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The Lord's Supper.

Perhaps the most startling religious sensation yet sprung in this age of original departures is the strange heresy which emanates from Union Theological Seminary, New York. Dr. McGiffert, one of the leading professors, in this time-honored institution, makes the declaration that the holy sacrament of the Lord's Supper is without special religious significance.

As Christians the world over have been taught to regard this sacrament with peculiar reverence on account of its divine institution, the heretical declaration of Dr. McGiffert is bound to stir up religious excitement in both hemispheres. Speaking of the last meeting between Christ and His disciples in "the little upper room" at Jerusalem, on which occasion the sacrament was first observed, Dr. McGiffert contends that the institution of the Lord's Supper was social in its character and wholly devoid of sacramental features. He furthermore contends that the disciples in afterwards observing the Lord's Supper as a memorial feast, did so purely in attestation of their grief for the Savior's departure.

On account of the fundamental religious teachings which this heresy calls into question, Dr. McGiffert is destined to become the central figure in one of the most interesting religious trials of the present generation.—Atlanta Constitution.

Outside or Inside Explosion.

There are almost as many theories of the cause of the high-falootin' disaster to the battleship Maine as there are maritime experts who have tried to account for it from the slender basis of known facts. It is suggested that one of the boilers exploded; that dynamite had been concealed in the coal, that the dynamo had been out of order and that spontaneous combustion had occurred in the forward magazines. These are some of the probabilities put forward by those who believe that the Maine was blown up from an interior explosion. On the other hand, there are those who think that a mine was exploded at the bottom of the harbor by means of connecting electric shore wires; that a floating torpedo was used, or that some means had been contrived to tamper with the magazines. One thing it will be possible to determine with certainty: Examination of the wreck will show whether the vessel went to the bottom as a result of exterior or interior pressure. The torn steel armor will tell the story. Even if it should be shown that the second and final explosion took place inside of the vessel it would not obliterate the proof of the effects of an initial explosion on the outside.

The loss of the Maine may have been due to carelessness or accident. It may have been the work of fiends incarnate, who for purposes of their own have undertaken to levy war and to murder and destroy in their hatred of the people of the United States. But it will be well to await patiently the result of the investigation, and to believe as long as we can that no man nor body of men could have been guilty of such a wholesale, unprovoked assassination.—Philadelphia Record.

A correspondent of the Franklin Times says the school committee of Gold Mine township is composed of four Populists and one Fusionist, "men who are not competent by any means." It says the teachers "are imported from another township and in several instances, in an adjoining township, they are brought from another county." That's the way "the public schools were taken out of politics." The truth is that the public schools in many parts of Eastern North Carolina have been put in the hands of negroes and other incompetent spoils men, and brought by them to a very low depth. The first help for such schools is to kick out the gang now trading in the children's education and put in good citizens.—News and Observer.

COME TO GRIEF.

In Too Great Haste to Furnish Her House

Henrietta Anderson, a woman of color, has her home in West Greenville, that portion of the town known among the colored people as "Little Washington." But instead of being "under her own vine and fig tree" Henrietta is now furnished with a room in the "county hotel" and her meals are sent to her by the Sheriff.

The cause of Henrietta's change of quarters is attributed to a desire to furnish her house on a fabulous scale without caring who paid for the things just so she got them. About two weeks ago she began serving as chamber maid at the King House. So far as her work went she proved to be one of the smartest who had served in that capacity, but it turned out that she was not so busy all the time for nothing.

Almost immediately following Henrietta's change of her position Mrs. King began to hear complaints from her boarders that they were getting short on bed covering. The good hostess wanting everybody in her house to keep comfortable began a quiet investigation. An examination of the beds disclosed that some article was missing from nearly every one of them, and for a few days blankets, quilts, sheets, pillow cases, towels, etc., disappeared so rapidly that Mrs. King began to think she would not have enough left to go around if the thief was not caught. She had discovered enough to feel satisfied that Henrietta was imposing on the confidence placed in her, and the next step was to have her house searched.

Monday morning a search warrant was obtained and Deputy Sheriffs R. D. Harrington and W. S. Bailey went to the King House where they took Henrietta in charge and proceeded to her home to make a search. Mrs. C. B. King also going with them to identify whatever might be found there.

