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Try to co-operate cheerfully in arranging the family expenses and share equally in only necessary self-denials and economies.

Try buying all that is necessary to work with skillfully, while adorning the house at first with simply what will render it comfortable.

Try to remember that it matters but little what "people think" provided you are true to yourselves, to right and duty, and keep your expenses within your means.

Nomination by The President.

Washington, April 14.—The president today sent the following nominations to the senate:

State—James B. Angell, of Michigan, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Turkey; George N. West, of the United States to Pictou, Nova Scotia.

War—George D. Meiklejohn, of Nebraska, to be assistant secretary of war.

To be commissioners of the District of Columbia—John B. Wright and John W. Ross.

A Great Man.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan attracts more attention from the American public than any other man in private life. Wherever he goes crowds gather to hear him, and shake his hand. Several State legislatures have had him address them, a mark of honor granted few. He is hailed in many quarters as the next President.

His popularity, instead of being on the wane, as is the usual case with defeated candidates, seems to be increasing all the time.—Charlotte News.

Died.

Mr. W. T. Haydn, of Washington City, died this morning at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. J. F. Boyd, four miles from Greenville. Mr. Haydn was a commercial traveler and one of the cleverest on the road. He married Miss Bessie Boyd in December, 1895.

The burial will take place in the Episcopal church yard here tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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The Snow Hill Railroad.

If Greenville is to have the railroad from Snow Hill our people should not be backward in the effort to secure it. While Snow Hill would naturally receive the most benefit by the road coming here, the REFLECTOR believes it would also be a benefit to Greenville. All the same it cannot be secured without an effort.

The Danger of Office.

The certainty that public service unfits men for other service, should move the rising young man of today to turn his eyes away from party politics, and refuse to suffer the desire of office to turn him aside from the straight course of a manly independent, self-supporting career. It will pay richly in the long run.—Biblical Recorder.

Bicycle Races.

There will be a series of bicycle races at Tarboro in May. Three of Greenville's wheelmen, W. I. Peider, G. J. Woodward and D. D. Overton, will participate in the races. Mr. Peider was at Tarboro Thursday and tells us there is still a great deal of work to be done on the track before it is in suitable condition for racing.

Better Take a Look.

The Telescope that has been exhibited for the last two evenings at the Market square has attracted a great deal of attention, many citizens availing themselves of the opportunity to take a survey of the heavens. The full Moon, the Giant Planet, Jupiter, with four moons, making his stately march through space, and beautiful Venus, now in the form of a new moon, are the objects of attraction. Venus sets soon and to be seen persons should be on hand early in the evening. This and tomorrow evening will be the only opportunity of looking through this fine instrument. The Telescope is worth seeing.

There is not a prospective new hat-wearer but who earnestly hopes this pretty weather will continue through Sunday.

Ben Williams, of Williams township, died on last Thursday, aged 86 years. He was a remarkably vigorous and industrious old man until a short time before his death; and until a year before his death he plowed and worked on his farm as actively as many men much younger.—Pittsboro Record.

Newspaper men are blamed for a lot of things they cannot help; such as using partiality in mentioning visitors, giving news about some folks and leaving out others, etc. They simply print the news they can find. An editor should not be expected to know the name and residences of your uncles, aunts and cousins, even if he should see them off on the train. Tell him about it. It's news that makes a newspaper, and every man, woman and child in the neighborhood could be associate editors if they would.—Ex.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 1897.

A NEW WAY TO CURE TOBACCO.

