.

## A Surprise Marriage.

Their friends were greatly surprised last Wednesday night when it was learned that ex Sheriff John W. Cook and Miss Minnie Blackburn, of this city, had been married in Charlotte. The Charlotte Observer of Thursday morning contained the following notice of the affair:

"Mr. J. W. Cook, of Greensboro, and Miss Minnie Blackburn, of the same place, were married in the parlors of the Central Hotel, yesterday at noon. Rev. Parker Holmes, pastor of the Brevard Methodist church, officiating."

"It was not a Gretna Green affair, but a common sense arrangement by which they got rid of the trouble and worry of a 'pretty home wedding.' Mr. Cook and his affianced arrived here on the morning train from Greensboro, and the wedding arrangements were soon perfected. The ceremony was performed in the presence of quite a number of friends. Mr. Cook is an ex-sheriff of Guilford county. He and his bride were the guests of Mr. Holmes last night. They leave this morning on their return to Greensboro."

Mr. and Mrs. Cook are now domiciled in their elegant home just west of the city. They have the best wishes of many friends for future happiness and prosperity.

—The city Democratic executive committee has called the ward primaries to meet next Tuesday night to nominate candidates for aldermen and to express a choice for mayor. If no candidate for mayor should receive a majority of the votes cast the primaries will be held again on the following Friday night. The Democrats of the city will meet in convention on Tuesday night, April 30th, and confirm the nominations of the primaries. So far but little interest has been manifested in the approaching municipal campaign. The names of the following gentlemen have been mentioned in connection with the mayoralty nomination: Messrs. C. G. Wright, John S. Michaux, A. B. Kimball, John L. King, J. W. Forbis and Col. W. H. Osborn. No talk has yet been heard of a ticket in opposition to the Democratic nominees, but this may come after the nominations are made.

## 'Tis Easy to Feel Good.

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## TOBACCO NOTES.

Items of Interest to the Grower, the Dealer, and the Manufacturer.  
MARKET REPORT.

Our sales have been light for the past week, on account of the harsh winds which have prevailed. We had a right heavy rain Saturday and Sunday, but it was too cold to amount to a season. However, there were very nice sales yesterday and today and sellers were well pleased with their sales and expressed themselves in complimentary terms to the market, and said "they would be back as soon as they could get here."

The quality of the offerings was about in keeping with what we have been selling this season and contained a good proportion of good working tobacco, which was eagerly taken up at very satisfactory prices.

The small sales have stimulated prices very much, and they are now fully as good as they have been any time this season. Our buyers and manufacturers have realized that nearly all the crop of tobacco is sold and are more eager for the weed, which makes a very active market.

## JAPANESE TOBACCO.

Japan produced 63,500,000 pounds of tobacco in 1898, almost as much as a moderate crop in North Carolina a few years ago. In 1899 it was reckoned at 102,230,000 pounds, or about the crop of Virginia as computed. Japan imported in 1893 41,000,000 pounds, and in 1899 21,650,000 pounds, while last year there were 101,672 acres under cultivation which yielded under intensified culture, under government control, about 1,000 pounds per acre, and very nearly doubled that of North Carolina and a full third more than Virginia tobacco yields per acre. Still the Japs are over here to learn all the more they can about our ways of making tobacco better than theirs. It will be some time yet, however, before they can make the soil and climate like ours yield the celebrated brights, out of which her smoking blends and cigarettes are made and that have become so popular there.

R. I. Bradsher, of Rockingham county, was here with tobacco a few days ago.

The sale of fertilizers is said to be large in North and South Carolina, and is of a kind that indicates an increase in the cotton planting, but tobacco is not yet nearly ready for this manure.

A. G. Garrison, P. J. Jeffreys, Gilliam Carpenter and W. A. Lewis are among the Alamance county growers of the weed who have patronized the Greensboro market during the past few days.

Tarboro, N. C., will not be a tobacco market this season unless manufacturers start the market. Cotton will be largely planted in that territory; tobacco made will be divided among other markets.

Tobacco is selling well on our market and we think it a good time to strike us with a load. Come right along and you have a good buyer's word for it that your tobacco will bring a good price.

Among the Guilford farmers on the market with tobacco during the past week we noticed R. A. Kirkman, J. D. Whittington, James Cole, E. D. Paschal, Wilson & McCauley, George Wilson, Z. T. Melvin, Thomas Jessup, C. H. Wooters, H. C. Brown, J. G. Parrish, A. F. Phipps, Lineberry Brothers, and W. G. Phipps.

Col. J. S. Cunningham has been in this city for ten days or more, and is as much a Richmonder as a North Carolinian. He is talking up consolidation of planters of the states of Virginia and the Carolinas, and uses everywhere arguments for the same, and is a tax reductionist in the planters' interest all the time.—Southern Tobaccoist, Richmond.

Gilmer & Blackburn, the new proprietors of the Farmers warehouse, tell us that they have had a trade far beyond their expectations, considering the extreme dry season. A trial load is all they ask of any reasonable man to convince him that it pays to sell tobacco in Greensboro and at their house. They have had many years experience in the business and do not hesitate to push a farmer's tobacco right up to its full value. You will be pleased if you sell your next load with them at the Farmers.

The Greensboro market is fortunate in that the men who have charge of the warehouses know their business. An example of this may be seen in the management of the Banner warehouse, the proprietors of which, Smith & Gamble, are so well and favorably known to the growers of this section. Under their management the Banner

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If signs are worth anything, this is the year of years to plant a big crop of tobacco. Cotton is high and a great many eastern farmers are displacing tobacco for cotton, and in the old belt labor seems to be scarce and a good many farmers will be forced to cut down their crop, so it seems that it would be impossible under the circumstances to make an over production of tobacco this year. A d last, but by no means least, tobacco is a paying crop at present prices, and the writer predicts that the farmers who raise good tobacco this year will be well paid for doing so. We see no reason why prices should decline till we have an over production, which, for reasons above, cannot be this year.

## THE COTTON MARKET.

The following are the latest spot quotations on middling cotton:

New York	8 7-16
New Orleans	8 1-8
Charlotte	8 1/8
Raleigh	7 3/4
Greensboro	8

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# Talmage's Sermon.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—In this discourse Dr. Talmage sets forth religion as an exhilaration, and urges all people to try its uplifting power; text, Proverbs iii, 17, "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

You have all heard of God's only begotten Son. Have you heard of God's daughter? She was born in heaven. She came down over the hills of our world. She had queenly step. On her brow was celestial radiance. Her voice was music. Her name is Religion. My text introduces her. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace." But what is religion? The fact is that theological study has had a different effect upon me from the effect sometimes produced. Every year I tear out another leaf from my theology until I have only three or four leaves left—in other words, a very brief and plain statement of Christian belief.

An aged Christian minister said: "When I was a young man, I knew everything; when I got to be 35 years of age, in my creed I had only a hundred doctrines of religion; when I got to be 40 years of age, I had only 50 doctrines of religion; when I got to be 60 years of age, I had only 10 doctrines of religion; and now I am dying at 75 years of age, and there is only one thing I know, and that is that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners." And so I have noticed in the study of God's word, and in my contemplation of the character of God and of the eternal world, that it is necessary for me to drop this part of my belief and that part of my belief as being nonessential, while I cling to the one great doctrine that man is a sinner, and Christ is his Almighty, and divine Saviour.

Now, I take these three or four leaves of my theology, and I find that, in the first place and dominant above all others, is the sunshine of religion. When I go into a room, I have a passion for throwing open all the shutters. That is what I want to do this morning. We are apt to throw so much of the sepulchral into our religion and to close the shutters and to pull down the blinds that it is only through here and there a crevice that the light streams. The religion of the Lord Jesus Christ is a religion of joy indescribable and unutterable. Wherever I can find a bell I mean to ring it.

## Sunshine of Religion.

If there are any in this house this morning who are disposed to hold on to their melancholy and gloom, let them now depart this service before the fairest and the brightest and the most radiant being of all the universe comes in. God's Son has left our world, but God's daughter is here. Give her room! Hail, Princess of Heaven! Hail, daughter of the Lord God Almighty! Come in and make this house thy thoroughfare!

In setting forth this idea the dominant theory of religion is one of sunshine. I hardly know where to begin, for there are so many thoughts that rush upon my soul. A mother saw her little child seated on the floor in the sunshine and with a spoon in her hand. She said, "My darling, what are you doing there?" "Oh," replied the child, "I am getting a spoonful of this sunshine." Would God that today I might present you with a gleaming chalice of this glorious, everlasting gospel sunshine!

First of all, I find a great deal of sunshine in Christian society. I do not know of anything more doleful than the companionship of the mere fun-makers of the world—the Thomas Hoods, the Charles Lambes, the Charles Mathewses of the world—the men whose entire business it is to make sport. They make others laugh, but if you will examine their autobiography or biography you will find that down in their soul there was a terrible disquietude. Laughter is no sign of happiness. The maniac laughs. The hyena laughs. The loon among the Adirondacks laughs. The drunkard, dashing his decanter against the wall, laughs.

There is a terrible reaction from all sinful amusement and sinful merriment. Such men are cross the next day. They snap at you on exchange or they pass you, not recognizing you. Long ago I quit mere worldly society for the reason it was so dull, so insane and so stupid. My nature is voracious of joy. I must have it.

## Promotes Longevity.

I always walk on the sunny side of the street, and for that reason I have crossed over into Christian society. I like their mode of repartee better. I like their style of amusement better. They live longer. Christian people, I sometimes notice, live on when by all natural law they ought to have died. I have known persons who have continued in their existence when the doctor said they ought to have been dead ten years. Every day of their existence was a defiance of the laws of anatomy and physiology, but they had this supernatural vivacity of the gospel in their soul, and that kept them alive.

Put 10 or 12 Christian people in a room for Christian conversation, and you will from 8 to 10 o'clock hear more resounding glee, see more bright strokes of wit and find more thought and profound satisfaction than in any merely worldly party. Now, when I say a "worldly party," I mean that to which you are invited because under all the circumstances of the case it is the best for you to be invited, and to which you go because under all the circumstances

of the case it is better that you go, and, leaving the shawls on the second floor, you go to the parlor to give formal salutation to the host and the hostess and then move around, spending the whole evening in the discussion of the weather and in apology for treading on long trains and in effort to keep the corners of the mouth up to the sign of pleasure and going around with an idiotic he-he about nothing until the collation is served and then, after the collation is served, going back again into the parlor to resume the weather and then at the close going at a very late hour to the host and hostess and assuring them that you have had a most delightful evening and then passing down off the front steps, the slam of the door the only satisfaction of the evening.

O young man come from the country to spend your days in city life, where are you going to spend your evenings? Let me tell you, while there are many places of innocent worldly amusement, it is most wise for you to throw your body, mind and soul into Christian society. Come to me at the close of five years and tell me what has been the result of this advice. Bring with you the young man who refused to take the advice, and who went into sinful amusement. He will come dissipated, shabby in apparel, indisposed to look any one in the eyes, moral character 85 per cent off. You will come with principle settled, countenance frank, habits good, soul saved, and all the inhabitants of heaven, from the lowest angel up to the archangel and clear past him to the Lord God Almighty, your coadjutors.

## Joy of Christian Life.

This is not the advice of a misanthrope. There is no man in the house to whom the world is brighter than it is to me. It is not the advice of a dyspeptic—my digestion is perfect; it is not the advice of a man who cannot understand a joke or who prefers a funeral; it is not the advice of a worried man, but the advice of a man who can see this world in all its brightness, and considering myself competent in judging what is good cheer I tell the multitudes of young men that there is nothing in worldly associations so grand and so beautiful and so exhilarant as in Christian society.

I know there is a great deal of talk about the self denials of the Christian. I have to tell you that where the Christian has one self denial the man of the world has a thousand self denials. The Christian is not commanded to surrender anything that is worth keeping. But what does a man deny himself who denies himself the religion of Christ? He denies himself pardon for sin; he denies himself peace of conscience; he denies himself the joy of the Holy Ghost; he denies himself a comfortable death pillow; he denies himself the glories of heaven. Do not talk to me about the self denials of the Christian life. Where there is one in the Christian life there are a thousand in the life of the world. "Her ways are ways of pleasantness."

Again, I find a great deal of religious sunshine in Christian and divine explanation. To a great many people life is an inexplicable tangle. Things turn out differently from what was supposed. There is a useless woman in perfect health. There is an industrious and consecrated woman a complete invalid. Explain that. There is a bad man with \$30,000 of income. There is a good man with \$800 of income. Why is that? There is a foe of society who lives on, doing all the damage he can, to 75 years of age, and here is a Christian father, faithful in every department of life, at 35 years of age taken away by death, his family left helpless. Explain that. Oh, there is no sentence that oftener drops from your lips than this: "I cannot understand it; I cannot understand it!"

## Grand Consolations.

Well, now religion comes in just at that point with its illumination and its explanation. There is a business man who has lost his entire fortune. The week before he lost his fortune there were 20 carriages that stopped at the door of his mansion. The week after he lost his fortune all the carriages could count on one finger. The week before financial trouble began people all took off their hats to him as he passed down the street. The week his financial prospects were under discussion people just touched their hats without anywise bending the rim. The week that he was pronounced insolvent people just jolted their heads as they passed, not tipping their hats at all, and the week the sheriff sold him out all his friends were looking in the store windows as they went down past him.

Now, while the world goes away from a man while he is in financial distress, the religion of Christ comes to him and says: "You are sick, and your sickness is to be moral purification. You are bereaved. God wanted in some way to take your family to heaven, and so he took the one that was most beautiful and was most ready to go." I do not say that religion explains everything in this life, but I do say it lays down certain principles which are grandly consolatory. You know business men often telegraph in cipher. The merchant in San Francisco telegraphs to the merchant in New York certain information in cipher which no other man in that line of business can understand, but the merchant in San Francisco has the key to the cipher, and the merchant in New York has the key to the cipher, and on that information transmitted there are enterprises involving hundreds of thousands of dollars. Now, the providences of life sometimes seem to be a senseless riddle, a mysterious cipher, but God has a key to that cipher, and the Christian a key to that cipher, and though he may hardly be able to spell out the meaning he gets enough of the meaning to understand that it is for the best. Now, is there not sunshine in that? Is there not pleasure in that? Far beyond laughter,

it is nearer the fountain of tears than boisterous demonstration. Have you never cried for joy? There are tears which are eternal rapture in distillation.

## Everything Explained.

There are hundreds of people who are walking day by day in the sublime satisfaction that all is for the best, all things working together for good for their soul. How a man can get along through this life without the explanation is to me a mystery. What, is that child gone forever? Are you never to get it back? Is your property gone forever? Is your soul to be bruised and to be tried forever? Have you no explanation, no Christian explanation, and yet not a maniac? But when you have the religion of Jesus Christ in your soul it explains everything so far as it is best for you to understand. You look off in life, and your soul is full of thanksgiving to God that you are so much better off than you might be. A man passed down the street without any shoes and said: "I have no shoes. Isn't it a hardship that I have no shoes? Other people have shoes. No shoes, no shoes!" until he saw a man who had no feet. Then he learned a lesson. You ought to thank God for what he does instead of grumbling for what he does not. God arranges all the weather in this world—the spiritual weather, the moral weather as well as the natural weather. "What kind of weather will it be today?" said some one to a farmer. The farmer replied, "It will be such weather as I like." "What do you mean by that?" asked the other. "Well," said the farmer, "it will be such weather as pleases the Lord, and what pleases the Lord pleases me."

Oh, the sunshine, the sunshine of Christian explanation! Here is some one bending over the grave of the dead. What is going to be the consolation? The flowers you strew upon the tomb? Oh, no! The services read at the grave? Oh, no! The chief consolation on that grave is what falls from the throne of God. Sunshine, glorious sunshine—resurrection sunshine!

## Supernatural Vision.

Again, I find a great deal of the sunshine of this Bible and of our religion in the climactic joys that are to come. A man who gets up and goes out from a concert right after the opening voluntary has been played and before the orchestra begins has a better idea of that concert than that man has who supposes that the chief joys of religion are in this world. We here have only the first note of the eternal orchestra. We shall in that world have the joy of discovery. We will in five minutes catch up with the astronomers, the geologists, the scientists, the philosophers of all ages, who so far surpassed us in this world. We can afford to adjourn astronomy and geology and many of the sciences to the next world, because we shall there have better apparatus and better opportunity. I must study these sciences so far as to help me in my work, but beyond that I must give myself to saving my own soul and saving the souls of others, knowing that in one flash of eternity we will catch it all. Oh, what an observatory in which to study astronomy heaven will be, not by power of telescope, but by supernatural vision, and if there be something doubtful 10,000,000 miles away, by one stroke of the wing you are there, by another stroke of the wing you are back again, and all in less time than I tell you, catching it all in one flash of eternity.

And geology! What a place that will be to study geology when the world is being picked to pieces as easily as a schoolgirl in botanical lessons pulls the leaf from the corolla! What a place to study architecture, amid the thrones and the palaces and the cathedrals—St. Mark's and St. Paul's rookeries in comparison.