Arriving at Henrietta's house the officers first examined her bed on which were found six different articles belonging to Mrs. King. The pillow case had a small hole cut in it showing that the name mark had been cut out. The sheets had two small scraps of white cloth sewed on opposite sides, and when these scraps were ripped off there was the King House mark as plain as day.

The officers then told Henrietta that there was proof enough to fix her guilt and she had just as well "sell it all." But Henrietta was not in a specially "telling" humor and did not give away any more than she had to. The search was continued through the house and several more articles belonging to Mrs. King were found. The missing quilts and blankets were not found, from

which it was believed that the woman had an accomplice in the stealing, but she did not tell on anybody.

It was noticed that just before Henrietta was arrested, five different colored people who had in some way caught an inkling of what was going on, went to the King House and tried to go in where the woman was at work, or attract her attention to the window so as to have a word with her before the officers got there, but they were prevented from seeing her.

After the search was completed the woman was placed in jail.

ANOTHER 'COON GOES WRONG

Steals a Barrel of Flour and Tries to Hide it in Another Man's House.

A colored man named Allen Finch has for quite a long time been employed by the firm of J. C. Cobb & Son to do their draying and general heavy work. Allen's long service with the firm gave him a familiarity with the warehouse keys and where goods were stored. The other day Allen hauled a barrel of flour to the home of John Eaton, colored, and left it there. Eaton's wife did not know why Allen left a barrel of flour there, so she sent down town at once to where her husband was at work to inform him what had taken place. John not having sent any flour home went to Mr. Cobb at the store to make some inquiry as to why his drayman had carried it. Mr. Cobb knew nothing about it and called in Allen for an explanation. Allen at first ordered a wholesale denial, but when he found out the proof was on him, he had to acknowledge the corn. Allen's intention was to go back after the flour and sell it. He had taken the flour from the firm's warehouse. Before a warrant could be served on him he had skipped.

JUST FOR FUN

A reduction of color—ashes.

Hoax—"That fellow with the glass pipe ought to make a good Councilman." Hoax—"How so?" Hoax—"He has an eye single to the welfare of the city."

Simpkins—"Is Jones still following the races?" Tinkins—"Yes; at a respectable distance." Simpkins—"What do you mean?" Tinkins—"Well, I understand he's pretty far behind."

"Me old man says I stand as good a chance of bein' President some day as any other kid," remarked the messenger boy. "I guess not," responded the butcher's lad; "you can't get no office 'thou' runnin' fer it."

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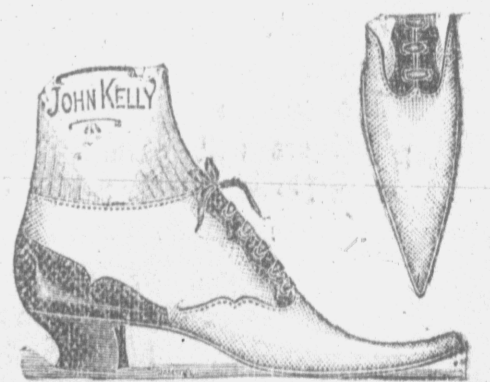
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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1898.

The Spanish warship Vizcaya is now in New York harbor. This warship was sent here to return the "friendly visit" that our battleship Maine made Havana, and was enroute here when the disaster to the Maine occurred. Since such a "friendly" fate has overtaken the Maine this government has provided a strong guard around the Spanish visitor as a means of preventing a retaliation in kind in case there should be anybody evil minded enough to undertake such a job. The crew of the Vizcaya are reported to have been much excited when they arrived and learned the fate of the Maine.

No definite information has yet been developed as to the cause of the disaster to the battleship Maine, and it is not probable that a report from the investigation now being made can be ready earlier than the middle of this week. About the most ridiculous thing in connection with the affair is the reported assertion of President McKinley that "from the information received he believes the disaster was due to accident and he hoped the committee of investigation would so find in their report." In other words the President of the United States makes up his mind what he wants the report to be, regardless of the facts, and attempts to advise the committee beforehand what he wishes them to do and say. Fine President we've got.

A Millionaire Revivalist.

A millionaire revivalist will begin series of services tomorrow in the Baptist Tabernacle, Brooklyn. He is William P. Hall, President of the Hall's Signal Company, and his income is \$5,000 a week.