Dr. R. M. Norment told the Robesonian man a good story Saturday afternoon about a new method of curing tobacco. Last year a white man and a negro raised a crop of tobacco jointly. When the weed was ripe the white man cut his part first and put it in the barn to cure it. He cured by the latest and most approved methods, having a thermometer in the barn by which to test the temperature and keep it right. While the tobacco was being cured the colored man was an interested spectator of the proceedings and closely watched everything. He saw the white man go into the barn and consult his thermometer and then saw him take out or add to the wood in the furnace, as the case might be. In due time the tobacco was cured and taken away and the negro brought in his crop. The thermometer had been removed by the white man, but this did not at all frighten or discourage the darkey. He had only gotten a glimpse of it once in a while and came to the conclusion that it was a pair of draw balances. With this belief in his mind he procured other balances and hung them up where the thermometer was before. This done the fires were started and the curing began. Remembering what he had seen the white man do the darkey did likewise. He went inside the barn and consulted his balances to ascertain the temperature, added to or decreased the quantity of wood as he thought necessary and did everything else just as he had seen it done. Everything went off all right and his tobacco was finally taken away cured. Later on both men brought their tobacco to market and sold it. That of the white man, cured by the regulation process, brought 8 cents a pound, while that of the darkey sold for 14 cents a pound.

This is a true bill. Now who dares to say that the black man's method of curing is not the best? The Robesonian isn't enough of a farmer to give advice. It simply tells the story and lets others draw their own conclusions.—Lamoerton Robesonian.

Most people, and The Landmark along with them, have been under the impression that when the governor pardons a man out of the penitentiary the mere act of granting the pardon restored the subject to citizenship. A lawyer informs us that such is not the case. Thus the statement in a recent issue of this paper, made on authority considered perfectly reliable, that Gov. Russell was pardoning colored convicts just before their terms expired in order to restore them to citizenship proves to be an error. The Landmark never purposely does anybody an injustice and we make the correction gladly.—Statesville Landmark.

The drummer of this country is great. There are 18,000 of him, and he spends about \$300,000,000 a year helping the railroads, hotels, etc., to get along. We might get along without some institutions, but not without the festive and ubiquitous drummer.

When bilious or constipated, eat a Calcareo, candy cathartic, cure guaranteed 10c, 25c

ONE OF THEM.

Perhaps one more record of a venerated old Virginia "Mammy" may interest your readers. I need not dwell on her untiring care for and love to us little ones, and her faithfulness and devotion to my mother. My earliest recollections are of a large white table cloth spread upon the store room floor and our Mammy upon her knees before a large cone of white "loaf sugar," which with a stout knife and hammer she was cutting into little blocks for the sugar dish. If little lumps flew off on the floor it was ours to scramble for.

When the Union army surrounded us "Mammy" was the last to leave us. Only when her husband and children had all departed did she come in crying bitterly to kiss us all around "good bye." Her husband having threatened to get another wife if she loved the white folks better than him. When the Yankee soldiers crowded into her neat room they said to her "Old woman you are a fool to stay here and cook for these people (cook having gone), den't you know you are free?" "Umph!" she replied, "I didn't need for such as you to tell me I was free. I was free long 'fore you come here, the Lord Jesus Christ made me free from the law of sin and death. Now you go along 'bout your business and I'll tend to mine."

She had long been subject to severe sore throats which my mother always mopped and tended carefully, but soon after her husband took her to Washington she was taken sick with one of those attack and neglect made it fatal. She passed away bitterly regretting that she left her old home, saying: "Old miss would cured her." We shall surely meet her "up there" where she is in truth free from sin and washed white in the blood of the Lamb, among the faithful around His throne.—Ex.

A Matter of Buttons.

"Have you ever noticed," asked Snyder, the calculating barber, according to the Chicago Record, "the reckless extravagance shown by tailors in finishing a coat? Well, just take a look at your coat. On each sleeve you'll find three buttons which are absolutely unnecessary. Now, you may think that this is a trivial affair, but my figures prove the contrary. I calculate that in the United States there are probably 25,000,000 such coats in existence. With six buttons on each coat this makes a total of 150,000,000 buttons simply wasted. You've probably never stopped to consider the enormous number this is. Well, placed one on top of another in a single pile, they would make a stack 295 miles in height. Allowing a value of 5 cents per dozen, by my figures the money thus thrown away, if invested at 5 per cent, would yield an income of \$31,250 per annum. Surprising isn't it? No wonder people talk about hard times. But that's not all. According to my calculations the thread used in putting on the buttons, allowing two inches for each, would stretch once around the earth, with enough left over to reach from here to Carson City. The cost of this, at 4 cents a spool would be sufficient to pay a saloonkeeper's license for two years, with the bartender's salary thrown in. Now, we'll say that it takes three minutes to sew these buttons on. At this rate, by my figures, it would take 100 persons working ten hours a day, just three and one-half years to do the work. And the money expended in working the superfluous buttonholes in coat lapels would furnish the Cuban insurgents with gunpowder enough to blow up the whole island. Bay Rum?"