Sometimes you wish you could make the tour of the whole earth, going around as others have gone, but you have not the time, you have not the means. You will make the tour yet during one musical pause in the eternal anthem. I say these things for the comfort of those people who are abridged in their opportunities—those people to whom life is humdrum, who toil and work and toil and work and aspire after knowledge, but have no time to get it and say, "If I had the opportunities which other people have, how I would fill my mind and soul with grand thoughts!" Be not discouraged, my friends. You are going to the university yet. Death will only matriculate you into the royal college of the universe.

## Peace Sublime.

What a sublime thing it was that Dr. Thornwell of South Carolina uttered in his last dying moments! As he looked up he said, "It opens; it expands; it expands." Or as Mr. Toplady, the author of "Rock of Ages," in his last moment or during his last hours looked up and said, as though he saw something supernatural, "Light!" and then as he came on nearer the dying moment, his countenance more luminous, he cried, "Light!" and at the very moment of his departure lifted both hands, something supernatural in his countenance as he cried "Light!" Only another name for sunshine.

Besides that, we shall have all the pleasures of association. We will go right up in the front of God without any fright. All our sins gone, there will be nothing to be frightened about. There our old Christian friends will troop around us. Just as now one of your sick friends goes away to Florida, the land of flowers, or to the south of France, and you do not see him for a long while, and after awhile you meet him, and the hollows under the eyes are all filled, and the appetite has come back, and the crutch has been thrown away, and he is so changed you hardly know him. You say, "Why, I never saw you look so well." He says: "I couldn't help but be well. I have been

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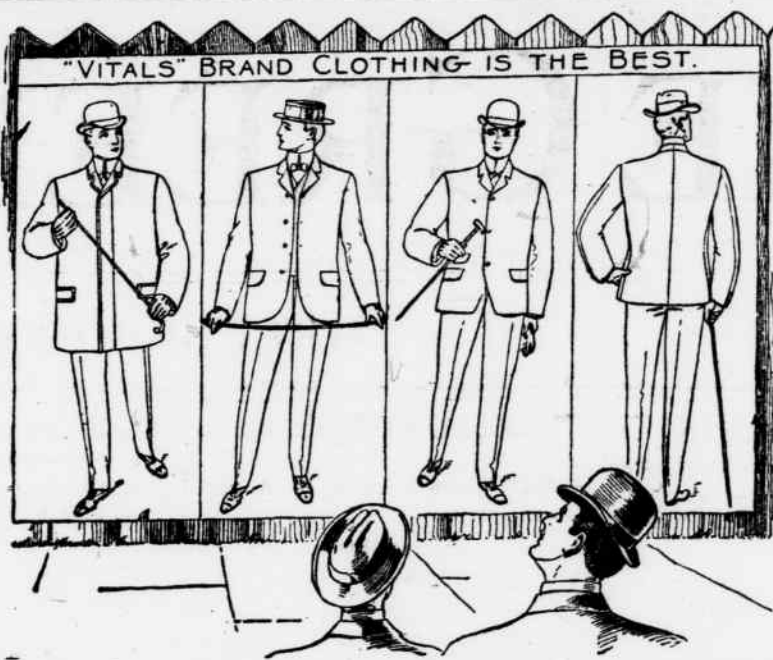
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scaling these rivers and climbing these mountains, and that's how I got this elasticity. I never was so well." Oh, my friends, your departed loved ones are only away for their health in a better climate, and when you meet them they will be so changed you will hardly know them, they will be so very much changed, and after awhile, when you are assured that they are your friends, your departed friends, you will say: "Why, where is that cough? Where is that paralysis? Where is that pneumonia? Where is that consumption?" And he will say: "Oh, I am entirely well! There are no sick ones in this country. I have been ranging these hills and hence this elasticity. I have been here now 20 years, and not one sick one have I seen. We are all well in this climate."

## Join the Chorus.

And then I stand at the gate of the celestial city to see the processions come out, and I see a long procession of little children with their arms full of flowers, and then I see a procession of kings and priests moving in celestial pageantry—a long procession, but no black tasseled vehicle, no mourning group—and I say: "How strange it is! Where is your Greenwood? Where is your Laurel Hill? Where is your Westminster abbey?" And they shall cry, "There are no graves here." And then listen for the tolling of the old belfries of heaven, the old belfries of eternity. I listen to hear them toll for the dead, but they toll not for the dead. They only strike up a silvery chime, tower to tower, east gate to west gate, as they ring out, "They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more, neither shall the sun light on them nor any heat, for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall lead them to living fountains of water, and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes."

Oh, unglove your hand and give it to me in congratulation on that scene! I feel as if I could shout. I will shout. Dear Lord, forgive me that I ever complained about anything. If all this is before us, who cares for anything but God and heaven and eternal brotherhood? Take the crape off the doorbell. Your loved ones are only away for their health in a land ambrosial. Come, Lowell Mason. Come, Isaac Watts. Give us your best hymn about joy celestial.

What is the use of postponing our heaven any longer? Let it begin now, and whosoever hath a harp let her thrum it, and whosoever hath a trumpet let him blow it, and whosoever hath an organ let him give us a full diapason. They crowd down the air, spirits blessed, moving in cavalcade of triumph. Their chariot wheels whirl in the Sabbath sunlight. They come. Halt, armies of God! Halt until we are ready to join the battalion of pleasures that never die.

Oh, my friends, it would take a sermon as long as eternity to tell the joys that are coming to us. I just set open the sunshiny door. Come in, all ye disciples of the world who have found

the sunshiny door. Come in, all ye disciples of the dance, and see the bounding feet of this heavenly gladness. Come in, ye disciples of worldly amusement, and see the stage where kings are the actors and burning words the footlights and thrones the spectacular. Arise, ye dead in sin, for this is the morning of resurrection. The joys of heaven submerge our soul. I pull out the trumpet stop. In thy presence there is a fullness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures forevermore.

Blest are the saints beloved of God; Washed are their robes in Jesus' blood. Brighter than angels, lo, they shine, Their glories splendid and sublime! My soul anticipates the day, Would stretch her wing and soar away; To aid the song, the palm to bear, And low, the chief of sinners, there, Oh, the sunshine, the glorious sunshine, the everlasting sunshine! [Copyright, 1901, by Louis Klopsch, N. Y.]

## THE BABY'S LITTLE JOKE.

It worried the Fat Man, but He Tried to Enjoy It.

It happened in one of the late trains. Everybody was trying to get to sleep, and when the voice of a baby was suddenly lifted up in a robust wail it was not met with expressions of joy. It cried steadily from Spring Garden street to Columbia avenue. Then it accidentally dropped a pasteboard box it had. A very stout and, like his kind, very affable man across the aisle stooped heavily and picked it up.

The child stopped crying as it took it and promptly dropped it again. The man, thinking it an accident, picked it up once more. This time the baby actually smiled, and as he threw it down audibly cooed with delight. The man looked distinctly uncomfortable and became interested in something outside the window. The child looked at the box a moment, then at the man, and, seeing nothing else, resumed his wail, with much added wild. The look of despair resettled on the face of the woman with the headache, and she gave a convulsive shudder as she felt her head beginning to jump.

She gave one awful glance at the baby and then leaned over to the stout man, back of whom she was sitting. "My dear sir," said she, "I have a violent headache, and I am in misery. Won't you please pick up that box again?" And with a highly artificial smile he complied. Out of pure courtesy he became a box lifting automaton, his piles of adipose making each stoop come harder. But when he wiped the perspiration from his brow and staggered out of the car at Germantown he got a grateful smile from the afflicted woman, as well as every other passenger, that he felt paid him—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## A Tattered Remnant.

"Jimmy, take this awful looking cabbage straight back to the grocer and tell him to send me a respectable one." "He won't take it back, ma. Me and Dicky played ball with it on the way home."—Indianapolis Journal.

# Southern Railway



IN EFFECT JULY 22, 1900.

This condensed schedule is published as information and is subject to change without notice to the public.

Trains leave Greensboro, N. C.: 5:48 a. m.—No. 33 daily, Florida Express south for Charlotte, Columbia, Savannah, Augusta, Jacksonville and Tampa. Pullman Drawing Room Buffet Sleeping Cars.

7:06 a. m.—No. 37 daily, Washington & Southwestern Limited for Charlotte, Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis, Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and all points south and southwest. Connects at Charlotte for Columbia, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa. Through Pullman Sleeper New York to New Orleans. New York to Memphis; Pullman Observation Car New York to Macon. Dining Car and Vestibule Coach Washington to Atlanta. Tourist Sleeper Washington to San Francisco, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, without change. 7:37 a. m.—No. 11 daily, for Charlotte, Atlanta and all points southwest. Connects at Salisbury for Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Through sleeper New York to Nashville.

7:55 a. m.—No. 8 daily, for Danville, Richmond, Norfolk and local stations.

12:22 p. m.—No. 35 daily, United States Fast Mail for Washington, Richmond and all points North. Pullman Sleepers to Washington, Baltimore and New York. Tourist-sleeper from San Francisco, Saturday, Monday, Wednesday.

11:44 p. m.—No. 34 daily, Florida Express north; carries through Pullman cars for Jersey City, Richmond and Norfolk. Charlotte to Norfolk.

8:40 p. m.—No. 7 daily, for Charlotte and local points; connects at Salisbury for Knoxville and Chattanooga. Pullman sleeper operated from Salisbury to Memphis.

7:55 a. m.—No. 8 daily, for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points. Connects at Selma with train for Tarboro, Norfolk and local points; at Goldsboro for Newbern and Morehead City.

No. 16 leaves Greensboro 12:25 p. m. daily for Raleigh, Goldsboro and local points.

13:01 a. m.—No. 12 daily, for Raleigh and local points. Pullman Sleeper Greensboro to Raleigh.

8:25 a. m.—No. 105 for Winston, Wilkesboro and local points. Daily to Winston-Salem. Daily except Sunday to Wilkesboro.

12:35 p. m.—No. 107, daily except Sunday for Winston-Salem.

7:20 p. m.—No. 109 daily for Winston-Salem.

12:25 p. m.—No. 92 for Sanford. Connects with A. C. L. for Fayetteville and local points south.

4:12 p. m.—No. 53 for Mt. Airy and local stations. First sections of all scheduled freight trains carry passengers between points at which they are scheduled to stop.

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## A LEGAL OPINION.

Why Senator Henderson Voted to Acquit the Judges—No Evidence That They Were Actuated by Wrong Motives.

Col. John S. Henderson, of Salisbury, is the first member of the Court of Impeachment to file an opinion explaining his vote on the articles of impeachment against the Supreme court judges.

Colonel Henderson's opinion is a strong one. He is conceded on all sides to be one of the ablest members of the general assembly. Throughout the lengthy and tedious argument by counsel in the impeachment trial Colonel Henderson was the only member who took down every legal citation made by counsel on both sides. His explanation of his vote is given here with:

The articles of impeachment against the respondents are five in number, and my vote is that they are not guilty on either of said articles. I have listened attentively to all the evidence which has been introduced in behalf of the managers and of the respondents, and I have carefully weighed and considered the eloquent arguments of the counsel on either side of this important controversy. This is a criminal proceeding, and the respondents must be tried without partiality or prejudice. As a member of this Court of Impeachment I have no rights to consider their politics. Judge Allen, in concluding his speech for the managers, said: "We ask no conviction because they do not belong to the same political party that we do, but simply that they be tried and dealt with as other men."

I have endeavored to act upon this principle in this trial and in investigation. I have not been influenced by party expediency, political bias or any partisan consideration. The managers said that "they asked for no conviction of these respondents unless it is justified by the facts and by the law."

"In trials by impeachment," to quote Judge Story, "the law differs not from criminal prosecutions." Bish. Cr. L., s. 915. We find it laid down by Ashe, J., in the case of the State vs. Massey, 86 N. C., 660, that "when the act of a person may reasonably be attributed to two or more motives, the one criminal and the other not, the humanity of our law will ascribe it to that which is not criminal. It is neither charity nor common sense nor law to infer the worst intent which the facts will admit of. Every man is presumed to be innocent until the contrary is proven, and it is a well established rule in criminal cases that if there is any reasonable hypothesis upon which the circumstances are consistent with the innocence of the party, the court should instruct the jury to acquit, for the reason that the proof fails to sustain the charges. The guilt of a person is not to be inferred because the facts are consistent with his guilt, but they must be inconsistent with his innocence."

"Every man is presumed to be innocent until the contrary appears; and if there be reasonable doubt as to his guilt, the jury are to give him the benefit of such doubt. \* \* \* In criminal cases the testimony, in order to sustain a conviction, must be such as to satisfy the jury beyond a reasonable doubt that the prisoner is guilty of the charge alleged against him in the indictment." Wharton on Cr. Ev., s. 718. "When the prosecution is through its case, then the defendant is entitled to an acquittal if the case of the prosecution is not made out beyond reasonable doubt." Wharton on Cr. Ev., s. 330.

The first article of impeachment is the one mainly relied upon by the counsel for the managers to convict the respondents. The allegation is that they directed the writ of peremptory mandamus to issue against the auditor and treasurer, in violation of the express provisions of the constitution of the state. I have read the case of White vs. the Auditor and Treasurer (126 N. C., 570) with much care, and I cannot say that the said writ of mandamus was issued contrary to the express provisions of the constitution or even contrary to the course and practice of the court. If I had been on the bench, I do not think I would have concurred in the issuing of said writ, but I do not see how I could have concluded that it was plainly unconstitutional for the court to issue the writ. The general assembly is the law-making power, the executive administers the law, and the Supreme court declares what the law is and construes and interprets it. It may also declare a law to be unconstitutional and void.

In White vs. The Auditor, the opinion was rendered by Judge Furches and is thus stated: "This action is to recover the salary of a public officer. The facts are agreed, and from these facts it appears, that there is now money in the

hands of the treasurer, more than sufficient to pay the plaintiff, which rose from the oyster fund, under the acts of 1897 and 1899. That this fund is specially appropriated to the payment of the salaries of officers serving under the act of 1899."

Justice Douglas, concurring in the opinion, said: "The case comes before us on facts agreed, and it is expressly stated that the state treasurer has on hand of the oyster fund collected under the provisions of chapter 13, laws 1897, and chapter 19, laws 1899, an amount sufficient and available for the payment of such salary and traveling expenses as the plaintiff may be entitled to. No one else is now claiming it, and no one else is now performing the duties which would entitle him to receive it."

Montgomery, J., dissenting, said: "The court has not undertaken to decide that the treasurer of North Carolina can be made to pay out money in a case where no appropriation by the general assembly has been made. There is not a member of the court who would think of doing such a thing. The decision of the courts rests upon the foundation and proposition that the general assembly has appropriated a particular fund for the payment of the plaintiff's claim. There can, therefore, be no clash between the two departments of government. Nobody would dispute the proposition that if this fund had been appropriated by the general assembly for the payment of the plaintiff's claim, the treasurer could be made by mandamus to pay it. The duty required of the treasurer would involve no judicial discretion, and would be simply a ministerial duty. County Board of Education vs. State Board of Education, 106 N. C., 81."

"The respondents may have erred in their opinions and in the judgment pronounced by the court, but there has been no evidence in this action to satisfy me that they erred wilfully. As Chief Justice Kent said in the case of Yates vs. Lansing, 5 Johnson's report, 291: "Judicial exercise of power is imposed upon the courts. They must decide an act according to their judgment. \* \* \* There must be the scenter or intentional violation of the statutes; and this can never be imputed to the judicial decisions of a court."

The sum and substance of all the articles of impeachment preferred against the respondents is:

1. Have they violated the constitution or laws of the state of North Carolina?

2. If they have, did they do so intentionally?

Conceding that the respondents may have violated the law, I do not see how they can be convicted, unless they were influenced in doing so by some improper or corrupt motive or evil intent. And there is no evidence that they were actuated by wrong motives or an evil intent, and they are entitled to the benefit of every reasonable doubt.

The judicial department of the state government is much weaker than the legislative department. The doctrine decided in the case of Hoke vs. Henderson can be almost entirely abrogated by legislative enactment whenever the general assembly thinks proper to do so. Two general assemblies have failed, however, to legislate upon this question, although it is claimed that during the period which has elapsed since they came into being the Supreme court has been gradually and covertly extending the principle set up in that opinion. The truth is, as it seems to me, that the Supreme court is also completely at the mercy of the general assembly. The writ of mandamus can be established, or its issuance can be controlled and regulated by statute. In expressing the views by which I have been guided in the votes I have given on the articles of impeachment, I do not mean to imply that the respondents may not have erred in many of their opinions. The construction they have given to chapter 13, of the acts of 1897 and to chapter 19 and 21 of the acts of 1899, may be incorrect and erroneous. If so, by an error of judgment, they have mistaken the law, according to the evidence in this action. I cannot reach their hearts, but no testimony has been offered to prove that in construing these statutes, they did so from wrong motives or with any criminal intent.

JOHN S. HENDERSON.

A London cablegram says that Mrs. Charles Stewart Parnell, widow of the Irish leader, has just lost \$18,000, part of a trust fund for her daughters, which her lawyer had put in bad securities. He has been suspended for six months.

"Last winter I was confined to my bed with a very bad cold on the lungs. Nothing gave me relief. Finally my wife bought a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure that effected a speedy cure. I cannot speak too highly of that excellent remedy." Mr. T. H. Housman, Manatawney, Pa. Howard Gardner.