He can't help making money, but cares more for souls reclaimed than the dollars that comes to him from the business he has built up. The same application which made such a result possible is he giving to the church work.

Mr. Hall is not a professional church worker, but gives such times to evangelistic labor as his business will permit. He has recently completed a two weeks' revival campaign at Calvary Methodist church, Harlem. He has conducted successful services at Pawtucket, R. I., where in one Sunday more than 200 persons were converted; and at Danbury Conn., where his work resulted in 100 converts.—Chicago Tribune.

A California woman, middle-aged but energetic, has determined to leave her less vigorous husband in comfort at home while she goes to the Klondike to seek fortune for them both. That's the kind of a New Woman many a man would be willing to marry.

Ironical If's

If a vessel is a boat a blood-vessel must be a life-boat.

If you praise a man to his wife she will always look more or less surprised.

If some people were to speak their minds, it wouldn't take them very long.

If a boy is good and isn't paid for being so, then he is good-for-nothing.

If you lend a man a grass seed he'll come around later to borrow a lawn mower.

If a boy only gives up to his mother's estimates of him he will become a great man.

If a man never has any one to tell him what they would do if in his place that man is friendless.

If our neighbors would only do as we think they should it would be much easier for us to love them.

If the waiter spills soup down your back kick him; he expects everything to come to him that waits.

If a man undertakes to tell you what love is the chances are that he is in love himself, and you can't believe him under oath.—Chicago News.

Making Magistrates and Lawyers "Out'n Nuffin'."

When Holden was Governor of North Carolina in 1868, remarked a well informed citizen in the presence of a Recorder a few days ago, he appointed a number of magistrates throughout the State.

In Chatham county there was an old negro who was well acquainted with the Governor, continued the citizen's story. One day Sambo met a white man who had been to Raleigh. The old darkey made inquiry as to Mars Holden's health. When told that he was O K the old-time negro said: "Well, I tell yer, Mars Holden is a greater man in some respects dan de Lord Jesus." "How's that?" queried the white man.

"Well yer knows dat we read in de good book dat de Lord made man out'n dust, but I tells yer dat Mars Holden has made a whole lot of magistrates down here in Chatham out'n nuffin'."

The gentleman who related this story applied it with fine effect on his hearers by adding that the present Supreme Court was following the same line of Governor Holden—by making lawyers "out'n nuffin'."—Greensboro Record

The contractor for the monument to be erected at Asheville to the memory of her distinguished son, Zebulon Baird Vance, has informed the committee in charge that the monument will be ready for unveiling any time after the first of May next. A committee has been appointed to receive suggestions from the public and formulate a plan for the unveiling ceremonies and make report to a future called meeting of the central committee. This committee, the Asheville Citizen announces, will be glad to receive suggestions from persons in any part of North Carolina concerning the way in which the unveiling of the monument shall be celebrated. Whether it shall strictly a State affair, or whether admirers of the great North Carolinian in other States shall be invited. Whether the speakers for the occasion shall all be from North Carolina or otherwise. Suggestions as to who would be the most suitable person or persons to deliver orations will also be gladly received.

DANGER IN SODA.

Serious Results Sometimes Follow its Excessive Use.

Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for a medicine, and people who use it as such will some day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger; moreover the soda only gives temporary relief and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse and worse.

The soda acts as a mechanical irritant to the walls of the stomach and bowels and cases are on record where it accumulated in the intestines, causing death by inflammation or peritonitis.

Dr. Harlenson recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. These tablets are large 20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, peptines and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

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A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and their cure mailed free by addressing the Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich.

Mardi Gras Festival, New Orleans, La.

The committee on arrangements are using every means in their power to make the Festival this year, the greatest ever held. Elaborate arrangements have been made for the pleasure and entertainment of their guests. However, the manner in which the trip to New Orleans is made, will play no small part in making the visit an enjoyable one.

