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ABOUT THE DISPENSARY.

Rev. L. L. Nash writes to the Raleigh Post an interesting letter about the dispensary system. Being widely known throughout North Carolina his letter will have force on the question of the dispensary system which is claiming general attention with the temperance people of the State.

We give his letter in full:

Editor of the Post: I have been all my life in favor of prohibiting the whiskey traffic; and I have given much thought to the question. While stationed at Fayetteville I had the opportunity of watching the effect of the dispensary law, and I have come to conclusion that this is about the best solution of the whiskey question, for the following reasons:

1. There is a natural demand for some spirituous liquors, and if this demand is not met in a lawful way it will be obtained unlawfully; and when there is a beginning made to get whiskey clandestinely there is no end to the unlawful traffic. For this reason absolute prohibition has not been a success.

The dispensary meets this demand in the best way possible, in my opinion. It puts the traffic in hands of officers of the law, and if good men are secured for commissioners, and a law-abiding dispenser is put in charge of the business, the evil may be kept under such restraint as to eliminate the worst features of the whiskey traffic.

2. The treating custom is broken up, and one of the worst evils of whiskey drinking is at once eliminated. It is all a mistake to say, as some do, that there is as much drinking done from a dispensary as there is in an open saloon. The open saloon, run day and night, with a back door easy of access on Sunday, is the worst evil that ever afflicted civilized society. It is a great gain to get rid of the social influence in the saloon, by which drunkards are made. If we can do away with this feature of the drink habit we have made a great gain. We do this in the establishment of the dispensary.

3. Night drinking, and sitting around a bar-room, is another source of evil that is broken up with the dispensary. That there are some who will buy whiskey and take it to their rooms, and drink it at night, I admit; but what I contend for is, the evil is greatly diminished. Reforms of all kinds must work slowly. We cannot eradicate long standing evils from society instantly, and it is wise political economy to work along on such lines as will yield the best general results. It is manifest to any unprejudiced observer, that the dispensary is a step in the direction of removing the evil of bar-room association and influence.

4. The dispensary removes the allpowerful incentive to pursue the whiskey traffic, by removing the temptation to go into the business to make money out of the traffic. I doubt if any man sells whiskey because he loves to debauch his fellow men. He does it for the money there is in it. Whatever profit there is in the business is made by the State under the dispensary system; and there is no incentive to press the business in the interest of anyone.

5. It removes the evil influence of the bar-room from the politics of

of the community. I have known communities so thoroughly dominated by whiskey sellers that a good man, who opposed the traffic could not have been elected dog-killer among them. The dispensary puts an end to this influence, and thereby tends to the purification of local politics.

6. The dispensary, properly managed, yields a larger revenue to the State than the license system; places the traffic under much better control; diminishes the drink habit, destroys much of the evil social influence of the open saloon, and stays to some extent the drunkard-making business. For these reasons our Legislature should give us a State dispensary law, and help the moral and religious force to do something in overthrowing this giant evil. L. L. NASH.
Washington, N. C., Jan 20, '99.

The Legislature.

On Thursday the following were among the bills introduced in the Legislature: To permit J. W. Wilson and S. O. Wilson, former Railroad Commissioners to sue the State for salary claimed by them. To establish a tax commission of three members to be appointed by the Governor. To impose a penalty of \$100 on telegraph companies for neglect or delay in transmitting and delivering messages. To prevent dealing in futures in North Carolina.

The legislature has decided to take charge of the penitentiary and ignore the appointment of Capt. Day as Superintendent. Two persons are prominently mentioned to succeed him, Messrs. Augustus Leazar and B. F. Aycock.

DON'T.

Don't try to climb over a barbed wire fence on crutches.

Don't think an indulgent husband always goes home full.

Don't linger at the bottom of the ladder. Either go up or down.

Don't insure your life and then proceed to work yourself to death.

Don't expect a coat of paint to cover a woman's age successfully.

Don't think a woman always achieves greatness when she gets a husband.

Don't think a man dwells next to the roof merely for the sake of the view.

Don't expect a girl to furnish proofs of her statement to the effect that she can't sing.

Don't lock the stable door after the horse is stolen. Possibly the thief may repent and bring it back.

Don't imagine that long hair will give the strength of Sampson, unless like Sampson, you have a head for it to grow on.

A Fight Over a Tobacco Bill.