## LADY TEACHER A HEROINE.

Hitched Horse to Floating School House and Safely Landed Pupils.

HARRISON, Neb., April 11.—Miss Lizzie Cottman, a school teacher in district No. 19, Sioux county, is today the heroine of this state. The little frame school building is located in a glade on the bank of the White River, which has been overflowing its banks during the recent thaw. When Miss Cottman arrived at the school house this morning she found the building surrounded by water. For a time she entertained no fears from the flood, but the water began to undermine the foundation of the building, and the supports were giving way.

The brave teacher closed the school, and, telling the pupils to remain inside the building, plunged into the torrent, which by this time was waist deep, waded to a barn near by and secured a horse and a rope. Returning to the building, which was now afloat, she fastened one end of the rope to the door and the other end around the horse's neck. Then she headed for dry land, and after a desperate struggle reached the shore, where she fastened the rope to a tree. She then hailed a farmer, who came to her assistance, and the thirteen pupils were safely landed. The parents of the children and the county commissioners are discussing plans for rewarding Miss Cottman for her heroic deed.

## Cassius Clay's Dead Line.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 11.—Gen. Cassius M. Clay, who fired on Deputy Sheriff Terrill and Colyer yesterday when the officers went to Whitehall to serve a writ for the delivery of some furniture owned by the general's daughter, refused to be interviewed today. He not only refused the press a statement, but he turned down the messenger of his son, Brutus J. Clay, late commissioner to the Paris Exposition, who went to assure his father that he had induced the general's daughter, Mrs. Mary B. Clay, to withdraw the writ of delivery for the household goods which she claimed he held.

Brutus Clay sent a negro, who was told by General Clay that his son should observe the signs in front of the mansion and abide by the consequences just the same as any other man. The signs referred to were a pole, to the ends of which were tied red and white handkerchiefs, the white one being in the mud and the red one in the air. Another sign was his walking cane lying across the walk. Jim Bowling, who went to the mansion to take a note from a correspondent, and was told that there was nothing to be said today, says the signs mean war. The red flag denoted that he will kill any one entering the house, and the cane denoted his dead line, after passing which the stranger or relative may expect to be shot. He has provisions to last him several days. No one is with him, and he paces the floor almost constantly.

## Hill to Tennessee Democrats.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 11.—Hon. D. B. Hill, of New York, in declining an invitation recently extended to address the Tennessee legislature, embraces the opportunity to thank the Tennessee delegation to Kansas City "for the many evidences of their friendship and confidence" at the last Democratic convention, and says:

"There is much unnecessary discussion about the 'reorganization' of the Democratic party. It is difficult to ascertain exactly what is proposed by those who make use of it. The old party of Jefferson, Jackson and Tilden still lives, and is good enough for us. What we need now is courage, patience, unity and aggressiveness. Let us adhere to the old fashioned principles of Democracy, and the future will take care of itself."

## Our Losses in the Philippines.

The losses of our troops in the Philippines since August 6, 1898, are as follows:

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Wounded	2,638
Grand total	6,147

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The Harrison family seems to have a strong hold upon Chicago. With the exception of his father, Carter Harrison is the only man ever elected three times to the office of mayor of Chicago.

One Kansas law says that the personal property of a dead man, when not claimed by relatives, shall be sold at auction. Another law prohibits the sale of liquor. Recently a gallon of rye whiskey was found among the effects of a dead man who had left no known relatives. The Probate court has taken the whiskey "under advisement."

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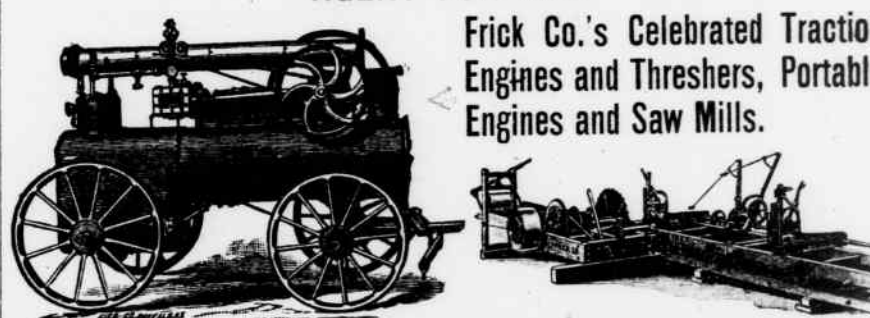
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SAMUEL HUFFINES.		HOLT & GILBRETH.	
54 pounds at.....	\$ 8 00	240 pounds at.....	\$10 50
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36 " " " " " "	15 50	360 " " " " " "	25 00
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J. W. KELLUM.		80 pounds at.....	\$ 8 25
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48 " " " " " "	18 00	70 " " " " " "	30 00
70 " " " " " "	22 50	Average.....	17 75
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R. A. C. KERNODLE.		924 pounds at.....	\$ 7 50
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**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

**Death of a Promising Young Minister.**

Rev. William K. Forsyth, who had been suffering from the ravages of consumption for the past eighteen months or two years, passed quietly away Sunday afternoon at the home of his father, Mr. John A. Forsyth, a few miles south of this city. The funeral was held at Alamance church Monday afternoon and was attended by a large crowd of sorrowing friends and relatives. The service was conducted by Rev. C. Miller, of Danbury, a former pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Dr. E. W. Smith, Rev. C. E. Hodgkin and Rev. J. McL. Seabrook, of this city. Other ministers present, friends and schoolmates of the deceased, were Rev. H. D. LeQueux, Rev. W. A. Murray and Rev. Mr. Jones.

The death of Mr. Forsyth, while not unexpected, was a sad blow to members of his family and other loved ones and brought sadness to the hearts of all who knew him. Mr. Forsyth, after completing his education, was ordained to the ministry of the Southern Presbyterian church five or six years ago and gave promise of great usefulness. Soon after entering the ministry he accepted a call to Corbin, Ky., where he labored with much success until forced by failing health to give up his work, to which he was deeply devoted. After leaving Corbin he spent some time in a sanitarium at Asheville, but received no permanent relief. Realizing that he was beyond the power of earthly aid, he came home last summer to spend the remaining months of life with loved ones. From that time until the end he gradually grew weaker.

Mr. Forsyth was in the thirty-fourth year of his age and was unmarried. His bereaved father and other relatives have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

—Immediately after Mr. John R. Stewart had been acquitted in the Federal court last week of charges of attempting to defraud the government of the tax on distilled spirits and of removing and concealing unstamped whiskey his storekeeper and gauger, Mr. D. C. Welker, was indicted for permitting irregularities in connection with the operation of the distillery. Mr. Welker was the principal witness for the defense and his indictment, after the acquittal, is causing some comment. Mr. Welker has been in the government service, in the capacity of storekeeper and gauger, at intervals for the past twenty-five years and no charge of any kind was ever before brought against him. He is over seventy years old and his friends do not believe that he would be guilty of any misconduct this late in life. Some are inclined to the belief that the indictment is a bit of political persecution from members of his own party. Mr. Welker has always been a strong Republican and is known as one of the most effective party workers in eastern Guilford.

—The publication of a small advertisement in a recent issue of the Patriot discloses a somewhat surprising state of affairs in Guilford county. The advertisement referred to was simply one offering a cow for sale, but when at least a score of persons had replied, the advertiser began to feel more than ordinary interest in the matter, notwithstanding the fact that his cow was then in the possession of the first applicant. His inquiries developed the fact that there is a marked scarcity of milk cows in the county—a condition that speaks unfavorably for a good grazing section like this. There is never a time when dairy products cannot be readily turned into cash in this city, and it is unfortunate that our farmers do not make greater efforts to supply the local demands for these products.

—Sheriff B. F. Slutz, of Wottumna, Iowa, was here a few days ago with a requisition for Howard, one of the gold brick men confined in jail, but returned without the prisoner. The officers here have no idea of releasing either of the prisoners until they are tried and convicted for the crime committed in North Carolina. After that other people are welcome to settle old scores with them. Howard is wanted in Iowa for fleeing a farmer out of \$7,000 with the gold brick scheme. John T. Norris, the Ohio detective, who came here to identify Howard, returned home last week, as did Howard's wife. The latter is expected to return at any time. Sheriff Jordan is in receipt of a message from her saying she would return prepared to furnish bail for her husband.

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**How to Utilize Sawdust.**

Sawdust has, until recent years, been a waste product in this country, and yet it contains useful elements well worth saving, as recent investigations have shown. Some mills have used sawdust to supplement their fuel supply, but to-day chemical analysis shows clearly that it contains elements far too useful to be thrown away in the fire and machinery has now been invented to extract these materials.

It is ascertained that 1,000 pounds of sawdust will yield about 160 pounds of charcoal, which is practically the same as charcoal, and equally as serviceable, also 180 pounds of acid, 160 pounds of tar, and a quantity of gases, which being tested, are found to be excellent for heating and illuminating purposes, and are of commercial value.

In Montreal, Canada, a machine has just been invented for the purpose of distilling sawdust and obtaining the desired products. Consul General Bittinger writes that the machine treats about 2,000 pounds of the sawdust an hour. As Canada manufactures enormous quantities of lumber, it is expected that the utilization of sawdust in that country will be an important source of valuable commodities.

There are twenty places in Europe where oxalic acid is extracted from sawdust. In Scotland sawdust is used to make floorcloth, coarse wrapping paper and mill board, which is a kind of pasteboard used by the bookmakers in the covers of books. Thus sawdust, once thought to be a good deal of nuisance, is beginning to be considered quite a useful article.

It would add immensely to their profits if the capitalists, owning the great saw mills, scattered throughout the Southern States, would turn their attention to the investigation of this important bi-product, instead of throwing it away. Science applied to industry always adds a hundred per cent to profit.

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Chickens—old per lb.	6
Small spring chickens lb.	15
Eggs	12 1/2
Butter	20
Feathers	
Hides—dry	10
Green	5
Wool—washed	
Unwashed	
Wheat	
Oats	
Sheep Skins	15@40
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Bones lb.	3/4

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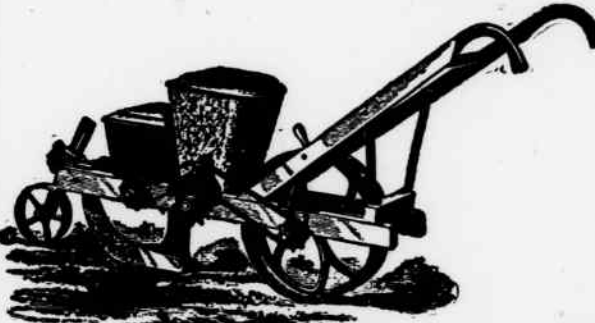
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## SOUTH CAROLINA TRAGEDY.

### Well Known Railroad Man Shot to Death.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 13.—This afternoon at 3 o'clock Captain John J. Griffin, commercial agent of the Norfolk and Western Railway Company, was shot to death in the room of Major Barnard B. Evans, in this city. The arrest of Major Evans subsequently created a pronounced sensation.

The two men were alone, and occupants of adjoining apartments were at dinner. Major Evans summoned a physician, saying that a man was hurt in his rooms. Dr. R. W. Gibbes found Captain Griffin lying in a dying condition and speechless on Major Evans' bed. A forty four calibre Colt's revolver bullet had entered just above the left nipple.

When Dr. Gibbes announced that Griffin was dying, he declares that Evans, who had been drinking heavily, became wildly excited and exclaimed that Dr. Gibbes lied, and that Dr. Gibbes, and not himself, had killed Griffin. The physician, under pretext of replacing a broken instrument, managed to get out of the room, although Evans declared that he should not do so.

Dr. Gibbes summoned police, and they were refused admittance until Judge Ernest Gary, a cousin of Evans, arrived and demanded admittance and submission to the officers. Evans struck Judge Gary and was taken to jail in a state of hysteria, having declared that Griffin had taken his own life.

In the room were evidences of the fact that one or both of the men had been drinking. Aside from this there is no reason why Griffin should have killed himself or that Evans should have shot him.

The dead man's face was bruised on both sides and there was an abrasion of the skin on the bridge of his nose. His walking cane, clotted with blood, was several feet from where blood marks indicated that the fatal shot had taken effect. The right forearm of the dead man showed powder burns, but none were visible in the neighborhood of the wound.

### Orange Presbytery.

GRAHAM, April 12.—The Presbytery of Orange is now in session here. Retiring Moderator Rev. J. W. Goodman preached the opening sermon yesterday at 11 a. m. Elder A. M. Scales, of Greensboro, was elected moderator and makes an excellent presiding officer. Judge H. R. Vail, of Jefferson, and Rev. W. A. Murray are temporary clerks. There is a very full attendance.

Dr. B. W. Mebane, of Virginia, was received into the Presbytery and takes charge of the Madison church and others. The Lexington church calls Rev. J. H. Grey as pastor.

Last evening an interesting popular meeting in the interest of foreign missions was addressed by Rev. Messrs. Mebane, Goodman and Brown. This morning a popular meeting on home missions was addressed by the earnest and efficient workers in the fields, Rev. Messrs. Robinson, Murray and Jones. Rev. Dr. E. C. Murray was elected chairman of this work. A peculiar feature of these popular meetings this year is that special collections for the causes during the services have been tabooed by the Presbytery.

This afternoon two colored ministers, Revs. Walker and Palmer, made very encouraging reports of their work. The following commissioners to the General Assembly, to be held next month at Little Rock, Ark., were elected; Rev. J. McL. Seabrook and Dr. E. C. Murray and Elders Louis Richardson and H. R. Vail. The next Presbytery will be held at Mt. Airy in September.—Correspondence Charlotte Observer.

### A Question of Citizenship.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico.—Charles M. Boerman, an American lawyer practicing in Ponce, came to San Juan this week to secure a license to practice as a notary. He has returned to Ponce without the license, the court hesitating to accept his bond because Mr. Boerman happened to be an American citizen.

The law says that any citizen of Porto Rico, who qualifies, may become a notary. The question as to whether Mr. Boerman, an American citizen, is also a citizen of Porto Rico is one for Attorney-General Harlan to decide, the court having referred the question to him. His decision will be awaited with great interest.

While Mr. Harlan is deciding whether an American citizen is a citizen of Porto Rico, his father, Justice Harlan, of the United States Supreme court, is dealing with the question whether Porto Ricans are citizens of the United States.

## STATE NEWS.

The Scotland Neck cotton mill will be enlarged.

A new knitting mill is to be established at Shelby.

An overall factory has been put in operation at Haw River.

The Oxford orphan asylum is at present entirely free of debt.

Fire in Wilmington Saturday caused about \$10,000 damage.

An inmate of the soldiers' home, at Raleigh, says there are two deserters at the home.

After July 1st there will be two saloons and two dispensaries in Northampton county.

The Hickory Inn, the leading hotel of Hickory, was badly damaged by fire last week.

It is said that four negro postmasters in Halifax county are to be succeeded by white men.

On May 7th the people of Oxford will vote on the question of establishing graded schools.

The mayor of Winston-Salem has announced that he will make war on the gambling dens of that place.

Governor Aycock has appointed Joseph F. Spainhour, of Caldwell county, solicitor for the Fourteenth district.

The Roanoke-Chowan Times, published in Rich Square, Northampton county, says that labor is unusually scarce in that section.

After June 1 all mixed trains carrying freight and passengers must comply with the "Jim Crow Car" act; that is, must provide separate compartments for the two races.

There are persons who have the belief that oil will be found in Chatham county, in the region of the coal fields. It is asserted that oil is observed on several of the streams.

Winston correspondence Charlotte Observer: A company has been organized to put a steamboat on the Yadkin river, for the purpose of hauling freight and excursion parties to and from the new cotton mill town of Cooleemee. One hundred dwellings are to be built for the mill company at once. Lots have been laid off for various churches, all of which, the Episcopal, Baptist, Methodist and Lutheran, contemplate building houses of worship during the coming summer.

Assistant Secretary Taylor, of the treasury, has denied the request preferred by the Grand Army post at Asheville to meet monthly in the public building there. He said that it is in direct violation of law to permit public buildings to be used for private clubs, societies or other gatherings. In making this request the Asheville Grand Army men recited that the postmaster at Raleigh allowed the public building there to be used for G. A. R. meetings. This, Mr. Taylor says, is wrong and the postmaster at Raleigh will be called to account.

The new North Carolina corporation law, applying to private corporations, almost entirely copies the New Jersey law. The tax is 20 cents on each \$100 of authorized capital stock. All charters must originate in the office of the secretary of state and not in the counties. The new law requires all existing corporations to send in within 90 days lists showing name, principal place of business, authorized and actual capital stock, etc. It is also further provided that it is to cost twice as much to obtain a legislative character as for one under this law from the secretary of state.

### Jones Says it Absurd.

Fort Smith, Ark., April 11.—Chairman Jones of the national Democratic committee, in an interview to-day, said he considered absurd the talk of some formerly recognized leaders of the party about the necessity for reorganization. "What the policies of the party at the next national convention may be no one can say and it would be manifestly impossible for any man or set of men," he said, "to formulate a new policy for the party in the interim. It is quite within reason to believe," said Mr. Jones, "that there will be modifications of the platforms of Chicago or Kansas city, but what these modifications may be no one can say, although it is not probable such modifications will be radical in character."