The Seaboard Air Line offers the choice of two daily trains, the schedule by either of which is very good. They leave as follows:

New York, 10:50 a. m. and 8:50 p. m. Philadelphia, 1:12 p. m. and 12:05 night. Washington, 4:40 p. m. and 4:30 a. m. Richmond, 8:56 p. m. and 9:05 a. m. Raleigh, 2:16 a. m. and 3:40 p. m. Monroe, 6:43 a. m. and 9:12 p. m. Abbeville, 11:05 a. m. and 1:35 a. m. Athens, 1:15 p. m. and 3:45 a. m. Arriving at Atlanta, 2:50 p. m. and 5:20 a. m., and New Orleans, 7:40 a. m. and 8:10 p. m. From Richmond and points south, by the train arriving at New Orleans at 8:10, only one night is spent on the road.

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One night last week one of our leading citizens, suffering from a cold, essayed to get relief by an application as he thought, of vaseline to the irritated mucous membrane of his nose and mouth. Shortly after applying he developed alarming symptoms of facial paralysis or lock-jaw. His mouth refused to open, his breathing was difficult. A thorough washing with warm water brought relief. On investigation he found that he had mistaken a bottle of varnish for vaseline.—Kensville Democrat.

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METHODIST—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, Pastor. Sunday school 9:30 A. M. A. B. Ellington, Superintendent.

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LODGES.

A. F. & A. M.—Greenville Lodge No. 284 meets first and third Monday evening. J. M. Reuss, W. M. L. I. Moore, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge No. 17 meets every Tuesday evening. J. V. Johnson, N. G. L. H. Pender, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge No. 93, meets every Friday evening. H. W. Whedbee, C. C. A. B. Ellington, K. of R. and S.

R. A.—Zeb Vance Council No. 1696 meets every Thursday evening. W. L. Wilson, R. M. R. Lang, Sec.

K. of H.—Insurance Lodge No. 1169 meets every Friday evening. John Flanagan, D. Henry Sheppard, R.

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DAILY No 48—Passenger—Due Mon.
9.35 a. m. nolla 11.02 am. Warsaw 11.15
a. m. Goldsboro 12.05 am. Wil
son 12.55 p. m. Rocky Mount
1.40 p. m. Tarboro 2.45 p. m.
Weldon 4.33 p. m. Petersburg
6.22 p. m. Richmond 7.15 pm.
Norfolk 8.05 p. m. Washing
ton 11.30 pm. Baltimore 1.06
a. m. Philadelphia 3.50 a. m.
New York 6.53 a. m. Boston
3.00 p. m.

DAILY No 40—Passenger Due Mon
7.15 p. m. nolla 8.55 p. m. Warsaw 9.10
p. m. Goldsboro 10.10 p. m.
Wilson 11.06 p. m. Tarboro
6.45 a. m. Rocky Mount 11.57
p. m. Weldon 1.42 a. m. Nor
folk 10.30 a. m. Petersburg
3.14 a. m. Richmond 4.60 a. m.
Washington 7.41 a. m. Balti
more 9.03 a. m. Philadelphi
11.25 a. m. New York 2.03 a.
m. Boston 9.00 a. m.

SOUTHBOND.

DAILY No 55—Passenger Due Lake
49 p. m. Waccamaw 5.09 p. m. Chad
bourne 5.41 p. m. Marion 6.43 p.
m. Florence 7.25 p. m. Sum
ter 9.10 p. m. Columbia 10.30
p. m. Denmark 6.12 a. m. August
ta 7.55 a. m. Macon 11.15 a. m.
Atlanta 12.25 p. m. Charle
ston 10.50 p. m. Savannah 1.50
a. m. Jacksonville 7.30 a. m.
St. Augustine 10.30 am. Tam
pa 5.25 pm.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON— FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 49.—Passenger—Boston
5.50 P. M. 1.03 pm. New York 9.00 pm.
Philadelphia 12.05 am. Balti
more 2.50 am. Washington
4.30 am. Richmond 9.05 am.
Petersburg 10.00 am. Nor
Weldon 11.52 am. Tarboro
12.12 pm. Rocky Mount 12.47
pm. Wilson 2.37 pm. Golds
boro 3.20 pm. Warsaw 4.1
pm. Magnolia 4.24 pm.

DAILY No. 41.—Passenger—Leave
5.50 A. M. Boston 12.00 night. New
York 9.30 am. Philadelphia
12.09 pm. Baltimore 2.25 pm.
Washington 3.46 pm. Rich
mond 7.30 pm. Petersburg
8.12 pm. Norfolk 2.20 pm.
Weldon 9.43 pm. Tarboro
6.01 pm. Rocky Mount 5.49
am. Leave Wilson 6.22 am.
Goldsboro 7.01 am. Warsaw
7.53 am. Magnolia 8.05 am.