H. B. 281, entitled "An act to protect buyers and sellers of leaf tobacco," was re-committed to the Judiciary Committee.

The bill is an unusual one, in that it makes the violation of a certain verbal contract a criminal action, punishable by fine or imprisonment. It provides that drummers for tobacco warehouses who offer tobacco growers a certain price for their tobacco before reaching the warehouse, for instance, and then fail or refuse to pay the amount stated after the load has been dumped on the warehouse floor, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than \$10 nor more than \$50, or imprisoned for thirty days, etc.

The shoe is made to fit both feet, and applies to the seller as well as the buyer, should he decline to accept the price agreed on.

Mr. Foushee, of Durham attacked the bill, and declared that it was a most extraordinary and dangerous one. That the violation of a contract in a case like this should be settled by a civil action just as other violations of contract are.

Mr. Davis of Franklin explained the object of his bill to be to cover the cases of unreliable drummers or agents of certain warehouses of none too good repute who would offer large prices and after the weed had been delivered on the warehouse floor would disappear, and the warehouseman proper would disclaim all liability, etc.

Messrs. Gilliam and others spoke against the passage of the bill, declaring it to be a vicious one. It was on motion, finally re-committed.—Raleigh Post.

THE OTHER PLACE.

TARBORO N. C. JAN. 26 1899.

MR. EDITOR:

We up here have no complaints to make. All places are filled with white men from bridge keeper to trash handler. We have no cheap John, negro, competition. If there was, no white man would get a job. X.

Fields & Hanson's Minstrels.

This company arrived here this morning from Kinston in their special car which was attached to the regular passenger train. Just before noon they gave a street parade and stopped at the Fourth and Evans streets crossing for a concert. They make good music and will have a large crowd in the opera house tonight. Nothing will be said or done to offend the most fastidious. Doors open at 7 o'clock, performance commences at 8 o'clock.

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FRIDAY, JANUARY 27, 1899.

All sorts of things are being told by the opponents of the Dispensary. For instance they say it will ruin the business of the town; it will ruin the Democratic party; it will split the white vote; you can't buy any whiskey, etc, etc, etc. And they know, or ought to know, that there is not a line of truth in any of these charges. Judging by the experience of Fayetteville, Louisburg, Waynesville and Monroe, it will improve the business of the town, rather than injure it. Whitemen are divided in opinion on all sorts of questions, yet the Democratic party has somehow managed to exist. Lastly the Dispensary is compelled by law to keep a full supply of all sorts of pure whiskey, and sell it at a fair price. And you can get it in any quantity from one-half pint to 4 gallons in sealed packages. The truth is that very little can be truthfully said against the Dispensary and the opponents of the measure have to invent such as seem to suit the occasion.

When a Girl Really Loves.

"When a girl is not as sure of her affection as she is of the sun in the heavens, it is well for her to pause to give herself all the benefit of the doubt," writes Helen Waterson Moody in the February Ladies' Home Journal. "She should wait until she is able to say with truth when she gives her word, 'I would rather be your wife than do or be anything else in the world.' If there is in the farthest corner of her heart one little doubt that the full revelation of love has come to her the chances are that it has not. This is not to say that doubts never arise in love. The happiest engagement in all the world is often not without a haunting fear attendant upon it. Indeed it often happens that two singularly honest and earnest young people have periods of exquisite self-torture during the engagement time, and the more mature and experienced they both are the more likely this is to happen, for then each sees more clearly than in early youth the perils that may come. Each realizes that though love is the greatest solvent of difficulties it is not the only one—that there are sure to be the gravest strains upon human nature in the delicate adjustments of married life. One may be able to trust one's self in the great crises of life, but it is the pettiness of every-day life that lays bare one's besetting sins. A sensitive girl dreads, as cares increase, that the romance may de-

part, that the husband may sometime come to find the smaller and less brilliant world in which the home-keeping wife dwells commonplace and sordid. The true-hearted lover fears that in some sudden blindness he may blunder into wounding the tender sensibilities that seem so exquisitely dear to him now. Often each dreads that he or she, or both together, may prove inadequate in the plain, practical, every-day affairs of life."

ELECTION LAW OUTLINED.

The Main Features Fixed by the Committee.

The main features of the election law to be recommended to this Legislature have been practically determined on by the sub-committee having the matter in charge. The election machinery. The nature of the ballot. The right of the elector to vote. These are, broadly speaking, the features that have engaged the most careful attention and regarding which a decision has been reached by the committee.