Speaking of the Philippine and Cuban relations, Senator Jones said he was gratified at the more peaceful turn of affairs in the Philippines and hoped it would result in a settled government with large independent powers left with the natives.

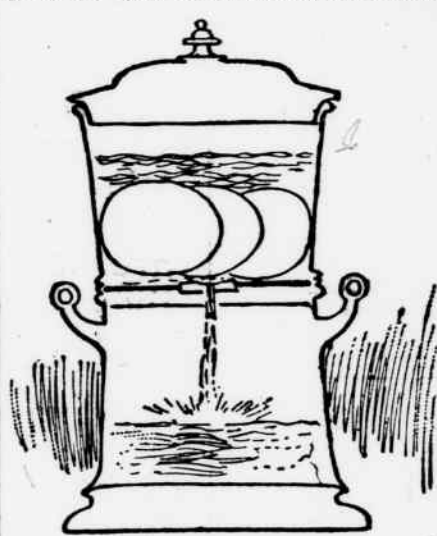
### A Ferocious Tiger.

Indianapolis, Ind., Friday, 12.—Showman Bostock, from Baltimore, entered the arena with his ferocious tiger Rajah, to-day. He was seized by the animal which all but mangled him to death in the presence of the attendant. The beast was driven off and Bostock taken away unconscious. It is feared he will not recover.

## FOR BOILING EGGS.

### How the Cook of the Future Will Prepare Them.

There is reason in the roasting of eggs, but very little in the boiling of them—at least, as a rule. How many cooks, for instance, know that an egg can be cooked so as to turn the yolk "hard" and the white "soft" or vice versa just at the will of the operator? The general plan of boiling an egg at the gallop in a saucepan, timing the operation with a sandglass or clock, is about the most unscientific operation carried out in the kitchen. A new automatic egg cooker is based on thoroughly scientific principles, and that is why we like it, says London Invention. It consists of an upper and lower vessel, as illustrated, the upper one having a small hole in the bottom. The eggs are placed in the upper vessel, which must be filled with boiling water. The principle upon which the cooker acts is



FOR BOILING EGGS.

briefly as follows: An egg requires about 160 degrees to 175 degrees F. to cook it. The eggs are, say, 60 degrees F. when put in and the water 212 degrees F., but together the water in contact with the eggs is reduced in temperature and would fall lower than 160 degrees F. at the bottom of the vessel were it not for the small hole which lets it away to come down on the eggs, but so slowly that by the time the top layers approach they have by conduction and radiation become cool enough not to overcook the eggs. By the time the water has run through into the lower vessel the eggs will be cooked and if not required immediately will keep hot for a considerable time without spoiling.

### Good Disease Breeders.

Probably the good old rural practice of stanching a wound with cobwebs is not yet obsolete, though physicians often have pointed out its absurdity and danger. Cobwebs are most successful germ traps and are filled with microbes brought to them by breezes and insects.

Yet many well meaning people, says the New York Press, are not satisfied with using the ordinary garden cobweb as a "first aid to the injured," but insist that the cobweb must be taken from a stable! Now, the stable cobweb is capable of infecting one with that highly interesting disease lockjaw, as has been proved in several instances. At a recent meeting of veterinarians in Paris a case was described in which cobwebs were applied to abrasions on the fore legs of a horse. In a few days the animal developed symptoms of "horsepox," the form which smallpox assumes when it attacks horses and which they can catch from the "cowpox" of cattle. Upon investigation it was learned that the cobwebs used in this case had been collected in a stable where there were cows infected with cowpox. Only clean lint or some similar material, carefully sterilized, should ever be used for dressing wounds. Time honored tradition to the contrary notwithstanding, cobwebs are about as unsuitable a dressing as the ingenuity of man could devise.

In some out of the way district in the south of Ireland spiders are highly esteemed in the treating of croup. The peasants get from an old wall the webs of seven black spiders, two of which must have the owners sitting in the middle. The insects are killed and are sprinkled with a little powdered alum. The resulting mixture must then be boiled, and when cool the liquid is poured down the throat of the patient.

Black spiders are evidently supposed to be full of medicinal virtue, for they are largely employed in the treatment ofague as well. In Somersetshire if one is afflicted with this unpleasant ailment the way to get well is to shut up a large black spider in a box and leave it there till it dies. At the moment of its death the ague should disappear. In Cornwall the treatment is more heroic. The patient must swallow the spider, which is generally taken in thick gruel. In the extreme north of Scotland spiders' webs are believed to be a cure for neuralgia and toothache. The webs are collected and made into a small poultice, which is applied to the spot where the pain is felt.

### Mount St. Elias Shaken.

Mount St. Elias has been badly shaken by an earthquake. It is said that the mountain was considerably torn up. The shock was so severe that a mass of ice, acres in extent, broke loose from the top of the mountain and went crashing down the sides, carrying everything with it.

### Belgium's Gain.

Half a century ago Belgium was scarcely known. Today its products and manufactures are in the markets of every known corner of the globe, and it ranks as the seventh industrial country of the globe.

### Germans and the Teeth.

There are over 12,000 dentists in the German empire and 21,715 physicians. American dentists are most in favor there and command the highest prices.

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### ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Having this day qualified before John J. Nelson, clerk of the Superior court of Guilford county, as administratrix of the estate of L. M. Stewart, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to me on or before the 10th day of April, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement.

### NOTICE OF REGISTRATION.

Every one who intends voting at the graded school election in Friendship township, fifth school district, at Oak Grove school house, must register. The book for registration will be open from April 5th to Saturday, April 27th, inclusive, 1901. L. L. HOBBS, Chairman, Lee S. Smith, Secretary.

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### BAD STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Closing of Army Canteens Has Increased Dissipation—Frauds in Manila.

Correspondence of the PATRIOT.

WASHINGTON, April 15, 1901.—Senators are much amused at a semi-official statement that has come from the State department, denying that negotiations had been opened with England for a new isthmian canal treaty, and purporting to tell why no such negotiations were under way. The reason given in this statement is that Secretary Hay has not yet ascertained what sort of a treaty two-thirds of the senate would be willing to vote for. It is perfectly true that no negotiations have been started with England for a new treaty, but the reason given is only half true. If Secretary Hay has not been able to ascertain what sort of a treaty two-thirds of the senate will vote for, he has been very plainly given to understand what sort of a treaty two-thirds of the senate will vote against or amend, and the information is strikingly near to what Senator Morgan said on the floor of the senate, just before congress adjourned—that Mr. McKinley would find out that he could not get two-thirds of the senate to agree to any treaty less strongly pronounced in favor of American rights than the amended Hay-Pauncefote treaty, which England would not have. That is the real reason why there have been no negotiations.

According to evidence given before the United States Industrial Commission, the paper trust has added more than \$4,800,000 a year to the cost of news print paper in this country. One witness said that he knew of two newspapers which were each paying an increase of \$150,000 a year in the price of paper used by them. The same witness said that all the promises made by the trust had been violated and that instead of reducing the cost of manufacture, it had been increased, and was now greater than under individual ownership of the paper mills.

Although the War department has tried to poohpooh the reports of extensive frauds in the Commissary department at Manila, the official action of Secretary Root in largely increasing the force of of-

ficers in the Inspector General's department in the Philippines, is an acknowledgment of the truth of the published stories. It is stated at the War department that the system of inspection in the Philippines has been very lax because a sufficient number of officers had not been detailed for that purpose, and that in consequence there has been a number of cases of petty frauds in both the Commissary and Quartermaster's departments. It is known that these frauds have been so numerous for some time that it has been found necessary to establish a sort of secret service to watch for them. There has been only one officer—Col. Jarlington,—on strictly inspection duty in the Philippines and he has only recently returned to duty from a two month's sick leave. Nothing shows plainer that the government has been robbed extensively in the Philippines than the fact that the average annual cost of maintaining a soldier over there has increased in the year more than \$100. As there are in round numbers 75,000 soldiers over there, this is no small matter.

Adjutant General Corbin, who is about the slickest politician that ever held a commission in the army, and who by means of his political manipulation, was practically in command of the army during the war with Spain, has again eluded Gen. Miles below the belt, and the latter's fighting blood is, consequently, pretty near boiling. As usual, it was done through Corbin's political pull. He not only succeeded in getting the recommendations of Gen. Miles,—either Col. Rodgers of the Fifth, or Col. Guenther, of the Fourth artillery,—for appointment as chief of artillery, a position created by the new army law, turned down, and Col. W. F. Randolph appointed, although he was ranked by both the other men, but in greeting the chief of artillery made a subordinate of the adjutant general, although the law creating the position says the holder shall be on the staff of the lieutenant general commanding. Gen. Miles has made a vigorous protest to the secretary of war against this violation of law, but no notice has yet been taken of it.

The closing of the army canteens has had a most deplorable effect

at Fort Meyer, just across the river from this city, as it has had at other places. Before the canteen was established there were large groups of saloons and disreputable houses outside the reservations at the entrances to the arsenal and Fort Meyer. When the canteens were opened and the soldiers had an attractive place of resort where they could obtain pure beer at cost price, with games, newspapers, magazines, and other diversions to occupy their minds when they were off duty, the low dives entirely disappeared, the keepers being compelled to close and go elsewhere, because of lack of patronage. Within a few days after the canteens were closed they were all reopened in increased numbers and appear to be doing an active and profitable business in the sale of vile whiskey and other liquors. As attractions they have billiard and card tables, and numerous dissolute women who lie in wait for the soldiers as they come from the reservations, and entice them into the drinking places. The night after the last pay day these places were a bedlam beyond the control of the police. Such disorder has not been seen for several years. A result, the savings deposited with the pay master by the soldiers, usually amounting to fifty per cent. of the total pay, have sunk to almost nothing.

### Of Interest to Farmers.

As the spring has opened and crops are being planted, insects are again becoming numerous and their ravages will soon begin. We wish to urge farmers not to wait until a crop is ruined, and then write for information, but as soon as an insect enemy is detected send some specimens to this office, so that they may be identified, and remedies suggested. The importance of the work against injurious insects is becoming more and more apparent. Everybody is invited to make free use of this office to obtain information regarding insect friends and foes.

FRANKLIN SHERMAN, JR., Entomologist N. C. Department of Agriculture, Raleigh, N. C.

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### QUESTION OF INDEMNITY.

The United States, Great Britain and Japan Inclined to be Easy on China.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The last advices to the State department from Mr. Rockhill contain further details respecting the amount of the indemnities claimed from China by the powers. It appears that these claims have been much exaggerated in some statements, though the sum total is still far in excess of the amount of money it is believed China can raise. It is the belief of the State department that the total claims should not be allowed to exceed \$150,000,000 or \$200,000,000. There is as yet no confirmation of the report from Peking that the international commissioners have figured upon \$300,000,000 as the limit of China's ability in the matter of raising funds. According to information received, the British claim, so far as formulated, is reasonable in amount as compared with other claims. In fact, the United States, Great Britain and Japan represent in these negotiations the moderate element whose desire it is to prevent the imposition of charges that shall destroy the Chinese government and result in the division of China. None of the claims is in excess of \$100,000,000 and even the largest is something less than this amount. This is believed to be the Russian claim, which is fixed at \$90,000,000. The German claim is flexible, ranging between \$60,000,000 and \$80,000,000, but it is nearer the former mark at present, though it doubtless will grow. As already stated the claim of the United States is \$25,000,000 and it will be seen that if the remaining powers are to be allowed a proportionate share, the aggregate will be beyond China's ability to pay.

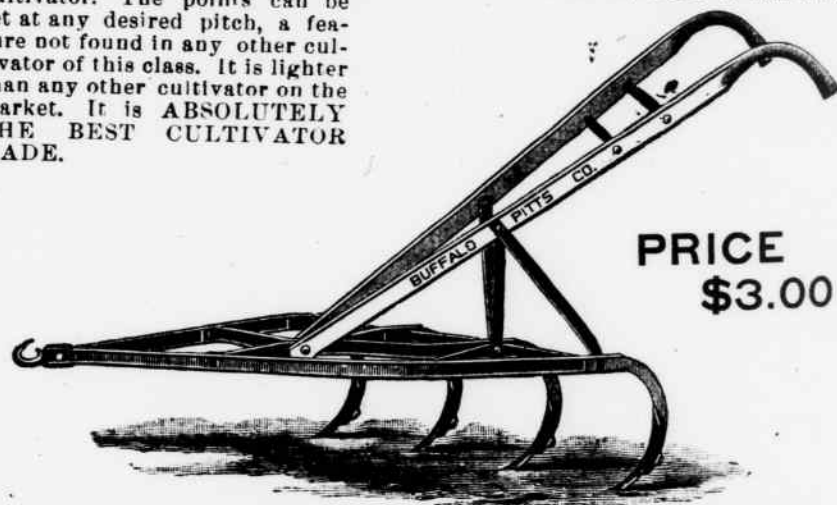
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## VISIONS IN A TRANCE.

### Young Lady Saw Sweetheart Playing Poker.

Hypnotism is a dangerous thing for courting young men and married folks.

I arrived at this conclusion last night when I heard the incident related which I will give to the public. Three doctors and a half dozen business men were standing in Isenhour & Bean's drugstore when one of Salisbury's most prominent physicians (who is no mean hypnotist) told the following as an actual occurrence:

"A young lady asked me a few years ago if I would hypnotize her and command her spirit to communicate with her lover. I did not believe at the time that such a thing was possible, but determined to gratify her desire and proceeded to put her in the hypnotic state. I then suggested that she would see her sweetheart and actually observe what he was doing at that moment. And then I said to her: 'Tell me what your sweetheart is doing.' 'He is playing poker over a drugstore with four other men. The chips are stacked on the table and my sweetheart is looking at his hand.' I thought the conversation too painful to pursue and awoke the subject. A few days later I met the young man and asked him: 'Where were you Tuesday night?' He appeared to try and refresh his memory, but without allowing him to proceed I said: 'You were over a certain drugstore in a certain town playing poker. There were four other players around the table.' 'Oh, you have been there,' he said. And then he admitted that I had given him a true description of his occupation on that particular night. And I will vouch for every particular I have related here to-night."

The moral is that the "goblins" will get you if you don't mind out, for in this advanced age of science the wrongdoer is never safe. Avoid poker or make your wife or sweetheart proof against hypnotism.—Salisbury Sun.

### Sympathy Strike Talked Of.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 14.—A meeting of representatives of the trainmen and telegraphers employed on the northern division of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, was held at Ashley to night. It is said there was considerable dissatisfaction expressed over the terms of settlement of the threatened strike by the conference in New York.

The brakemen and telegraphers feel that their interests have been sacrificed for the benefit of some other employees, the engineers in particular. Unless the telegraphers receive some concessions from the railroad officials this week, the leaders say there will be a strike in which they claim they will be joined by the brakemen. The trainmen and operators will take another vote on the situation. It is hardly probable, however, that the telegraphers and brakemen will undertake a strike on their own account.

The chiefs of their brotherhoods are against such a course. The engineers and firemen of this division are not altogether satisfied with the terms of settlement, but it is the general opinion that they decline to join the trainmen and telegraphers in a sympathy strike. The employees of the New Jersey divisions are accused by the men of this section of being in too big a hurry to settle the grievances and sacrificing demands which in the past, they claimed must be granted by the company.

### Sniffed Danger.

Pittsburg, April 12.—Thomas D. Kahney, a grocer living at No. 13 Albert street, was murdered by a burglar early this morning while trying to rescue his wife from the clutches of one of three men who were in the house. The man who fired the fatal shot and his two accomplices escaped.

A strange feature of the crime was that Mrs. Kahney had a presentiment last night that a member of the family would die before morning and refused to go to bed, walking for hours back and forth between the room in which her husband was sleeping and the adjoining apartment which her 12 year old son occupied. She kept a light burning in the hallway and the left bedroom doors open so that both apartments were well lighted. She remained faithful to her self-imposed trust until 2 o'clock, when she fell asleep. She awoke, across the foot of her son's bed. Half an hour she was awakened by a burglar who was attempting to chloroform her. She screamed and her husband ran to her rescue. The man who was holding Mrs. Kahney freed one hand and drawing a revolver fired at the intruder. The bullet entered Kahney's side in the region of his heart. He died while trying to return to his room to get a revolver.

### Negroes Chastise a Negro.

Independence, Mo., April 11.—A number of negroes, made up of the faction in the Baptist church that is opposed to its pastor, Elder J. T. Fitts, seized the minister and his wife after prayer meeting last night, thrust pipes around their necks, and threw them into a hollow beside the road and "regulated" them with heavy stones laid vigorously on their backs. Minister Fitts to-day signed warrants for six of the participants.

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## new Schedule B taxes.

The following new taxes are levied under Schedule B. of the new Revenue act:

Second-hand clothing, dealers, \$25 a year.  
Junk dealers, graduated according to the population, \$5 a year for a town of 1,000 inhabitants to \$20 a year for a town of over 5,000.