DAILY No. 51.—Passenger—Leave
except Sunday
New Bern 9.00 am. Jackson
ville 10.26 am. This train
12.15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.
FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 54.—Passenger—Leave
1.20 P. M. Tampa 8.10 am. Sanford 3.27
pm. Jacksonville 7.40 pm.
Savanna 1.45 night. Charle
ston 6.23 am. Columbia 6.00
am. Atlanta 8.20 am. Macon
9.00 am. Augusta 3.30 pm.
Denmark 4.25 pm. Sumpter
8.08 am. Florence 9.58 am.
Marion 10.36 am. Chadbourne
11.38 am. Lake Waccamaw
12.09 am.

Train on Sequent Neck Branch Road
leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.30
p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5.20 p.
m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.55
p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.50
a. m., Greenville 8.52 a. m. Arriving
Halifax at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11.33 am
daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave
Washington 8.20 a. m., and 2.20 p. m.
arrives Parmele 9.10 a. m., and 4.00 p.
m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves
Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 9.35 a. m.
and 8.20 p. m., arrives Washington
11.00 a. m., and 7.20 p. m. Daily ex
cept Sunday. Connects with trains on
Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Alber
marle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sun
day, at 5.30 p. m., Sunday 4.15 P. M.
via Plymouth 7.40 P. M., 6.10 p. m.
returning leaves Plymouth daily except
Sunday, 7.50 a. m., Sunday 9.00 a. m.,
via Tarboro 10.05 a. m. and 11.00

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves
Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7.10 a.
m. arriving Smithfield 8.30 a. m. Re
turning leaves Smithfield 9.00 a. m., ar
rives at Goldsboro 10.25 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R.
& L., leave Latta 6.40 p. m. arrive Dunbar
7.50 p. m. Clio 8.05 p. m. Returning
leave Clio 6.10 a. m. Dunbar 6.30 a. m.
arrive Latta 7.50 a. m. daily except Sun
day

Train on Clinton Branch leaves War
saw for Clinton daily, except Sunday,
11.20 a. m. and 4.15 p. m. Returning
leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

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A G. P. & T. A. I. & G. N. R. A.
S Palestine, Texas.
East Texas lands are attracting
considerable attention. Mention
this in r.

CATAclySMAL INVENTIONS.

Their Effect Always Slowly Felt and
Distributed.

The most cataclysmal of all inven
tions, that of gunpowder—which,
by the way, was probably invented
twice, for Greek fire must have been
the same thing used with an im
perfect knowledge of its propelling
power, and the one which most af
fected the organization of society
by destroying the value of armor
and equalizing the power of men
of different sizes—took a genera
tion to spread abroad, and when it
did spread hardly affected the rela
tive strength of the nations. If
such an invention were discovered
now, the papers would ring with
prophecies, probably of a German
or British conquest of the world,
which would not happen a bit the
faster for all the "appreciations."
Printing was a grand discovery,
and, though it did not help the Chi
nese much, did help Europeans a
great deal, but it did not help them
suddenly, and for the immense ma
jority of mankind it might just as
well never have occurred. Steam
is a grand discovery, but it has not
upset the world, it has been utilized
only by degrees, and, like printing,
the mass of mankind knows very lit
tle about it, one-third of the hu
man race, indeed, denouncing it still
as something which "haazes and
maazes the blessed fealds."

The discovery of the way to harn
ess lightning, which excites the
imagination even of poets, is one of
the greatest man has made, but it
has upset nothing except newspaper
arrangements, and beyond enabling
nations to talk together as individu
als do it has produced no conse
quences. It is, we suppose, possible
that somebody may discover a way
of destroying a fleet from a balloon,
and thus deprive the richest nation
of its maritime advantages, but a
mode of counteracting that discov
ery would probably be found at the
same time, and the balance of mari
time power would remain unchanged.
There never can be an elixir of
life because all men are sentenced
to capital punishment, but a prepa
ration which would destroy or neu
tralize all hostile bacteria, germs,
spores, or whatever they call the
injurious atoms, is, at all events,
conceivable, but it would be years
before it greatly influenced the per
manent health even of races bright
enough to believe in the physician's
opinions. Remember the savage
opposition to vaccination in the
teeth of evidence really as strong as
that which demonstrates any arith
metical proposition.