There will be chosen by this Legislature a State Board of Elections composed of either five, or seven persons, most probably five, that will perform the duties usually intrusted to such bodies and will serve for two years. The State board of elections will appoint for each county a county board of elections to be composed of three persons.

The county board or elections will appoint at each precinct a board of elections composed of one registrar and two poll-holders.

All vacancies in the offices of registrar and poll-holder will be filled by the county board of elections except such as may occur on election day, these will be filled by the precinct board.

The most stringent regulations will be adopted to prevent the registration and voting of imported negroes or others not justly entitled to vote. There will be no voting of non-residents and convicts. The burden of proof will be shifted from the challenger to the would-be elector, compelling every man who offers to register to show that he is a qualified elector and actual bona fide resident of the precinct where he would cast his vote. This will work no hardship to the qualified voter but will effectually bar the person who is not qualified. The counties along the border where, under the present law, negroes from Virginia and South Carolina have been wont to come over on election day and vote as they would go to a horse race or a dog fight will be protected.

The separate ballot will be adhered to, the committee not deeming the blanket ballot suited to conditions in this State. The ballots will be of uniform size, color and weight and will be entirely devoid of device. These details will be left to the State Board of Elections which will prescribe the ballot to be used; the ballot itself being furnished as heretofore by the parties or candidates.

Separate boxes bearing the names of the candidates will be provided and the voter will be allowed to put his ballot in the box for himself though he may, if he so desires, ask the election officers to deposit the ballot for him. All ballots deposited in the wrong box will be thrown out as under the present law.

The State Board of Canvassers will be composed of the State Board of Elections together with the Governor and Secretary of State.

These are the outlines of the law as decided upon at the meeting last night by the sub-committee composed of Senator Glenn, chairman of the Senate committee on Election

Laws, Representative Stubbs, chairman of the similar House committee and Representative Francis D. Winston.—Raleigh News and Observer.

Teaching Children Good Manners.

Good manners cannot be learned in a moment. There are certain forms which society has agreed people must conform to if they wish to appear well bred, and these are often not at all what the natural inclination would prompt one to do under the circumstances. Children must be taught these conventions, and we must not be surprised if they are sometimes slow in learning them, nor despair if after much teaching they at times relapse into native barbarism. Patient perseverance in training them will at last produce the desired result. The constant repetition that seems soirksome, combined with the silent force of daily example, will effect the end in view—a well-bred child.—February Ladies Home Journal.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA.

TO GAIN FLESH, TO SLEEP WELL, TO KNOW WHAT APPETITE AND GOOD DIGESTION MEAN.

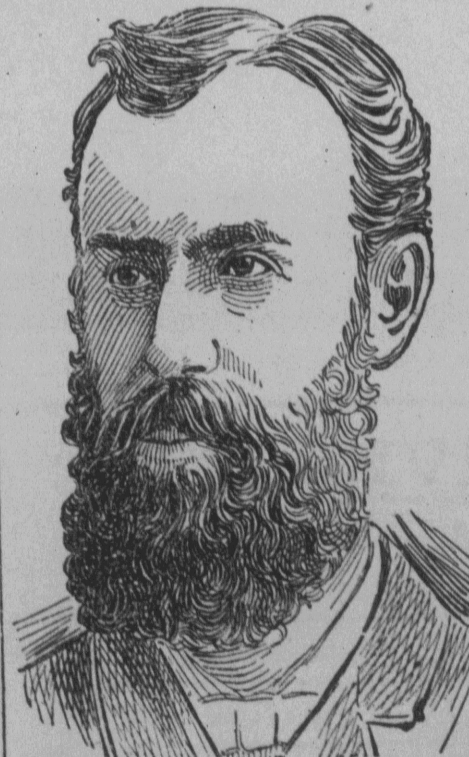
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PROF. HENRY W. BECKER, A. M.

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NOTICE.

Application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina to amend the charter of the town of Farmville and the repeal of all laws now standing on the Statute books inconsistent therewith.

A. HORTON,
W. M. LANG,
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DAILY No. 40—Passenger—Due Wilmington 7:15 p. m. Norfolk 8:50 p. m. Warsaw 9:11 p. m. Goldsboro 10:10 p. m. Wilson 11:06 p. m. Tarboro 6:45 a. m. Rocky Mount 11:57 p. m. Weldon 10:05 a. m. Petersburg 3:14 a. m. Richmond 4:06 a. m. Washington 7:41 a. m. Baltimore 9:08 a. m. Philadelphia 11:25 a. m. New York 2:03 a. m. Boston 9:00 p. m.