Ship brokers, \$20 a year.  
Stock brokers, graduated according to population, from \$25 to \$75 a year. In all towns of more than 10,000 inhabitants the tax is \$75.

Agents for packing houses, \$1,000 for each county in which they do business.

Agents for breweries, \$50 a year, while a brewery is taxed \$200.

Oil tanks of 500 or more gallons capacity, \$20 a year.

Dealers in furniture, \$50 to \$300 a year, according to population.

Dealers in pistols, \$10 a year.

Manufacturers of cigarettes, taxed according to the number manufactured, less than 250,000,000 a year, \$250; over 250,000,000 a year, \$500; over 500,000,000 a year, \$1,000.

Emigrant agents, \$25.

Itinerant oculists, \$25.

Under the new machinery act, sheriffs and tax collectors will be required to settle with the State treasurer much oftener and more promptly than heretofore. Section 85 of the act provides that all taxes received by these officers shall be paid to the State treasurer within ten days after the first of each month.

Heretofore many sheriffs have waited until they were ready to settle in full before paying any money into the State treasury.

## WEEVIL IN GRAIN.

### A Remedy for an Evil That Causes Much Loss to Farmers.

Editor Patriot:

We have received several letters asking about weevil in corn and wheat, and have come to the conclusion that it has caused a great loss to the farmers in the middle section of the State during the past winter. We wish to say that the remedy is simple, inexpensive, and easy to apply, and we wish every farmer to know it.

Remedy—Have the grain in a tight bin. Get some carbon bisulphide, which can be had of druggists at about 25 cents per pound. Throw this directly on the grain at the rate of one and one-half, or two table spoons full to each 100 pounds of grain to be treated. Now cover the bin with a piece of canvass or heavy sheet of oil-cloth, and leave for a day. The deadly fumes will sink through the grain and kill the insects. Do not allow fire or any kind of light to come near while the fumigation is going on and keep the bisulphide away from any kind of fire for it is like benzine in that it takes fire easily. The bisulphide is a very foul-smelling liquid and is fatal to insect life.

We make these suggestions for the benefit of farmers. Any one who has sustained loss from weevil or any other insects will do us a favor to inform us of same and send samples of the insect.

FRANKLIN SHERMAN, Jr.,  
Entomologist Dept. Agr., Raleigh, N.C.

## An All-Round Blessing.

I wonder how many comprehend the value of the newspapers. Not in its first estate merely, because of that there is no question. Of course, women fully value the newspaper in its first freshness, but how about it after they have gotten all they can from it in reading. Not all of them know its possibilities in its last estate. All old newspapers should be saved, folded neatly and given a place in the tool-chest, where they will be at hand when needed.

Moths do not like printer's ink, and there is no more secure way of disposing of the winter clothing than to pack it away in newspapers. The articles, whether woolen or fur, should be well beaten in the open air, to make sure that no eggs are deposited already, then folded carefully and pasted closely in newspapers, so that there shall be no crack in which the insidious little insect may creep. By packing carefully in this way you will not need camphor, moth-balls, pepper or tobacco or any of the moth preventives so frequently recommended. If there is any trouble when the articles are unpacked in the autumn it will be because the mischief was done before the article was packed. This is written out of twenty-five years of experience, during which time no garment thus packed has been touched by the moth or buffalobug.

—Sallie Joy White in the April Woman's Home Companion.

## The Boone's Fork Feud.

Mayking, Ky., April 14.—Later advice from the feud troubles at Fork are that Deputy Sheriff John H. Elkins, of Whitesburg, who was on Wright's side was shot twice, once in each shoulder. Creed Potter, with John Reynolds, was shot twice across the back, only slight flesh wounds. John Reynolds is believed to be shot fatally. Twenty more men from the Spotters and Bentleys joined the Reynolds faction to-day. A dozen armed men guard the house where John Reynolds is being nursed. The others occupy positions for picket duty. The Wrights received over a dozen armed recruits to-day.

W. S. Wright and his son, William, were buried in the same grave to-day. There were over two hundred of their friends at the burial. The feeling is such that trouble is momentarily expected.

## WHAT "LLOYD'S" MEANS.

Famous London Ship Register and Its Steel Tester.

People who are not interested in a business way in the subject of shipping seldom know what is meant by the description of a ship as of "2,000 tons register" or why "tons register" is not the same as "displacement" or why any "register" should enter into the subject at all or, if it does, what "register." On the other hand, a good many people know that the register of all shipping is Lloyd's Register, and it is vaguely understood that a merchant ship, no matter what flag it carries, is all the better for being rated "A1" at Lloyd's. There is a further question which most people are still more willing to leave in the vague, and that is, How does Lloyd come to know so much about two-thirds of all the merchant ships afloat that his guarantee of their seaworthiness is accepted everywhere without question? These questions are answered by the New York Tribune.

Lloyd's Register of Merchant Ships is an institution which grew up in the middle of the last century in a London coffee house where merchants congregated to hear and to give news of their several maritime ventures. In course of time it came to be accepted as safe to intrust one's cargo to any ship that was guaranteed on the register kept at Lloyd's. But the degree of certainty in the knowledge, and with it the value of Lloyd's certificate, has increased enormously since hulls began to be built of steel and the strength of materials to be accurately measured by means of scientifically made apparatus.

Lloyd's maintains not only expert agents in all the great shipbuilding centers, but equally expert agents at the great centers of steel manufacture. Besides its agents in New York and other great ports, who have various kinds of work to do, Lloyd's keeps a special expert agent at Pittsburg who has nothing to do but test the steel turned out there for use in the building of merchant ships. With the testing of armor plates or of any material intended for use in the construction of war vessels this particular expert has no concern.

The Lloyd's agent at Pittsburg has to be continually at the beck of a large number of mills, mostly at Homestead, a suburb of Pittsburg, on the opposite bank of the Monongahela river. When any mill has a sufficient number of tons of shipbuilding steel ready the agent is notified to come and make the tests, without which the steel will not be accepted by the shipbuilders. These tests are purely mechanical, not chemical. A piece is nipped off any beam, plate or what not at any point and of whatever size the examiner may choose to indicate and submitted to the double test for both tensile and bending strains. In common language, the steel is tested to see how much weight it will bear without pulling out like hot candy and again with a view to the pressure necessary to make it bulge like an over-packed handbox. These tests are applied by means of accurately graded machines which the uninitiated might easily mistake for weighing machines and which are supplied and kept in order by the mills, though always subject to the inspection and approval of the Lloyd's man. Every separate piece tested by these means and found satisfactory is marked by the examiner and the mark entered by him in the invoice which is to be forwarded to the Lloyd's agent at the port from which the material will be shipped. The Lloyd's agent at Pittsburg is the only one at present engaged in this particular work in the United States, though there are several such scattered about among the great steel manufacturing centers of Great Britain and continental Europe.

## For Freezing Meat.

A new process for the refrigeration of meat has recently been patented by a German firm which is vastly superior to the principle of freezing the meat as is at present generally adopted. A few days ago a vessel arrived in the Mersey from the river Platte with a consignment of meat which had been preserved by this new system. The treatment of preservation is accomplished by sterilized air. At the port of shipment some bullocks and sheep were placed in a special chamber, the air of which was subsequently freed from all impurities by means of a special process, and the temperature reduced to 20 degrees below freezing point. The chamber was then sealed, and when opened at Liverpool after a voyage of 34 days the carcasses were found to be in perfect condition. A piece of meat was cut from one animal and cooked and when tasted was found to be as fresh and as savory as if it had only been killed a few hours. There was a complete absence of the peculiar taste which is such a prominent characteristic of the prevalent process of freezing meat. It is generally regarded in England that this process will revolutionize the freezing and preserving trade.

## American Garnets.

It is reported by the bureau of American republics that an extensive deposit of rose garnet situated near Cuautlay, in Mexico, is to be worked on a large scale. It promises to bring in the market a price equal to that of the finest onyx, which it surpasses in beauty. This roselite, as it is otherwise called, is a white sandstone filled with beautiful little crystals of garnet, which are too soft to be useful as gems. The clusters of crystals, which are of columnar form, are arranged in a sort of Giant Causeway fashion, the starlike groups of them scattered all through the rock giving a very beautiful effect. It is said that the material takes a high polish, representing "living roses in stone." It will be used for making mantelpieces, table tops, wainscoting and various articles of ornament.

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## THE WEEK ABROAD.

### THE WAR IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Leading London newspapers express the opinion that there is little or no foundation for the report, cabled from Cape Town, that General Botha has resumed negotiations for peace, regardless of General De Wet's objections. The indications are that the war will be fought to a finish, but how long it will last British authorities do not agree. Some of the most optimistic look for the conclusion of the conflict within the next three months; others think it may drag on indefinitely.

Exclusive of the colonial troops and the local levies, Great Britain had in South Africa on January 1 last a force of 5,906 officers and 177,579 men. On April 1 the War office announced that since January 1, 1,058 officers and 20,306 men had been landed, while 720 officers and 21,850 men were then on the way to South Africa. The number of troops actually engaged in fighting the Boers is estimated at 60,000 the remainder being employed in holding the lines of communication and garrisoning important points. With a fighting force largely outnumbering the Boers, who probably have not more than 10,000 men in the field, the British have been utterly unable to catch the "erratic" De Wet in the Orange Free State or to round up to Botha's small army still operating in the Transvaal. The inability to strike a decisive blow or to meet the guerrilla tactics of the Boers with similar methods has cost Great Britain an enormous sum of money and the lives of thousands of men.

In the last few days the war has entered upon a new stage. The British have occupied Petersburg, in the Northern Transvaal, which for several months has been the capital of the Boer government. They have thus secured control of the last railroad line which remained in the possession of the Boers. The burghers will doubtless retire to the fastnesses of the Zoutpansberg, where they have accumulated ammunition and supplies of food, and where, from the nature of the country, they will have an advantage if the British take the offensive.

### RUSSIA AND MANCHURIA.

On the surface the Chinese situation seems to give promise of early settlement. Russia has disclaimed any intention of annexing Manchuria, but will occupy the province temporarily to protect her large interests. The phase of the situation which gives most anxiety is the possibility that the demands of the powers for indemnity may far exceed China's ability to pay. The United States government is exerting its influence to induce the powers to be moderate in their demands and has, it is understood, proposed that the entire indemnity shall not exceed \$200,000,000, to be divided among the powers in proportion to their outlay for military operations and the losses that their "nationals" sustained during the Boxer uprising.

The statement of St. Petersburg newspapers that "Russia possesses separate agreements with the governor of each of the three provinces in Northern China" has caused considerable comment by diplomats in Washington. Russia agreed to the proposition of the United States that no power should make any separate agreement with China, but that all should act in concert. For that reason she did not press her secret treaty with China upon the Chinese government after the latter had declined to sign it. As Russia has now, apparently, secret agreements with the governors of three provinces in China and insists upon treating Manchuria as entirely outside of the negotiations at Peking, diplomats in Washington suggest that the Russian government has not given up its intention of absorbing Manchuria. In view of recent statements by St. Petersburg newspapers the situation in respect to Manchuria is thought to be as puzzling as ever.

### WAR RUMORS FROM JAPAN.

Sensational reports have come from Japan of late, mainly through the London press, representing that the Japanese government has assumed a warlike attitude and sent what was practically an ultimatum to St. Petersburg in regard to Russia's alleged designs on Manchuria. Since Russia's explanation of her purposes, however, the Japanese minister at Washington has assured our State department that his government is satisfied with Russia's declaration. A leading Japanese newspaper, which is believed to reflect the views of the Mikado's government, asserts that Russia cannot be condemned for the adoption of measures to protect her rights in Manchuria.

The Japanese army is being re-organized and enlarged. At the end of this year four army corps will have been raised and equipped.

The total infantry will be 101,400. There will be 13 cavalry regiments, with a strength of 9,766. The artillery will consist of 13 regiments, divided into 177 batteries, exclusive of six regiments of siege and garrison artillery—a total artillery peace strength of 23,237. There will also be 13 brigades of engineers and one brigade of railway engineers. Colonel Krisak, of the Japanese army, has invented a new quick firing gun which will be used if the present tests prove its value. The Japanese government is manufacturing smokeless powder of an excellent quality.

### The New England Shut-Down.

LOWELL, Mass., April 13.—The 2,300 operatives of the Massachusetts Cotton Mills here were notified today not to return to work until April 22. The entire plant will be closed on account of the dull market. The Tremont and Suffolk Cotton Mills have laid off three-fourths of the operatives for an indefinite time. In all 6,000 operatives will be idle in this city next week.

### 17,000 OUT IN FALL RIVER.

FALL RIVER, Mass., April 13.—About 17,000 employees of the cotton mills in this city have been notified that there will be no work next week. The suspension will be the most general of any week since the decision to curtail production was made and about 25 corporations, owning some 40 mills, nearly the entire number in the syndicate agreement, will stop. This will decrease the production by 200,000 pieces, and means a loss in wages to the operatives of about \$100,000.

### Not Commanded to Love the Boxers.

Rev. E. J. Poe, pastor of the Pleasant Garden circuit, writes as follows in the Charlotte Observer: To my mind you have failed to give any satisfactory reason why the missionaries should not be indemnified for the loss of life and property by the Boxers, and there has no reason been given why they should not unite in demanding indemnity for their losses. It would require a fearful wrenching of any correct interpretation of Christ's Sermon on the Mount to make it mean that these Christian missionaries should sit down and fold hands when their fellows have been foully murdered and their property swept away. The "love your enemies" and "turn the other cheek" teaching does not apply to such efforts to have law and order maintained. You cannot "render unto God the things that are God's" until you have squared accounts with Caesar.

### Mr. Cleveland on the Venezuela Affair.

Only a brief summary of Mr. Cleveland's two recent lectures on the Venezuela affair was given to the public,—the lectures having been especially copyrighted for appearance in the June and July numbers of The Century Magazine. Few except special students are aware of the long history of the connection of the United States with the subject. Among the interesting points brought out in the lectures, and not reported, may be mentioned Mr. Cleveland's scathing remarks on the relation of the senate to treaties formulated by the executive branch of the government. The lectures constitute Mr. Cleveland's most important contribution to history.

### Tying to Get Jasper's Flag.

COLUMBIA, S. C., April 13.—An effort is now being made, with the co-operation of the South Carolina congressmen, President McKinley and the British ambassador at Washington, to obtain the loan or gift of the "Sergeant Jasper Flag," now said to be in the Tower of London. If successful it will be an interesting exhibit at the Charleston Exposition.

Every visitor to Charleston is familiar with the statue of Jasper on the "Battery," commemorating his valor at Fort Moultrie. One arm is extended toward the old fort, and the inscription is: "Let us not fight without a flag."

### Wonderful Magazine Growth.

The increased circulation of The Delineator in the last three months has been phenomenal. It has risen from 500,000 to 650,000. The reason is easy to find, for each number of The Delineator contains a careful survey of all the subjects that are most interesting to women who keep house, or who want to know the latest fashions and how to make dresses for themselves in similar style. From the leading ladies in the land at Washington down to the humblest homes, The Delineator is a welcome magazine.

By the middle of next month 33 brood sows from all the leading breeding establishments in England will be received at the Biltmore farms. These animals will be the finest England affords.

## GENERAL NEWS.

Kafir leaders are preaching the doctrine of "Africa for Africans." Hard times in Germany have caused thousands of workmen to be idle.

Great Britain is trying to cause the Chinese indemnity to take the form of trade privileges.

By a vote of 170 to 50 the people of Rock Hill, S. C., have abolished the dispensary in that town.

Hereafter British soldiers who show the white flag in South Africa will be court-martialed.

Upon his own request Rear Admiral Schley has been relieved of duty on the South Atlantic station.

There is a movement in Indianapolis to erect a monument to the memory of the late ex President Harrison.

The Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, N. Y., is likely to be closed on Sundays through financial considerations.

General Sandico, who recently surrendered, had been appointed leader of the Filipinos to succeed Aguinaldo.

It is thought that when Lord Pauncefote sails from England in June he will take with him the draft of a new canal treaty.

Beginning June 1 it is reported the British government may exclude all beef except the homebred from British army contracts.

It is said that the President has decided to treat Aguinaldo as an ordinary prisoner. But Aguinaldo is a most extraordinary prisoner.

A strong fight will be made by influential colored men before the Virginia constitutional convention against the disfranchisement of their race.

For the benefit of their children's health, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland have decided to spend the coming summer in the Berkshires, instead of at the seashore.

Apostle George Cannon, one of the leading men of the Mormon church, died in Monterey, Cal., last Friday, aged 75 years. His home was in Salt Lake City.

The Omaha, Neb., Presbytery of the United Presbyterian church has agreed to recommend that the clause preventing marriage with a sister-in-law be dropped from the rules of the church.

The official report of emigration for Ireland shows that 47,107 persons left that country in 1900. This is 10.5 per 1,000 of the estimated population. The emigrants were equally divided between the sexes.

A bill requiring a physical and mental examination of all applicants for marriage has passed both houses of the Minnesota legislature and will probably become a law. The law is aimed to prevent the marriage of persons afflicted with incurable diseases, or of imbeciles.