From all that what deduction?
Simply this, that the readiness to
take alarm, which is one mainspring
of modern credulity, is not justified
either by experience or theory and
that men should receive all an
nouncements of cataclysmal discov
ery or invention with a willingness
to inquire and a quiet conviction
that if false they do not matter and
if true they will affect things very
slowly and will develop counter
vailing and restraining influences.
According to science, a meteorite big
enough to shatter the world might
strike it and bring even labor trou
bles or the German emperor's ex
periments to an end, but the uni
verse is governed by powers before
which even science is very ignorant,
and, judging from all experience,
the meteorite will either be shattered
in time or just miss us in its
course through space.—I

A Persian Assassin.

The late shah of Persia, according
to a recent story, was assassinated
not for political purposes, but
through revenge. His murderer,
Mohammed-Riza, was a theological
student, but was compelled to be
come a trader by the confiscation of
his property. He sold some of his
goods to the son of the shah, and in
due time presented his bill. For
this he was thrown into prison and
his wife transferred to the prince's
harem. After seven years he was
released and fled to Constantinople.
At an opportune time he returned,
disguised, to Teheran and, waiting
a chance, shot the shah, crying,
"The tree that bears bitter fruit
must be cut down!"

Ideal and Real.

Mrs. Melotte (reading)—"Man
fred impulsively flung himself at
her feet and, with his hand pressed
upon his heart and his eyes agleam
with the fierce light of perfect love,
swore that he never would rise until
he arose the accepted suitor of the
fair Ysabel." Isn't that beautiful?
It so reminds me of the time when
Henry proposed to me.
This is what Henry said upon that
eventful occasion: "Nan, s'posin you
and I hitch horses together?"—Bos.

Populism All Out Through the Boil

As we were going down street
a few days ago, we were hailed by
a gentleman who was coming
toward us at a rapid stride, and
laying bare a brawny arm by
rolling up a sleeve as he came.
We expected to have to fight or
run, but stood until the gentle
man came near enough for us to
see a large boil on his arm just
below sore the elbow. Pointing
to the he, said:

"Do you see that?" We told
him the boil was very plain to be
seen.

"Well," said he, "that boil has
given me no little trouble, but let
me tell you, the last drop of
Populist blood in me came
through that blamed boil and now
every drop of blood in my body
is Democratic."

This is a true story. That man
has been one of the strongest,
most uncompromizing Populists
in the county, but he is now
done with Populism, Republican
ism and every kind of ism, and is,
according to his own statement,
now and henceforth a Democrat.
The door of the Democratic fold
is open to you, brother.—Monroe
Enquirer.

A Unique Application for Office.

Alonzo Bradford, of Haywards,
California, an old soldier, has
written to the Postoffice Depart
ment asking for the position of
postmaster at Haywards. Accom
panying his letter is an X
ray photograph of his left knee.
The photograph shows that a
bullet entered his knee at the
joint, pushed up the knee cap and
lodged between the bones of the
upper and lower parts of the leg.
The bullet is still there, it being
impossible to dislodge it by prob
ing, and the only way in which it
can be removed is by amputation
of the leg. Mr. Bradford stated
that the bullet was received at the
battle of Fort Donaldson, and
that he had carried it ever since.
Mr. Bradford was postmaster
under the Harrison administra
tion.—Washington Dispatch.

The New York Journal offers
\$50,000 in gold as a reward for
the discovery of the person or
persons who caused the explosion
aboard the "Maine." This offer
is entirely safe. If the man is
ever discovered, which is unlikely
the advertisement would be
worth the money to the Journal.
If he isn't the Journal gets a lot
of good advertising for nothing.—
Charlotte News.