Why He Quit.

A professional gentleman who was accustomed to take his morning glass, stepped into a saloon, and going up to the bar called for whiskey. A seely individual stepped up to him and said, "I say, 'squire, can't you ask an unfortunate fellow to join you?" He was annoyed by the man's familiarity, and roughly told him, "I am not in the habit of drinking with tramps." The

tramp replied: "You need not be so cranky and high minded, my friend. I venture to say that I am of just as good a family as you are, have just as good education, and before I took to drink was just as respectable as you are. What is more, I always knew how to act the gentleman. Take my word for it, you stick to John Barleycorn and he will bring you to just the same place I am." Struck with his words, the gentleman set down his glass and turned to look at him. His eyes were bloodshot, his face bloated, his boots mismatched, his clothing filthy. "Then it was drinking that made you like this?" "Yes, it was; and it will bring you to the same if you stick to it." Picking up his untouched glass he poured the contents upon the floor and said, "Then it's time I quit," and left the saloon never to enter it again.—Classmate.

A Big Gold Find.

Frank Delk, of Jones Mine, Randolph county, was in town Monday and told the editor that A. B. Fuller, of Tabernacle township, found a thousand dollars in gold last Sunday morning. Saturday night Fuller dreamed of finding money at a certain spot on his plantation and Sunday morning he was so impressed with the dream that he took a mattock and went to the place he dreamed of and commenced to dig and at once found one thousand dollars in gold, consisting of 10, 20 and 30 dollar coins. The money is supposed to have been buried away more than a hundred years ago by some old miser. Fuller is no doubt the happiest man in Randolph county today.—Lexington Dispatch.

Baptists, See Here!

The Southern Baptist Convention meets this year in Wilmington, N. C., May 8th. Now, you want to go to this convention, and you also want to go in style and comfort. There is only one good first-class line from the South and Southwest to Wilmington, and that line is the Seaboard Air Line, which runs the finest and fastest trains in the South and makes the lowest rates of any railroad running from the South or Southwest. Don't be fooled into making your arrangements until you have consulted one of the Seaboard Air Line agents, who always esteem it a pleasure to serve you. B. A. Newland, General Agent Passenger Department, 6 Kimball house, Atlanta, Ga., will be glad to write you or call on you, or you can apply to any of the representatives of the Seaboard Air Line in any town or city. This is the official route. Do you want to go with your friends?

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The Bank of Greenville, GREENVILLE, N. C.

At the Close of Business March 9th, 1897.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$41,761.19	Capital stock paid in	\$23,000.00
Over Drafts	133,275	Surplus and Profits	2,332.66
Premium on Stock	1,000.00	Deposits subject to Check	\$5,691.14
Due from Banks	38,567.54	Due to Banks	732.36
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00	Cashiers Checks outstanding	863.34
Current Expenses	285.52	Time Certificates of Deposit	355.00
Cash Items	2,652.12		
Cash on hand	25,875.38	Total	\$112,974.50
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TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Nov. 15th 1896.	No. 23 Daily.			
	A. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Leave Weldon	11 55	9 14		
Ar. Roock Mt	1 00	10 9		
Lv Tarboro	12 12			
Lv Rocky Mt	1 00	10		5 45
Lv Wilson	2 05	11		6 20
Lv Selma	2 53			
Lv Fayetteville	4 36	1 17		
Ar. Florence	7 25			