General Thomas H. Taylor, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died in Louisville, Ky., last Friday, from pneumonia, aged 75. During the Mexican war he was elevated for distinguished services through the various grades from private to major and in the Confederate army from captain to brigadier-general.

### Whisky Consumption.

It is a regrettable fact that in spite of the frequent assertion that the drinking habit is steadily decreasing in this country indisputable evidence proves the contrary. The recent rise in the price of whisky is said by those who are in the best position to know to be due to the increased demand and not to an arbitrary advance.

President Bradley, of the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse Company, who speaks on this subject from the business standpoint only, recently made the following statement:

"Whisky consumption is steadily on the increase, and the present shortage in certain ages buoys the market."

President Bradley declares that there is an actual shortage in the supply of whisky and predicts a still further advance of the prices. —Atlanta Journal.

### The Boer Loses His Case.

NEW ORLEANS, April 13.—Judge Parlange, in the United States court today, handed down a decision dismissing the suit for injunction, brought by Boer representatives here with a view to preventing the shipment of mules and horses out of New Orleans to the British army in South Africa. Judge Parlange holds that the transactions between citizens of the United States and the British government were conducted under the order of private citizenship and that the courts had absolutely no jurisdiction to interfere. The horses and mules, the court said, were bought in a neutral territory.

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Grand Secretary Woodell has completed his annual report of the Odd Fellows in North Carolina. It shows 125 lodges, an increase of 13 over last report; 7,113 members, increase 1,592; number of members relieved, 984; expended in relief, \$12,954; receipts of subordinate lodges, \$14,476 increase, \$8,326; net assets of subordinate lodges, \$103,726. All shows the greatest increase on record.

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Pint Cups, 2 cents each.	Pie Plates, 2 cents each.
Quart Cups, 3 cents each.	Dish Pans, 12 cents each.
Coffee Pots, 9 cents each and up.	Wash Basins, 3 cents each.
Dippers, 3 cents each.	Milk Pails, 4 cents and up.
Milk Pans, 3 cents each and up.	Cake Pans, 3 cents each.

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## NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

### Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

#### Pleasant Garden Items.

Mr. W. F. Moragne, who has been seriously sick, is somewhat better. Miss Fannie Perdue spent Easter Sunday and a few days following visiting relatives in Greensboro.

Mrs. J. C. Neelley was called to the bedside of her mother on the 10th inst., her mother being dangerously ill.

Our usually quiet neighborhood has been somewhat stirred with excitement by the recent marriage of two of the most popular young people in the southern part of the county. The contracting parties were Mr. William Adger Kirkman and Miss Maude Hodgkin. This happy event occurred at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Hodgkin, Wednesday evening, April 10th, in the presence of a large crowd of invited guests. Rev. E. J. Poe, the officiating minister, stood on the side of the parlor opposite the door of entrance, while Mrs. Hattie Neelley, presiding at the organ, caused it to sound forth those familiar, yet sublime strains of the wedding march. The attendants entered in the following order: Mr. J. Frank Ross and Miss Bessie Hodgkin, Mr. Daniel Hodgkin and Miss Lelia Kirkman, Mr. L. B. Osborne and Miss Julia Hartsell. Soon after the magic and solemn words were pronounced which made them one, or, say about 8:30 p. m., the first "table" repaired to the dining room, where a most elegant and sumptuous repast was served, and when your deponent left it was nearing the "wee small hours," and yet it was the order given that "as these retired others went" and took their places in the dining room. Good music and innocent mirth enlivened and cheered the guests. The day following the reception given at Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Kirkman's was but a repetition of the good time of the evening before. The common question now asked those who attended the festivities is "are you fondered?" The bride is a granddaughter of Col. D. G. Neelley, and both are of the best families of this section.

#### Whitsett Items.

Rev. J. D. Andrew preaches here at 3 p. m. next Sabbath.

Mr. J. A. Ogden, of Lynchburg, Va., was here Thursday.

Miss Effie Wharton visited Miss Willie Smith in Durham recently.

The students who went home for the Easter holidays have all returned.

Rain last Saturday prevented a large crowd from here from attending the close of Highland school.

Rev. J. T. Stanford, of the Methodist church, will preach in the Institute chapel Sunday night, April 25th. The public invited.

The commencement sermon this year will be preached by Rev. C. E. Hodgkin, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, Greensboro, Sunday, May 19th.

Mr. Willie C. Rankin, a student at the University, visited his parents near here recently. We are glad to note he is taking such a high stand in his classes.

Mr. D. P. Clapp, who has just closed a successful school at Westminster, has entered school here. Three or four other students have also entered in the past few days.

The senior class gave their annual class exercise last Saturday evening. The class numbers seventeen this year, representing nine counties and two states. The exercise was greatly enjoyed by a good audience.

Two games of ball will be played here this week: Oak Ridge Monday, the 15th, and Bingham School Thursday, the 18th. Each at 2 p. m. The Easter trip of the Whitsett team was a very successful one. Whitsett won from Bingham School 9 to 7, and at Trinity Park, Durham, the score was 13 to 12 against Whitsett, but the catcher of the Trinity Park team was not a student in the school. The Whitsett team did not learn this until later. As all players must be students, the Whitsett team claims this game.

#### Lego Items.

So far the prospects for fruit are fine.

Mr. J. R. White and mother were in Greensboro Sunday.

Mr. D. A. White had the misfortune to lose a good horse by death Monday.

We have been having some hard washing rains. The water courses are higher than they have been in several years.

J. F. White, administrator of B. F. White, deceased, has advertised some of the personal property of the estate for sale at the residence on May 2nd.

#### Benaja Items.

Mr. James Jones spent Easter with home folks.

There were quite a number of picnics Easter Monday.

Mr. Willie Rudd, who is in school at Elon, spent Easter with his parents.

Mrs. Ida Ashworth, of Burlington, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Small.

Misses Josie and Nora Milloway, of Monroeton, visited Benaja recently.

Mr. Jim Lemons, of Greensboro, and Miss Nora Bevil visited Mrs. Wren Easter.

Mr. Jim Weatherly and family, of near Pleasant Garden, are visiting relatives here.

Mr. Schofield, of Morehead, has been manipulating the telegraph keys in the office of our place.

Mrs. Arthur Bevil has gone to Omega, Va., to see her sister, Mrs. Cumbe, who is dangerously ill.

The charming and entertaining Miss Lula Smith, of near Brown Summit, gave an Easter dinner to quite a number of her friends, which was highly enjoyed. The table was a picture of artistic beauty, being decorated with lovely hyacinths and ferns, and loaded with many good things to which the guests did ample justice. Among the guests were Misses Carrie and Nannie Greene and Ogburn Smith, from this place.

#### Sumner Items.

Mrs. R. E. Hodgkin visited Mrs. N. F. Anthony Sunday.

Mr. V. E. Kirkman has secured a position at the Revolution cotton mills.

Miss Daisy Brown, of Virginia, is visiting at the home of Mr. James Gilbreath.

Mr. V. M. Kirkman, of your city, recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kirkman.

Mr. W. B. Layton's family, also Mrs. J. A. Davis and little daughter, Rody, are having measles.

Mr. Dock Stevenson was seriously hurt while in your city last Thursday by being hit on the head accidentally by one of the hands working on the street.

Mrs. Mary M. Harris, wife of Mr. T. B. Harris, of Lexington, formerly of this neighborhood, and sister of Mrs. H. L. Gray, Mrs. D. C. Roach and Mr. C. H. Northam, died at her home last week.

The Miller Bros., who have been operating a saw mill on Mr. S. H. Coltrane's place, cut 87,800 feet of fine oak and poplar lumber for Mr. Coltrane in 12½ days and then took up their mill and engine and moved to Mrs. Martha Hodgkin's place in less than a day, beginning to saw again at 5:30 p. m. of the same day. Quick work!

#### Sedalia Items.

Corn planting is in order now.

Miss Rosa Smith attended the debate at Elon College.

We are glad to note that Mr. Jacob Boon is out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dick visited Capt. R. C. Dick's Monday.

Miss Minnie Dick, of Greensboro, visited Miss Cora Dick a few days.

Our postmaster reports a wonderful increase of mail. The prospects are good for a daily service.

Mr. Ed. Boon and Miss Cora Dick attended the marriage of his sister, which took place in Greensboro.

Among the number that attended preaching at Whitsett Sunday from this neighborhood were Mr. and Mrs. Andrew and Mr. Chas. W. Smith and sister.

Mr. Claud Smith has been suffering with a very large boil over his eye, not being able to go to Durham with the Whitsett ball team. He is playing right field.

#### Kimesville Items.

Mr. Rob Fowler, of Oakdale, was a welcome caller Sunday.

Mr. L. B. Holt has improved his dwelling by adding another room.

Misses Dovie Curtis and Pet Wheeler spent Easter Monday in Burlington.

Mr. Charlie Soots has moved into the house recently vacated by Mr. Collie Fogleman.

Miss Lula Amick, who has been in school at Chapel Hill for some time, is expected home in May.

The Shoffner baseball team came over Easter Monday and defeated the Kimesville team by 25 runs.

Mr. Roy Fogleman, who has been in Burlington for some time, is at home, where he will spend the summer.

Among our recent visitors we recall Mr. and Mrs. George Clapp and John Layton, of Burlington; Mr. Bode Stroud, of Oakdale; Messrs. Tom, Joe and Miss Sallie May, of Lamont.

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#### South Buffalo Items.

Mr. John Lineberry has been quite sick.

The farmers of this section have begun to plant corn.

Mr. Claude Pritchett, of Mill Point, has been quite sick with measles.

Mr. O. A. Anderson's children have been quite sick with whooping cough.

Mr. George Malcomb, of your city, visited relatives in this locality recently.

Tobacco plants in this section are very backward on account of such cool weather.

The late spring rains have improved spring oats greatly. They are looking fine at present.

Greensboro seems to be on a boom in the way of street improvements, as there are a great many of the best streets closed for that purpose.

#### Gray's Chapel Items.

Mrs. Will Blair, of your city, is visiting her parents here.

We had a heavy rain again Saturday which will retard corn planting a few days.

W. B. Webster, who has been critically ill with the grippe, is improving slowly.

Messrs. C. C. Kime and J. J. Pugh have purchased a new saw mill outfit and will operate it on the lands of C. C. Curtis, at Climax.

Mrs. Martha Routh, of Troy, died of paralysis Saturday, April 6th. Her remains were brought here for interment. Mr. Routh is engaged in the timber business and the family were residing there temporarily. Mrs. Routh leaves a husband, one son and three daughters.

#### Hillsdale Items.

The farmers are busy planting corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Atkins are the proud parents of a son.

Mr. Henry Brown and wife visited at Mr. Billy Pearson's Sunday.

Messrs. Louis Miles and Jack Hopkins went to Greensboro Monday.

Misses Mary Apple, Callie and Pearl Jeffreys, of Greensboro, were visitors in our vicinity Easter Monday.

We are sorry to say that Mr. Charlie Archer came home from your city quite sick Tuesday, and at the time of this writing is not much better.

#### Unusual Epitaph.

A gentleman who has just returned from South Carolina says that while in the town of Cheraw he took a walk through the cemetery and saw inscribed upon one tombstone the following strange epitaph:

"My name, my country—what is that to thee?  
What, whether high or low my pedigree?  
Perhaps I far surpassed all other men;  
Perhaps I fell below them all—what then?  
Suffice it, stranger, that thou seest a tomb,  
Thou knowest its use; it hides—who matter whom."

There was no other lettering on the tomb and nothing to indicate who was buried there. This, of course, naturally excited the gentleman's curiosity and upon inquiry he learned that the tomb was erected over the remains of a man who while living in that town never told his name to any one, though he resided there several years before and after the Civil War.

#### Fruit is all Right.

So far not a particle of the fruit in this section is hurt. It is probably all out and in shape to be killed, but there have been no freezes or frosts. It may be of interest to state that only once in the last fourteen years has fruit been killed in this section after the middle of April. Once, twenty years ago, it was killed on the night of the 23rd of April; when a heavy freeze came and simply demolished it. Very old people remember when it was once killed as late as the 10th of May, but that has been a long time ago.

**WANTED**—For U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35; citizens of the United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Recruits specially desired for service in Philippines. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, First National Bank Building, Charlotte, N. C., or Southern Loan and Trust Building, Greensboro, N. C.

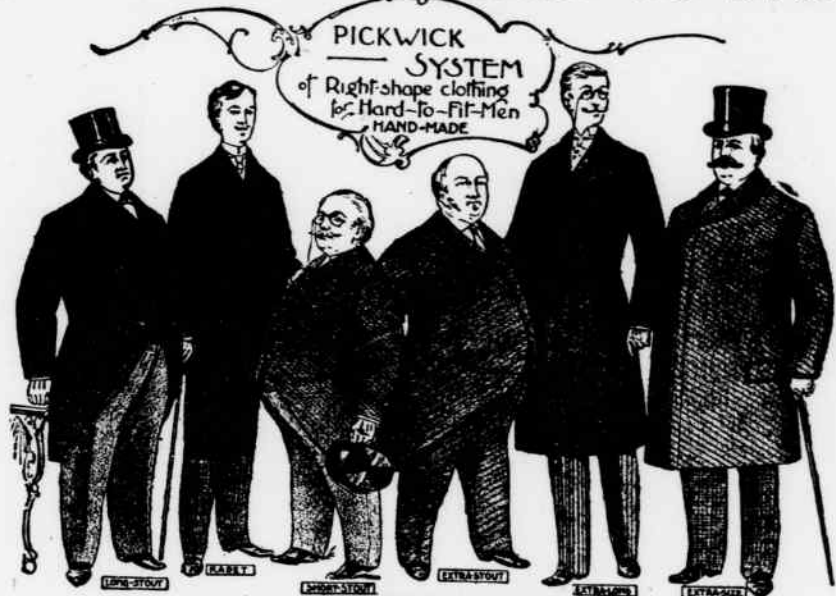
Up to this date 50 sheriffs only have made full settlements of state taxes. The state treasurer says funds are low in the treasury, while the calls for the large appropriations made by the last legislature are pressing.

The Southern Railway has placed an order with the Southern Car Works of Memphis, Tenn., for 1,250 new refrigerator cars. Last week the same company ordered a thousand coal cars.

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The state auditor has prepared a letter which will be sent this week to the various county boards of pensions, directing them to investigate thoroughly all pension claims, in order to ascertain which are fraudulent. The auditor says he is sure many are fraudulent. An ex-auditor says he really believes 20 per cent. are undeserving. The auditor says he thinks this figure too high.

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## LET US HAVE PEACE.

### Cases Against the Registrars of August Election Settled.

In asking that the cases against the Democratic registrars be not pressed, in the Federal court last week, District Attorney Holton said: "In view of the situation in this State and the general desire for peace and quiet, and in consideration of what we conceive to be for the best interest of the State, we respectfully recommend to the court that, in these cases, a nolle prosequi be entered upon the terms and conditions following: that is to say: First. That the United States Attorney reserve the right to reinstate these cases and prosecute them when, in his opinion, the public good requires."

"Second. We are prompted to pursue this course in consideration of the recommendations made to us by leading conservative men of the State, to all political parties, as that course would in their opinion, best subserve to the public welfare, regardless of the guilt or innocence of the parties."

"Third. That this course is recommended without passing upon the question of the guilt of the parties, inasmuch as, according to the testimony in the possession of the government, the defendant, in our opinion, might properly be convicted; but with the sole desire to further what is conceived to be promotive of peace and quietude in the State, and with the firm belief on our part that it is the desire of the law-abiding citizens of the State to secure and enforce the constitutional right of every citizen and fully protect him in the exercise of his elective franchise and privileges."

"If these commendable purposes can be accomplished or subserved we consider it for the best interest of the State in the present state of affairs, to discontinue the further prosecution of these cases, with the understanding that conditions hereafter are to be such that there will be no necessity for the prosecution of such cases."

In ordering the cases nolle prosequi, Judge Boyd said:

"The court approves the course taken by the District Attorney, because I believe that it will be better to subserve the future peace and good order of the State than would a further prosecution of the indictments. I am not oblivious to the conditions which surround me, and I am satisfied that those who represent the best classes of citizens desire to uphold the good name of the State, and preserve that harmony and good will among our people which ought to prevail for the best interests of all."

"I have confidence in the integrity of those who have suggested the action taken to-day in these cases, and I commend the District Attorney that he has responded to a request which seems to come to him as a command from the representatives of the best social and business elements of the State. The cessation of the turmoil which has afflicted us, the restoration of peaceful and cordial relations among our people are considerations far above those which may enter into any individual prosecutions."

"Believing that the discontinuance of these cases is a long step toward the realization of conditions so material to the future welfare of the community, I desire to express my hearty approval of the action which has been taken and I am sure that all good citizens will join me in the hope that what has been done here to-day will have the effect to cement together our people in closer bonds of friendship and insure to the inestimable blessings of peace and good order among us."

### Big Fire in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., April 10.—Special.—The three-story brick department store of Julius Meyers & Sons, Broad and Foushee streets, was totally destroyed by fire this forenoon.