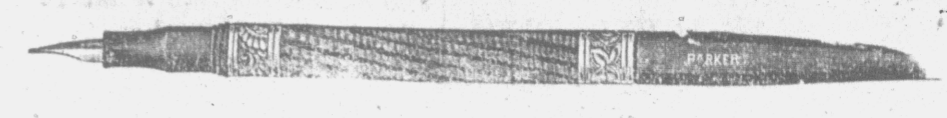
The latest social function in
New York was a "plant party"—
"like the parties given by Louis
XVI," it is explained. The partic
ipants were costumed so as to
represent flowers, fruit, and vege
tables. There were mushrooms
present, we suppose, as well as
some pumpkins; not to mention
cabbage heads and other things
of that sort.—Richmond Dis
patch.

The Record says that one night
last week Mr. James H. Burns, of
Oakland township, Chatham
county, was aroused by hearing
a noise in the dining room, and
on going in there, he found an
opossum quietly on the table
eating the good things that had
been left there from supper.

Why He Fled.

"What made Kladderfleisch in
such a hurry to get out of Ger
many?"
"He happened to bear a close re
semblance in personal appearance
to the Emperor William."
"There was no harm in that."
"No, but there came a boil on the
end of his nose one day, and he was
afraid of being arrested for leze maj
esty."—Chicago Tribune.

SEE THAT?



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- Saves many a failing business.
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TRAIN AND COACH SCHEDULES.

Passenger and mail train going north, arrives 8:52 A. M. Going south, arrives at 6:57 P. M.
 North Bound Freight, arrives 9:50 A. M., leaves 10:10 A. M.
 South Bound Freight, arrives 2:00 P. M., leaves 2:15 P. M.
 Steamer Tar River arrives from Washington Monday, Wednesday and Friday, leaves for Washington Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

To "advertise judiciously," use the columns of the REFLECTOR.

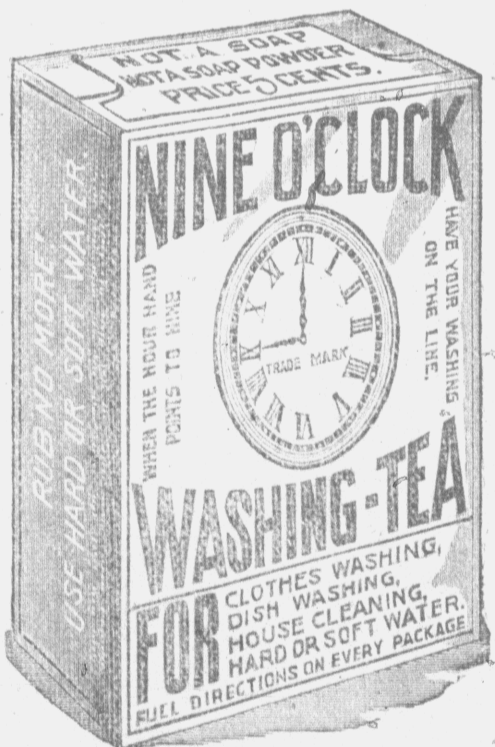
Weather Bulletin.

Generally fair tonight and Tuesday, colder and freezing weather tonight.

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JUST THE NEWS

The Reflector Gives What You Are Looking For

Masons meet tonight.
 Newbern fair next week.
 Tomorrow is Washington's birthday.
 The weather has been turning colder all day.
 Cotton Seed Meal and Seed Oats cheap at S. M. Schultz.
 Have your laundry ready to go off Wednesday morning. You get the best work done at the Wilmington Steam Laundry.
 W. F. PREDDY, Agent.

The weather bureau sent out a warning Sunday that we would have decidedly colder weather today with the temperature down to freezing tonight.

Hobson—"So your wife has turned out a first-class cook, after all?" Jobson—"Well, rather; she has turned out an average of one every two weeks since we've been housekeeping."

Stranger—"Can I sell you a copy of 'The Holy City'?" Farmer Hayseed—"I don't want no books; takes all my time to earn an honest livin'." Stranger—"I was going to ask if I could sell you a copy of a \$20 note for a dollar. You can't tell it from the genuine." Farmer Hayseed—"Gosh! Gimme one. You hain't got no more, hev you?"

Beautiful Solo.

The congregation at the Baptist church Sunday night was delighted with the beautiful solo rendered by Miss Julia Castex, of Goldsboro. She sang "The Holy City" in a manner that showed the rich sweetness and melody of her voice, and her expression was perfect.