	No. 49 Daily.			
	P. M.			A. M.
Lv Wilson	2 08			0
Lv Goldsboro	3 10			5
Lv Magnolia	4 16			0
Ar Wilmington	5 45			9 45

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

Dated Nov. 1, 1896.	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	
Lv Florence	8 40	7 41	
Lv Fayetteville	11 40	9 40	
Lv Selma	12 37		
Ar Wilson	1 20	11 35	

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily.
	A. M.	P. M.	
Lv Wilmington	8 25		7 00
Lv Magnolia	10 52		8 30
Lv Goldsboro	12 01		10 36
Ar Wilson	1 00		11 27
Lv Tarboro	2 48		

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily.
	P. M.		P. M.
Lv Wilson	1 20		10 32
Ar Rocky Mt	2 17		11 15

	No. 78 Daily.	No. 32	No. Daily.
	P. M.		P. M.
Ar Tarboro	4 00		11 11
Lv Tarboro			12 22
Lv Rocky Mt	2 17		
Ar Weldon			

A VALUABLE SHIRT.
It was a Relic of a Poker Game and Was Worth \$700.

"Talking about very expensive clothes," said a business man to a party of friends the other night, "I wore a shirt once that was worth \$700. I don't mean to say it cost any such amount of money, but it was worth \$700 to me, and I cashed it in for just that sum in gold and greenbacks."

An incredulous smile went around, and some stinging inquiries were passed as to what new brand of "hop" was on the market, but the speaker never flinched.

"Crack away, boys," he continued, "but when I come to explain the matter you will see that it is really a simple affair and something which might happen to any man who was similarly situated. One night in the fall of the World's fair year a party of six gentlemen, of whom I was one, was playing poker in a hotel on Dearborn street. As the night was warm and the room small and close all of us threw off our coats and played in our shirt sleeves. At first the game was light, the ante being a dime and the limit 50 cents. It was an all night session, and late in the evening the limit was raised to \$2, and money changed hands freely.

"My, how the cards did run that night! I have never had such luck since and can't reasonably expect a repetition of it. I would stand a raise and draw four cards to an ace in big jack pots and get two more with it. Once I picked up my hand and found three small cards and the ace and king of clubs. There was a fat pot to fight for, so I came in and, discarding the small cards, asked for a draw of three, at the same time turning my ace and king up on the table so all the players could see them. The draw gave me the queen, jack and ten of clubs, making a royal flush. There was a number of strong hands out against it, including one set of fours and a full.

"Everybody, of course, played me for holding an ordinary flush or a straight and thought I was burning up my money when I kept meeting all raises. I was too foxy to do any of the tilting myself. By simply meeting the raises it was easy to conceal the real strength of my own hand and make the other players think I had got tangled up to an extent where it was imperative to protect my interest in the pot against possible bluffing. When the play was over and the hands shown down, what a howl there was! One man, a good fellow and a clever card player, by the way, was so angry at what he called 'fool luck' that he tore up the cards and kicked his chair over.

"In settling up the man nearest to me reached over and wrote on my shirt front his IOU for his indebtedness. The example was contagious, and the other players followed him. The game lasted several hours longer, and as my run of luck held good and the losers continued to write their IOU's on my shirt that garment was soon covered with value memoranda. At the close of the play the shirt bore evidence of an indebtedness of \$700 due me by the five gentlemen with whom I had passed the evening.

"It was some days before any of them gave a sign of settling, and how I did guard that garment in the meantime! In those days I was fairly well fixed financially and had a safety deposit box in the vaults under the First National bank. The first thing I did when the game broke up was to put on a clean shirt and lock the \$700 garment carefully away in the vault. It was a week before all the debts were canceled. Every time one of my debtors came to the office to settle I would take him over to the safety deposit vault, unlock the box and erase the amount of his payment from the shirt. By the time the payments were all made the shirt was in pretty bad condition, but I kept it at home as a souvenir until housecleaning time last spring, when a fresh domestic, ignorant of its interesting history, used it to scrub windows, and one of the most valuable shirts ever worn by mortal man thus came to an ignoble end."—Chicago Tribune.