The big establishment, which ran a block on both streets, and employed two hundred and fifty-eight persons carried an enormous stock in the fifty-two departments and was doing a great business. The Cohen Company's large establishment nearby and all adjoining property was saved. The total loss on building and stock is three hundred thousand dollars. All employees escaped. The fire originated in the matting department on the third floor.

### Down on Christian Science.

New York, Thursday, 11.—Dr. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, said at the Methodist Conference in Brooklyn to-day: "Christian science is the most subtle form of heresy the church has had to encounter since the third century. The Atheism of Ingersoll is not to be more deprecated than this heresy."

### No Dispensary at Honolulu.

Honolulu, Thursday, 11.—There is a clash between Governor Dole and the House of Representatives. The House has returned to the Governor a communication because no title was affixed to it. The liquor dispensary bill, unfavorably reported to the Senate, is believed to be dead.

"After all the gas bill is only a light affliction," remarks the Kansas City Star.

### Easter Picnic Crowd Makes Trouble.

On Easter Monday several hacks, wagons and buggies loaded with young people from the city of Greensboro, landed on the banks of Gilmer and Phipps' pond, formerly Bunker's. All seemed to enjoy themselves, and almost all of them behaved themselves, but some fiendish persons, finding a trespass notice on the door of the school house near by, shot six holes through the door, thereby defacing the property, both inside and out. Not satisfied with this they shot two balls into the Globe Plow Factory building, where workmen were at work. A workman from an upper window of the factory saw as many as five boys near the dam pull from their pockets pistols and fire at random. This workman says while he does not know the boys he can point them out if necessary. J. H. Gilmer being at home and learning of the abuse to the school house, went over and demanded the names of the parties who did the devilment, which seemed to be a puzzle to all he met, but by diligent inquiry he secured names of several persons and he proposes to hand them to the school committee who may possibly prosecute the parties for abuse to public property.

Messrs. Gilmer and Phipps, who own the property, say they have never objected to picnics, fishing parties and other amusements on their grounds, in fact are glad to see young people enjoy themselves on the banks of their pond, but such depredations as these are simply too much. Other damage was done this same school house last summer and other depredations happened to Mr. Phipps by some one shooting his milk cow, and other mischief that might be mentioned. They will be compelled it seems to forbid the use of the grounds and pond for fishing and other amusements. It some times happens that a hack or more of young people go to that pond who should have an older person with them who would keep them in bounds and see that all behave as they should.—Daily Record, 9th.

### Not the Usual Breed.

"What was the value of the cow?" asked the railroad company's claim agent.

"I was offered \$15 for her once," replied the farmer.

"What?" exclaimed the other, the pen dropping from his nerveless fingers. "She wasn't an imported animal?"

"No."

"Not even after she was killed?"

"No. She was just a common scrub."

"And all you want for her is \$15?"

"Who said I wanted \$15?"

"You haven't come to put in a claim for damages?"

"Great Scott! No. I wasn't damaged any. She had the rinderpest, or the glanders, or something of that kind. I intended to kill her anyhow."

"Then what are you here for?"

"I want to find out whether it damaged your cowcatcher or not when it struck her. If it did, I'm willing to pay for it."

"Are you crazy?" asked the claim agent, glancing uneasily about for a weapon of some kind.

"Did it damage your cowcatcher any?"

"No, of course not."

"Grease up the tracks any, so as to delay your trains?"

"Certainly not."

"No money loss of any kind?"

"Not a cent. But what in the name of—"

"Then it's all right. No, sir, I ain't crazy. I'm only contrary. Everybody will tell you I'm the blameliest, contrariest old skeezick in the township, and I reckon I am. I don't care a darn, either. Any of the rest of 'em would have held you up for \$65. I'd see you in Hannibal Missouri, before I'd touch a cent of your dirty old money. I've offered to do the square thing, and you've turned up your nose at it, and now if you ever change your mind and want to come on me for damages to your durned old railroad, I'll law you to kingdom come!"

Then he clapped his old slouch hat on his shaggy head and went out, leaving the company's agent in a state of utter collapse.—Chicago Tribune.

### The Happy Medium.

A clergyman relates that a worthy Irishman with an impediment in his speech brought a child to be baptized. While making a record of it he was in some doubt as to the correct spelling of the family name given to him and asked the man how he wrote it.

"Indeed and I don't write at all," was the reply.

"I just want to know," said Father Boyle, "whether the name is 'McGrath' or 'Magrath'—whether the second part of it is spelled with a big 'G' or a little 'g'."

After scratching his head hopelessly the puzzled parent saw his way out of the difficulty. "Well, father, just spell it wid a middlin sized 'g'."

—Exchange.

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### "GOEBEL WILL NOT LIVE."

#### Taylor's Chief Counsel a Witness in the Ripley Trial.

Frankfort, Ky., April 10.—A jury was secured to-day to hear the case of Garnett Ripley, accused of complicity in the shooting of Governor Goebel. The defendant entered a plea of not guilty. In presenting the case for the prosecution Judge Williams declared there was a conspiracy to kill Goebel, that Ripley was connected with it throughout, that he left Frankfort the evening before the assassination with information that it was to take place the next day, and that he contributed to it by going home and equipping his company to bring it to Frankfort when Goebel had been killed.

Ex-Governor Bradley, chief counsel for ex-Governor Taylor, in the gubernatorial contest case before the Legislature last year, gave sensational testimony. Mr. Bradley detailed a conversation which he said he had with Captain Ripley, while the latter was in charge of his military company during the occupancy of the State Capitol by the Taylor troops last spring, in which Ripley told him of frequent conferences with Governor Taylor prior to the assassination. The witness said Ripley told him he was in the executive office the day before the shooting and complained to Taylor because he had not called out his (Ripley's) company, and asked him when he should have the company ready.

Taylor replied: "My God, haven't you brought them yet? Goebel will not live 24 hours, or cannot live twenty-four hours." I have forgotten which he said, declared the witness.

Judge W. H. Yost, associat counsel with Bradley in the contest case, according to the witness, was present and heard the conversation. In response to a question as to whether he, the witness, heard of any conspiracy to kill Mr. Goebel, the witness stated that on January 25th, the day the train load of mountaineers arrived, some one, he could not now recall who, told him that parties in the crowd were waiting in front of the State House to kill Goebel. "I said," continued the witness, "it shall be stopped. I will go in the Senate chamber and come out with Goebel and see that he is not hurt or insulted. I looked up and saw Wharton and told him to get Finley, Culton and others and send them to me."

"He said: 'Goebel is not going to be hurt.' Colten and Finley told me it was a fake and that there was nothing in it. They condemned violence as I did."

### What She Wanted.

They had just been married. That was plainly evident to every passenger who watched his tender, protecting air as they stood on the corner waiting for the car to stop. She was a pretty creature, with no end of fluttering blue ribbons decorating her frock, and though the car was crowded, the passengers made room. But only two seats were vacant, and these were far apart. He placed her in the most desirable one and then, with evident sadness, seated himself at the far end of the opposite side of the car. But she would not have it so. She returned his look of wistfulness and protested in a tone of plaintive sweetness distinctly audible to every passenger. "But I want to sit next to you, dear," the emphasis on the last word being especially marked.

In an instant half a dozen men were on their feet, which gave the happy groom a chance to place her next to himself in a corner seat. Then she nestled close to him, utterly unconscious of anything unusual in her expression of preference, and as his arm rested behind her shoulders she knew that he was being envied by every man on board.—Philadelphia Record.

### Crusade Against Kissing.

Dr. J. H. Taylor, of Philadelphia, Pa., has recently started a crusade against kissing, the habit of which he declares to be one of the chief factors of the present day in the spread of contagious diseases.

Of course this contention is in no wise new or startling, but it will be given increased emphasis by reason of the circumstances under which it is reaffirmed at this time. Dr. Taylor is one of the members of the Philadelphia board of health and is well known in professional circles throughout the north and east. Speaking with special reference to consumption, Dr. Taylor says that tuberculosis germs are frequently communicated from one person to another in kissing, and he advises people who wish to enjoy good health to proceed cautiously in using this sign of endearment.

Dr. Taylor disclaims any desire whatever to subtract from the sum of human happiness by making war on love's favorite token, but he contends that the welfare of the race will be best subserved by exercising the habit with extreme caution and reserve.

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In this country it is as much as a man's life is worth to marry a second time, if he has daughters; but sons, particularly married sons, usually realize that if there is any punishment coming to the old man because of the folly of a second marriage, the second wife will provide it.

### Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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### Notice to Delinquent Taxpayers.

I will offer at public auction at the court house door in the city of Greensboro on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1901,

the following described real estate, situated in the county of Guilford, to satisfy state, school, county and road taxes for the years 1899 and 1900, listed to the following persons:

T. C. McQuiston, 72 acres land in Summerfield township, adjoining the lands of A. C. Clark and others. Tax for 1899, \$4.74; 1900, \$5.26.  
George D. Williams, 1 1/2 acres land in Summerfield. Tax for 1899, 79 cents; 1900, 79 cents.  
Mrs. Rena Carr, one lot lying in High Point. Tax for 1899, 90 cents.  
Harriet Robins, lot situated in High Point. Tax for 1899, 90 cents; 1900, 90 cents.  
D. B. Bodenhamer, lot in High Point. Tax for 1899, \$12.75; 1900, \$12.37.  
H. A. Pierce, Tax for 1899, 48 cents; 1900, 48 cents.  
Jerry Capps, lot, Maple street. Tax for 1899, \$7.25.  
Frank Logan, lot, Chestnut street. Tax for 1899, \$1.97; 1900, (unlisted) \$4.15.  
Wayne Melver, lot in Jonesboro. Tax for 1899, \$2.56; 1900, \$2.77.  
W. L. Murphy, lot, Long Branch. Tax for 1899, \$4.03; 1900, (unlisted) \$3.05.  
Thomas Rankin, lot, Maple street. Tax for 1899, \$1.58; 1900, \$1.58.  
Frank Wharton, lot, home. Tax for 1899, \$3.16; 1900, \$2.37.  
Julia Wharton, 2 acres, South Buffalo. Tax for 1899, 79 cents; 1900, \$1.58.  
Mary K. Howles, property west of city. Tax for 1899, 59 cents.  
Wm. Chavas, property north of city. Tax for 1899, 31 cents; 1900, 71 cents.  
Alice Cummings, property known as Crump land. Tax for 1899, 39 cents; 1900, 79 cents.  
J. W. Clifton, known as home. Tax for 1899, \$1.78.  
M. L. Coble, property known as Highland. Tax for 1899, \$2.77; 1900, \$1.06.  
H. G. Cummings, property. Tax for 1899, \$3.49; 1900, 39 cents.  
R. H. Dickerson, property north of city. Tax for 1899, \$1.53.  
Wm. Donnell, property on Cole street. Tax for 1899, \$3.95; 1900, \$3.36.  
Marie E. Day, property in Warnersville. Tax for 1899, \$3.02; 1900, \$6.09.  
J. A. Davidson, property on Edgeworth street. Tax for 1899, \$1.19; 1900, \$1.19.  
S. E. Evans, property. Tax for 1899, \$1.18; 1900, \$1.18.  
Ruth Gilchrist, property. Tax for 1899, 79 cents; 1900, 79 cents.  
D. J. Gilmer, property in Warnersville. Tax for 1899, \$4.09; 1900, \$2.37.  
W. L. H. Graham, property. Tax for 1899, \$1.58; 1900, \$1.58.  
Sallie Harden, property. Tax for 1899, 79 cents; 1900, (unlisted) \$1.58.  
Anderson Harold, McAdoo property. Tax for 1899, 90 cents; 1900, (unlisted) \$1.37.  
J. W. Hastin, Highland property. Tax for 1899, 79 cents.  
E. W. Harston, property in Warnersville. Tax for 1899, \$5.53; 1900, \$11.06.  
Mrs. Mary J. Idings, Vanoklin property. Tax for 1899, \$1.19.  
W. C. Kirkman, Dillon land. Tax for 1899, \$3.27.  
F. Keith, Carr street. Tax for 1899, \$6.32; 1900, \$1.32.  
V. C. Lewis, South Elm. Tax for 1899, \$7.11; 1900, \$7.11.  
Andy McConnell, West Washington street. Tax for 1899, \$3.56; 1900, \$3.56.  
G. Osborne, McAdoo Highland. Tax for 1899, \$2.16; 1900, (unlisted) \$6.32.  
W. R. Pool, West Lee street. Tax for 1899, \$5.45; 1900, (unlisted) \$10.88.  
Phoebe G. Ross land. Balance due, 1899, \$1.28; 1900, \$2.39.  
R. P. Richardson, property north of town. Tax for 1899, \$5.53; 1900, \$11.06.  
L. S. Smith, Edwards land. Tax for 1899, \$1.19.  
Morgan Weir, Jacksonville. Tax for 1899, \$4.06; 1900, \$4.40.  
Charles Ward, lot. Tax for 1899, \$2.77.  
H. C. Whittington, Whittington street. Tax for 1899, \$3.56; 1900, \$3.56.  
Dolph Wilson, Ashe street. Tax for 1899, \$3.95; 1900, balance due, \$2.35.  
This 3rd day of April, 1901.  
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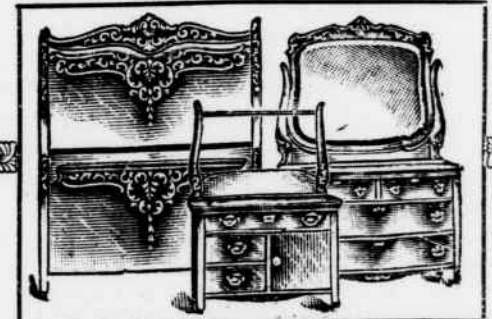
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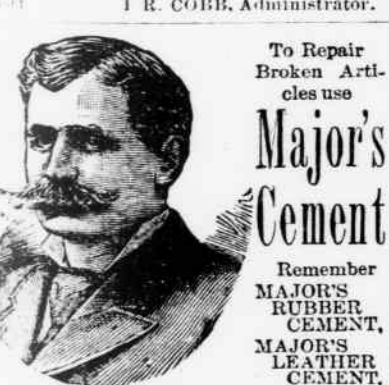
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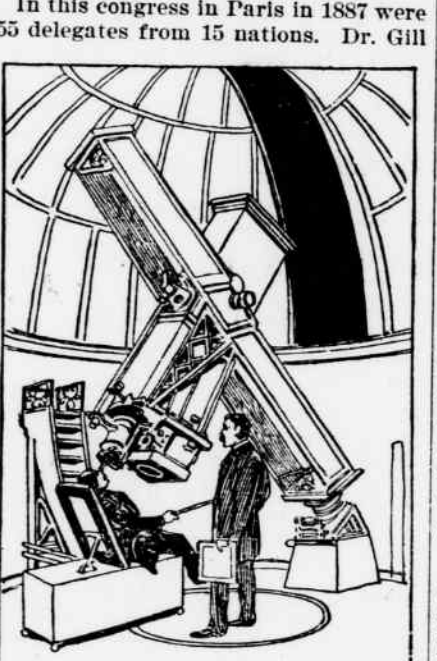
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had proposed its assemblage and purpose, and the body deliberated for nine days, finally adopting the plans for the great star map, extending from Schöndel's zone to the south pole.

Each of the photographs taken in this stupendous work has been duplicated in order that dust spots and imperfections in photographic apparatus should not be misleading. These 44,000 photographs are each studied separately and compared, and the results are to be placed on a globe having a diameter of 24 feet.

In making these photographs stars visible to the naked eye were taken on the sensitized plates in half a second. Stars of the fourteenth magnitude required 13 minutes to affect the plates. By exposing a plate for an hour all stars to the fourteenth magnitude were reproduced, each in proportion to its power and light. From these plates the greatest degree of accuracy in measuring stars was obtainable. A diameter of one five-hundred-thousandth of an inch on a plate furnishes data for star measurements. And, as for the accuracy of these plates, compared with the telescope, a field which shows 50,000,000 to the object glass of a telescope will reveal 160,000,000 to the camera plate.

In studying these plates measurements of the stars will be made by instruments of greatest delicacy. Previous to exposure the plates were marked into squares by fine parallel lines, others crossing them at right angles.

Special cameras were used in the work, patterned after a first instrument made by the Henrys at Paris. A guiding telescope enables the photographer to keep his lens moving with the earth, a motion determined by fixing two intersecting hair lines in the telescope upon one central star and keeping them on the point of light. Sixteen of these instruments were made in Paris by the Henry brothers. Sir Howell Grubb designed and built 16 more to move by clockwork, and in these the operator simply inserted the plate, leaving it to automatic adjustment.

But, after all, this map of the heavens will be faulty. It will show stars that may have winked out 10,000 years ago, and it will not show constellations that may have come into being before the time of the deluge.

Light travels 187,000 miles a second, and yet at this inconceivable rate stars that are within reach of the telescope have been 5,700 years in sending a ray to the earth. Thus stars that may have winked out before the birth of Christ will be on these charts, and unknown ones now in existence will have no showing. But in the future, when other maps of the heavens shall be made and compared with this one now nearing completion, the value of the work in determining the geography and mineralogy of the stellar world is expected to be appreciated. The only thing by which the present work may be gauged is the visual map begun by Boun 25 years ago and completed by Argelander. This map tabulates only 485,000 stars.