WANTED—UPRIGHT and faithful gentlemen or ladies to travel for responsible, established house in North Carolina. Monthly \$65.00 and expenses. Position steady. Reference. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, Dept. K. Chicago.

ON THE GO.

Names of People You Know

O. Cuthrell came over from Kinston this morning.
 Mack Edlis and John Strickland, of Kinston, spent today here.
 J. W. Wiggins came down from Tarboro Saturday evening.
 Dr. J. Morrill and R. R. Cotten, of Falkland, were in town today.
 W. M. Bond went to Raleigh today on business before the Supreme court.
 H. C. Hooker left today for New York to purchase a new stock of goods.
 Thomas Young went to Kinston Saturday evening and returned this morning.

SUGAR-BEET SEED—FOR DISTRIBUTION

By the courtesy of the Secretary of Agriculture, who has done so much to stimulate interest in the sugar-beet industry, the Experiment Station will have, for gratuitous distribution to farmers in the different counties of the State, several pounds of selected sugar-beet seed. In accordance with the wishes of the Secretary, the beet seed will be distributed in North Carolina only to those who promise to follow directions in regard to planting, cultivating, harvesting, and who will send samples for analysis, and give us full information as to cost. The farmer who undertakes the work should be able to realize a good yield, and as the beet is very excellent for table use and proves a valuable feed for stock, the farmer will be fully repaid for his time and trouble.

North Carolina is not located in the isothermal belt in which it is known that the sugar beet is grown most successfully for commercial purposes; but should we be able to grow a beet with a sufficiently high percentage of sugar, this will doubtless lead to the erection of a factory in the State, and there will be many benefits to come to our people in consequence.

The Experiment Station will be very glad to receive applications for sugar-beet seed on the conditions above named, and to correspond with anyone interested in the subject.

W. A. WITHERS, Acting Director North Carolina Experiment Station.

A deserter from the warship Maine has been arrested in New York for stealing \$2,500 worth of jewelry, and has confessed that he is guilty of the crime charged.

Probably there are more people now than ever before of the opinion that our modern warships would be more dangerous in action to their own men than to an enemy.—Richmond Dispatch.

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- 100 CASES LYE,
- 100 CASES WASHING POWDERS,
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At the Close of Business Dec. 15th, 1897.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$42,904.8	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	1,650.64	Undivided Profits	3,797.50
Premium on Stock	1,000.07	Deposits subject to Check	103,294.00
Due from Banks	44,598.0	Due to Banks	199.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,515.25	Cashiers Checks outstanding	867.50
Current expenses	2,136.57	Time Certificates of Deposit	5960.00
Cash Items	7,857.51		
Cash on hand	30,455.77	Total	\$132,118.61
Total	\$132,118.61		

We study carefully the separate needs of our patrons, and shall be glad to have your account, promising every accommodation consistent with good banking.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

As Reported by

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 —and—
 Wholesale Grocers

Cotton sold in Greenville, 5 9-16

COTTON	NEW YORK		
	Opening	Noon	Close
March	5.95	5.95	5.95
May	6.02	6.02	6.01
August	6.12	6.12	6.11

WHEAT	CHICAGO.		
	Opening	Noon	Close
May	107½	107½	106½
July	112½	1105	1100
Sept	530	527½	525

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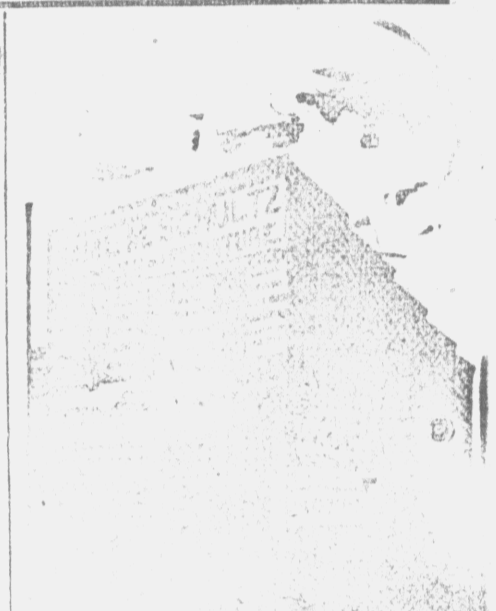
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