Cotton and Peanut.
Below are Norfolk prices of cotton and peanuts for yesterday, as furnished by Cobb Bros. & Commission Merchants of Norfolk.

COTTON.	
Good Middling	7 1/2
Middling	7 1/4
Low Middling	6 3/4
Good Ordinary	6 1-16
Tone—firm.	

PEANUTS.	
Prime	2
Extra Prime	2 1/2
"ancy	2 1/4
Spanish	60 to 75
Tone—quiet.	

Greenville Market.
Corrected by S. M. Schultz.

Wetter, per lb	15 to 25
Western Sides	15 1/2 to 16
Sugar cured Hams	10 to 12 1/2
Corn	40 to 50
Corn Meal	45 to 60
Flour, Family	4.25 to 5.75
Lard	5 1/2 to 10
Oats	35 to 40
Sugar	4 to 5
Coffee	17 to 20
Salt per Sack	75 to 1 5/8
Chickens	10 to 25
Eggs per doz	7 to 10
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Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Weldon 3.55 p. m., Halifax 4.10 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 4.55 p. m., Greenville 6.57 p. m., Kinston 7.45 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.25 a. m., Greenville 8.22 a. m. Arriving Weldon at 11.00 a. m., Weldon 11.30 a. m. except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 a. m., and 3.00 p. m., arrives Parmele 8.50 a. m., and 4.40 p. m., Tarboro 9.45 a. m., returning leaves Tarboro 3.30 p. m., Parmele 10.20 a. m., and 6.20 p. m., arrives Washington 11.50 a. m., and 7.10 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p. m., Sunday 3.00 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 9.00 P. M., 5.25 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 6.00 a. m., Sunday 9.30 a. m., arrive Tarboro 10.25 a. m. and 11.45

Train on Midland N. C. branch leaves Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 6.05 a. m. arriving Smithfield 7.30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 8.00 a. m., arrives at Goldsboro 9.30 a. m.

Trains on Latta branch, Florence R. R., leave Latta 6.40 p. m., arrive Dunbar 7.50 p. m., Cllo 8.05 p. m. Returning leave Cllo 6.10 a. m., Dunbar 6.30 a. m., arrive Latta 7.50 a. m., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 10 a. m. and 8.50 p. m. Returning leaves Clinton at 7.00 a. m. and 3.00 p. m.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points daily, all rail via Richmont, also at Rocky Mount with Norfolk and Carolina R. R. for Norfolk and all points North via Norfolk.

JOHN F. DIVINE,
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T. M. EMERSON, Traffic Manager,
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The Poets and Thunder.
Byron, in the third canto of "Childe Harold," describes a thunderstorm in Switzerland which occurred at midnight on June 13, 1816. He notices the awful stillness which precedes it:
All heaven and earth are still, though not in sleep,
But breathless,
until
From peak to peak, the rattling crags among,
Leaps the live thunder! Not from one lone cloud,
But every mountain now hath found a tongue,
And Jura answers, through her misty shroud,
Back to the joyous Alps, who call to her aloud!

The description is too long to quote, and, indeed, too well known, but Sir Walter Scott's criticism on it may not be so well known. He says:
"This is one of the most beautiful passages of the poem. The 'ferce and far delight' of a thunderstorm is here described in verse almost as vivid as its lightnings. The live thunder 'leaping among the rattling crags,' the voice of mountains, as if shouting to each other, the plashing of the big rain, the gleaming of the wide lake, lighted like a phosphoric sea, present a picture of sublime terror, yet of enjoyment, often attempted, but never so well, certainly never better, brought out in poetry."—Notes and Queries.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Fair tonight and Saturday, slightly cooler tonight.