## A New Barometer.

At the recent meeting of the British association, A. S. Davis of Leeds showed a most interesting barometer. A glass tube ten inches long and an inch in diameter ends in a bulb below and reaches above into a mercury basin. The mercury flows down the tube, compressing the air. When not in use, the barometer, with its stand, is kept upside down. It is inverted for use and a reading quickly taken when the column has come to a standstill. When the ordinary barometer rises, this one falls. The tube is water jacketed, and a calcium chloride tube is inserted to dry the small quantity of air sucked in. The readings are said to be very accurate, though the range of each instrument is small.—Scientific American.

## Whittling a Stimulus to Thought.

"I have known men who were slaves to coffee, to cigars, to whiskey, to half a dozen other things," a traveling man whose headquarters are in Baltimore said, "but until a few weeks ago I never saw a man who was a complete slave to the whittling habit."

"Business took me to Charleston, W. Va., not long ago, and it was there that I saw the whittler. One day as I passed through the corridor of the hotel I noticed a man, a heavyset, distinguished looking individual, who was sitting slumped down in his chair in a meditative attitude. He had a half-whittled stick and a pocketknife in his hands, and a pile of chips on the floor showed that he had been working diligently for some time."

"I had nothing else to do at the time," so I watched him. No, he wasn't carving anything in particular. He was simply whittling. When nothing was left of his stick, he put his hand in his pocket, drew out another piece of wood and began again. Friends came up to him. He chatted with them pleasantly, but kept on whittling.

"I remained at the hotel for several days and saw him frequently. He was always whittling. He never indulged in his pet habit in the dining room, but his progress through the rest of the house could always be traced by the chips he left behind him. He was restless at times and moved from chair to chair. A neat little pile of chips always marked the place he had occupied."

"When I went to the hotel clerk to have my curiosity satisfied I found the whittler to be the well known criminal lawyer, Col. W. W. Arnett. I was told that he was so completely dominated by the whittling habit that it was impossible for him to think clearly unless his hands were occupied with his knife and a bit of wood. My informant told me that one of the duties of Colonel Arnett's secretary is to keep on hand a supply of wood ready for whittling. When the two start off on a journey a grip filled with small blocks of wood is always a part of their baggage."

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A Havana correspondent of the New York Sun says that in an interview regarding the trade between the United States and Cuba a prominent merchant said that since the American intervention Spanish imports into Cuba had largely diminished, owing to the abolition of protection, but what had been lost by Spain had not been gained by the United States, but by France and Germany. Did we get any thanks from the Cuban patriots for setting them free?

## That Cough Hangs On

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## NORTH CAROLINA BOOKLET.

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The Raleigh chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy is preparing to issue a monthly publication called the "North Carolina Booklet," which will deal with historical questions of interest to North Carolina. The first number will appear on May 10th and will contain articles on the following subjects:

1. Virginia Dare, Maj. Graham Daves.
  2. Colonial New Bern, Mrs. Sara Beaumont Kennedy.
  3. Liberty, Property and no Stamp Duty, Col. A. M. Waddell.
  4. Edenton Tea Party, Dr. Richard Dillard.
  5. Betsy Dowdy's Ride, Col. R. B. Creecy.
  6. The Hornets Nest, Hon. Heriot Clarkson.
  7. Green's Retreat, Prof. D. H. Hill.
  8. Monsieur Le Marquis de La Fayette, Maj. E. J. Hale.
  9. An Admiral and His Daughter, Dr. K. P. Battle.
  10. Pettigrew's Charge, Capt. S. A. Ashe.
  11. Reminiscences of a Blockade Runner, James Sprunt, British Vice Consul.
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## A Course of Reading for the Guilford County Teachers' Association.

1. McMurray's "Special Method in Geography." Price 40 cents. Public School Publishing Co., Bloomington, Ill.
2. Geikie's "Physical Geography." Price 35 cents. American Book Co., New York.
3. Trotter's "Lessons in the New Geography." Price \$1. D. C. Heath & Co., Boston, Mass.
4. King's "Methods and Aids in Teaching Geography." Price \$1.60. Lee & Shepard, Boston, Mass.
5. McMurray's "Special Method in Reading." Price 30 cents. Public School Publishing Co., Bloomington, Ill.
6. Ward's "The Rational Method in Reading." Price 30 cents. Silver, Burdett & Co., Boston, Mass.
7. Hall's "How to Teach Reading and What to Read in the Schools." Price 40 cents. D. C. Heath & Co., Boston, Mass.
8. Quick's "Educational Reformers." Price 50 cents. C. W. Bardeen, Syracuse, N. Y.
9. White's "Elements of Pedagogy." American Book Co., New York.

It is expected that teachers will buy at least the first book named on each list, and that all teachers will have read at least the "Special Method in Geography" and the "Special Method in Reading" before the next meeting of the association. P. P. CLAXTON, Chairman of Committee.

## Caught a Dreadful Cold.

Marion Kooke, manager for T. M. Thompson, a large importer of fine millinery at 1658 Milwaukee Avenue, Chicago, says: "During the late severe weather I caught a dreadful cold which kept me awake at night and made me unfit to attend my work during the day. One of my milliners was taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a severe cold at that time, which seemed to relieve her so quickly that I bought some for myself. It acted like magic and I began to improve at once. I am now entirely well and feel very pleased to acknowledge its merits." For sale by C. E. Holton, druggist.

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## SALE OF LAND AND MILL.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Guilford county, made in the special proceeding pending in said court in behalf of J. W. Scott, J. T. Morehead, W. D. Wharton and others, experts, for the sale of real estate for partition among the tenants in common, the undersigned, as commissioner, appointed by said court, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the court house door in the city of Greensboro on

MONDAY, MAY 6, 1901,

a tract of land and the mills situated thereon, lying and being in Centre Grove township, in Guilford county, N. C., on the waters of Hunting creek, adjoining and bounded on the north by the home place of William A. Donnell, on the east by the same, on the south by the same and the lands of the late J. D. W. McNeill, and on the west by the home place of the said William A. Donnell, the same being known as the Donnell & Lambeth Mills, containing 15 acres more or less, together with the mill and saw mill and other buildings thereon. See deed from Albert A. Holton, trustee, recorded in book No. 74 page 515, of the Register of Deeds office.

Terms of sale:—One-half in cash, the residue secured by note on a credit of four months, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent, and approved security, title retained till purchase money is paid.

This March 27th, 1901.

JAM'S A. HODGINS, Commissioner.

## NOTICE BY PUBLICATION.

NORTH CAROLINA. In the Superior Court, Guilford County. ORDER OF PUBLICATION. C. P. Frazier, as administrator of Madison Gilmer, plaintiff, vs. James Gilmer and his wife Fannie, Thomas Gilmer, David Gilmer and Julia A. Gilmer, defendants.

It appearing from the affidavit of C. P. Frazier, the administrator, that the defendants, James Gilmer, David Gilmer and Julia A. Gilmer, are not to be found in Guilford county and are not and cannot be found after due diligence in the state, and it further appearing that this is a proceeding for the sale of real estate of the intestate by the administrator to raise assets for the payment of debts of said intestate, Madison Gilmer; and that the defendants named are proper money parties in said proceeding, and that the court has jurisdiction of said matter and of the parties, it is therefore ordered that notice of this special proceeding be published over and out for six successive weeks in the GREENSBORO PATRIOT, a newspaper published in Guilford county, setting forth the title of the proceeding, the purpose of the same, and requiring the defendants, James Gilmer, David Gilmer and Julia A. Gilmer, to appear at the clerk's office of this court, at the court house in Greensboro in said county, on the 29th day of April, 1901, and answer or demur to the petition filed by the plaintiff or the relief therein demanded will be granted.

Done at the office of the clerk of the said court on this 28th day of March, 1901.

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May 27, 1900.

## WINSTON-SALEM DIVISION. DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

P. M. A. M.	P. M. A. M.
4:25 8:00 Lv. Winston	Ar. 9:50 8:40
5:08 8:43 Lv. Walnut Cove	Ar. 9:05 7:55
5:43 9:18 Lv. Madison	Ar. 8:23 7:18
6:18 9:23 Lv. Mayodan	Ar. 8:23 7:12
6:55 10:30 Lv. Martinsville	Ar. 7:15 6:05
7:10 1:10 Ar. Roanoke	Lv. 4:35 1:10

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1:50 p. m. for Petersburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Pullman Parlor Cars.

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P. M. A. M.	P. M. A. M.
4:55 7:00 Lv. Durham	Ar. 9:15 8:35
6:07 8:16 Lv. Roxboro	Ar. 7:48 8:16
6:37 8:45 Lv. Denniston	Ar. 7:15 7:45
6:55 9:12 Ar. South Boston	Ar. 6:55 7:25
7:10 11:45 Ar. Lynchburg	Lv. 4:10 1:10

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1901.

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

—Rev. W. F. Thom, of Gulf, was here on business last week.

—\$1,000 to loan on real estate. Apply to D. P. Foust, Alleman, N. C.

—T. W. Wood & Sons Hickory King seed corn at Hiatt & Lamb's.

—Rev. T. F. McCulloch, of Oakdale, was in the city the latter part of last week.

—Mrs. Josie Bittrich, living at the Finishing mills, has a Davis swinging churn to sell cheap.

—Mr. Joe M. Climer, formerly with the Bee Hive, is now with Mr. Sample Brown at his new stand.

—Lucerne of Alfalfa. We have had a good many calls for this popular grass this season and have it in stock now. J. W. Scott & Co.

—Mrs. W. F. McCullough, of Chester, S. C., was here last week on a visit to the family of her brother, Mr. Walter Whitworth. She had previously visited her father, Mr. C. A. Whitworth.

—Mr. J. R. Wall's saw mill, located about ten miles east of town, near Shaw's Mill, was damaged by fire last Wednesday night. The origin of the fire is unknown. There was no insurance.

—Mr. L. L. Kirkman, an old and highly respected citizen of High Point, died Monday morning. He was a distant relative of Register of Deeds Kirkman. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

—Have you noticed the liberal terms offered by the Central Business College to those who take advantage of its special summer session beginning June 17th? It will pay you to investigate. Write to Geo. W. Broyles, Principal, Greensboro, N. C., for full particulars.

—Nearly 500 people at Whitsett Monday witnessed a hotly contested game of baseball between Oak Ridge and Whitsett. The teams were evenly matched and played a beautiful game. The score was 5 to 4 in favor of Oak Ridge. The teams will meet again at Oak Ridge next Tuesday.

—While driving into town last Thursday morning Miss Mary Foust, who resides in the eastern part of the county, narrowly escaped a serious accident. The horse became frightened at a dray driven by a young negro and ran, overturning the buggy and dragging Miss Foust for some distance along East Market street. She escaped without serious injury.

—A batch of items from McLeansville and bearing only initials in lieu of a signature were received last Wednesday at noon—just about an hour after the paper had gone to press. The writer is informed that his full name is necessary with every communication, and letters must reach us not later than Monday night to insure publication the current week.

—Mrs. O. L. Boon received a message from Brandon, Tex., yesterday informing her of the death of her brother, Mr. Elias Pritchett, who succumbed to an attack of pneumonia. He was a former resident of Guilford county and was, in addition to Mr. Boon, a brother of Messrs. J. R. and C. M. Pritchett and Mrs. J. Henry Gilmer. He had been residing in Texas for a number of years.

—Mr. F. L. Iddings, the flagman on the local freight between Greensboro and Wilkesboro, was seriously injured by an accident at Guilford College station last Wednesday night. Just after the train had left the station a drawhead pulled out and stopped the train very suddenly. Mr. Iddings, who was standing in the caboose, was thrown violently across the car, sustaining painful injuries in the back and hip. He was brought to his boarding house in this city and given medical attention.

## Spring Weddings.

Mr. George E. Phoenix, of this city, and Miss Helen Vaughn, of Germantown, were married yesterday afternoon at the Alaman church parsonage. Rev. H. D. LeQueux performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by a few friends. The marriage was a very quiet affair and was a surprise to the friends of the contracting parties. The bride came here some time ago on a visit to friends. The groom is a brother of Mr. John J. Phoenix and is connected with the Southern Railway, holding a position in the freight office.

It is reported that Mr. D. M. Smithers, manager of the Singer Sewing Machine Company's business at this place, and Miss Blanche Anthony were married today at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. G. L. Anthony, at Vandalia. Miss Anthony has resided in Greensboro for the past several months.

Mr. John D. Pannill and Miss Mary Withers, of Reidsville, were quietly married in this city last Thursday evening, Rev. W. C. Newton performing the ceremony. They came over on the southbound local train, accompanied by a few friends.

J. E. McKnight, Esq., was called on last Thursday afternoon to unite in marriage Mr. George W. Mills and Miss Rosa E. Hinshaw. The wedding took place at Proximity.

Mr. Cicero H. Henley and Miss Ida Earnhart, of Proximity, were married last Wednesday evening, the ceremony being performed by J. A. Pritchett, Esq.

**A Possible Error Corrected.**  
Our advertising of late has been so much in regard to fine and high priced shoes that some of our friends in country and town may get the impression that we are not giving much attention to the cheaper grades. Such is not the case. It is true that we do not and will not handle the cheapest, shoddy grade of shoes, the kind that come all to pieces if you wear them out doors on a wet day. But we sell good shoes cheap. Our men's Sunday shoes at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 are made of solid leather and made in new, up-to-date shapes. We have the best and largest stock of ladies Sunday shoes to sell at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 in the city. It's the same way in girls' and boys' shoes. We have good one cheap—fine high priced ones, too, if you want them. You know our very fair guarantee: "Every pair sold warranted to be just as represented," and if you don't like them when you get home, bring them back and get your money.

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## An Ugly Story.

A deplorable state of affairs is reported from the eastern part of the county. Within the past ten days two negro men have left for parts unknown, it is said, as a result of improper relations with two young white women, who are sisters. It is believed by some that the first negro to leave followed his shameless companion to some point in the North, where she is said to be passing as a negro. The other sister is still at home. Her paramour left Sunday night, telling his employer that his life had been threatened on account of his relations with the white woman. Both negroes left helpless families behind.

The two young women who have sunk to the very lowest depths of degradation come of highly respectable ancestry. Each is the mother of a mulatto child and both are now said to be in a delicate condition.

## Holds Up a Congressman.

"At the end of the last campaign," writes Champ Clark, Missouri's brilliant congressman, "from overwork, nervous tension, loss of sleep and constant speaking I had about utterly collapsed. It seemed that all the organs in my body were out of order, but three bottles of Electric Bitters made me all right. It's the best all-round medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter." Overworked, run down men and weak, sickly women gain splendid health and vitality from Electric Bitters. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by C. E. Holton, druggist.

—Mr. John R. Stewart, mention of whose trial in the Federal court was made in last week's Patriot, was acquitted of the charge of attempting to defraud the government of the tax on distilled spirits. The jury was out only a short while and it is understood that the first vote was unanimous for acquittal. A great deal of interest was manifested in the trial and those who heard the evidence were prepared for the verdict rendered. Mr. Stewart and his friends are naturally pleased at the termination of the trial.

## A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by C. E. Holton. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

## Spring Announcements.

"You'll never miss the change you pay for a hat at the Bee Hive," say R. G. Fortune & Co. in their ad. this week. They have a superb line of millinery. The Southern Loan and Trust Company looks well after the interest of savings bank depositors. Interest is computed from the first of every month.

S. L. Gilmer & Co. offer a cake of toilet soap free to each reader of the Patriot.

The Southbend plow, the standard throughout the world, is advertised by the Odell Hardware Company.

John B. Fariss, the druggist, advertises a splendid spring tonic.

F. M. Roberts, the Winston sporting goods man, advertises a special sale of bicycles.

Dr. Griffith, dentist, has a new ad. in this issue.

Mrs. Rosa Hamner Carter's stock of millinery is complete, embracing all the latest novelties.

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Dr. John Thames, physician and surgeon, has a professional card in this issue.

Letter to Mr. W. F. Clegg, Greensboro, N. C.

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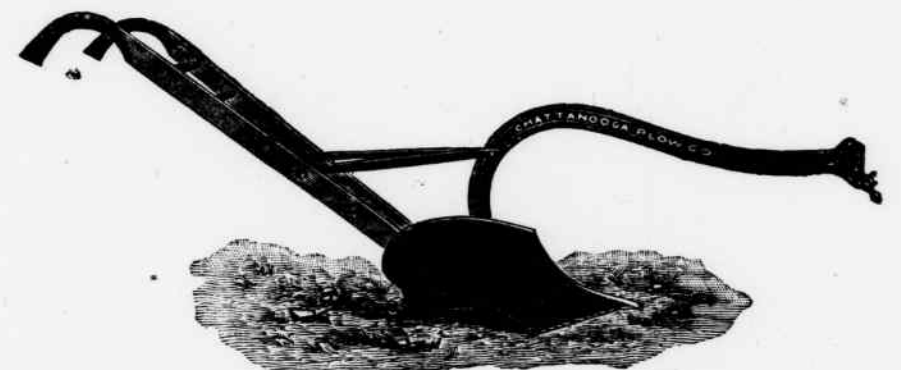
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