THESE COME IN SHOWERS.

And You Get a New Sprinkling Every Evening.

Today is Good Friday.

Only two more days of lent.

Hay, Hulls and Meal at S. M. Schultz.

Our milliners are rushed fixing up hats for Easter.

Drummers continue to come around in large numbers.

Send your order for Easter flowers to Riverside Nurseries.

These are busy days with farmers and they are getting in much work.

What caused that scared look on Hugh Parham's face this morning?

Arbuckles Roasted Coffee, fresh, 15 cents a pound at S. M. Schultz.

"Silver Dollar" Fountain Pen, Parker make, at Reflector Book Store.

Fulton Market Beef and Chipped Beef just arrived at J. S. Tunstall's.

10,000 Ocean N. C. Cut Herrings just received and for sale by J. J. Cherry.

Advertising is like breathing. You can't do enough of it in a day to last a month.

Good Friday has been a good day sure. Prettier weather could not be wished for.

Today and tomorrow being holidays we have no New York and Chicago market reports.

The front of J. B. Cherry & Co's store, that was badly scorched in the late fire, is being repainted.

Riverside Nurseries has been filling many flower orders this week. Today a box was sent to New York.

The Wilkesboro Chronicle says the lands advertised for taxes in Wilkes county embrace over 182,000 acres.

A new line of Short Back Sailors, assorted colors, arrived yesterday and they will be offered very cheap.

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VOICE CULTURE.

Try on These Names and See How They Sound.

L. D. Ames returned to Portsmouth today.

Louis and Max Meyer went to Tarboro today.

J. H. Blount has been gradually growing worse through the day.

B. F. Sugg returned this afternoon from a trip through Greene and Wayne counties.

Miss Mary Kilpatrick, who spent a few days with Mrs. R. W. King, returned to Kinston Thursday evening.

Mesdames Jennie Savage and Carrie Burnett, of Tarboro, who were visiting Mrs. C. T. Muntord, returned home today.

Miss Mattie Abram, who has been spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. S. M. Schultz, returned to Rocky Mount today. Mrs. Schultz and children, May and Alfred, accompanied her home.

Latest Novelties in Hats, Ribbons and Flowers for Easter just received today. MRS. GEORGIA JAMES.

The firemen tested the engine Thursday night and it now works all right. It has been thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

Bo Cherry is leading the styles on clipped heads this season. He wants to get his scalp tough before flies become too numerous.

Cut Flowers for Easter. Extra fine lot of Roses and Carnations. Place orders at once. Phone 46.

RIVERSIDE NURSERIES.

Louis McGowan, an old colored man of this town, says he is 82 years old. Louis gets around as lively and can do as good a day's work as most of the younger darkies.

The lightning-bug is brilliant, But he hasn't any mind; He blunders through existence With his headlight on behind. —Chicago Record.

The bright weather is bringing the ants out of their winter quarters. The wood pavements along main street were fairly working with the winged insects this morning.

The working of county convicts on the public roads is a good thing, but it would be much better if such machinery was provided as could make the work done permanent.

Berks county, Pa., reports the death of a lady aged 106 who shortly before her death participated in the misty mazes of the waltz. This is a good year for nimble old people.—Wilmington Star.

The work just done around the depot is a great improvement. The yard has been covered with gravel to a depth of five inches and posts have been put up to keep hacks and drays at a safe distance from the waiting rooms and cars.

Your best judgment requires you to make an immediate provision for your family.

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"T'WAS EVER THUS.

A few days since an insurance agent accepted an invitation to inspect a new d beautiful house built by a friend. After taking a peep at the whole establishment from top to bottom, inquired—

"House insured?"

"Yes."

"What do you insure it for?"

"Because it MIGHT burn."

"Not SURE of it, are you?"

"No."

"Is your life insured?"

"No."

"Die, won't you?"

"Yes."

"Sure?"

"Yes."

"Then why not insure your life as well as your house?"

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