DAILY No. 50—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4:13 p. m. New Bern Sunday 5:40 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND.

DAILY No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 4:56 p. m. Chadbourne 5:28 p. m. Marion 6:34 p. m. Florence 7:15 p. m. Sumter 9:32 p. m. Columbia 10:50 a. m. Denmark 6:12 a. m. August 7:55 a. m. Macon 11:15 a. m. Atlanta 12:35 p. m. Charleston 10:50 p. m. Savannah 1:50 a. m. Jacksonville 7:30 a. m. St. Augustine 1:20 a. m. Tampa 6:5 p. m.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON-

FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 44—Passenger—Boston P. M. 1:03 p. m. New York 9:00 p. m. Philadelphia 12:05 a. m. Baltimore 2:50 a. m. Washington 4:30 a. m. Richmond 9:05 a. m. Petersburg 10:00 a. m. Norfolk 11:50 a. m. Tarboro 12:21 p. m. Rocky Mount 1:14 p. m. Weldon 2:20 p. m. Goldsboro 3:05 p. m. Warsaw 3:30 p. m. Magnolia 4:12 p. m.

DAILY No. 41—Passenger—Leave 9:30 A. M. Boston 12:00 night, New York 9:30 a. m. Philadelphia 12:03 p. m. Baltimore 2:25 p. m. Washington 3:46 p. m. Richmond 7:20 p. m. Petersburg 9:12 p. m. Norfolk 2:20 p. m. Weldon 9:43 p. m. Tarboro 3:00 p. m. Rocky Mount 5:46 a. m. Leave Wilson 6:22 a. m. Goldsboro 7:01 a. m. Warsaw 7:53 a. m. Magnolia 8:05 a. m.

DAILY No. 51—Passenger—Leave except New Bern 9:00 a. m. Jacksonville 10:26 a. m. This train Sunday 12:15 P. M. arrives at Walnut street.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 44—Passenger—Leave 12:20 P. M. Tampa 8:10 a. m. Sanford 3:07 p. m. Jacksonville 8:00 p. m. Savannah 1:45 night. Charleston 6:23 a. m. Columbia 7:45 a. m. Atlanta 7:50 a. m. Macon 9:00 a. m. Augusta 2:30 p. m. Denmark 4:17 p. m. Sumter 6:16 a. m. Florence 8:55 a. m. Marion 3:34 p. m. Chadbourne 10:38 a. m. Lake Waccamaw 11:09 a. m.

Train on Scotland Neck branch leaves Weldon 4:15 p. m., Halifax 4:30 p. m., arrives Scotland Neck at 5:16 p. m. Greenville 6:57 p. m., Kinston 7:55 p. m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:50 p. m., Greenville 8:52 a. m. Arriving all x at 11:18 a. m., Weldon 11:33 a. m. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington branch leave Washington 8:20 a. m., and 2:30 p. m. Arrives Parmele 9:10 a. m., and 4:00 p. m. Returning leave Parmele 9:35 a. m., 6:50 p. m. arrive at Washington 11:00 a. m. and 7:20 p. m. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. daily except Sunday, at 5:30 p. m., Sunday 4:15 P. M. Arrive Plymouth 7:40 P. M., 6:10 p. m. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7:50 a. m., Sunday 9:00 a. m. arrive Tarboro 10:45 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mt at 4:30 p. m. arrive Nashville 5:05 p. m. Spring Hope 5:30 p. m. Returning leave Spring Hope 8:00 a. m. Nashville 8:35 a. m. arrive Rocky Mt 9:05 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Train on Midland N. C. branch leave Goldsboro daily, except Sunday, 7:13 a. m. arriving Smithfield 8:30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield 9:00 a. m., arrive at Goldsboro 10:25 a. m.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw 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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I wish I could speak so that every man, woman and child, in North Carolina could hear, that I might tell them what Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy and Wash did for me and mine. I advised one of my friends who had been a terrible sufferer for a long time, with nurses sore mouth. She used the Remedy and Wash, and it soon made a cure.

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Roxboro, Peison Co., Oct. 8, 1898.

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CATHOLIC.—No regular services.

EPISCOPAL.—Sunday-school 9:30 a. m. W. B. Brown, superintendent.

METHODIST.—Services every Sunday, morning and evening. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor. Sunday school 3 p. m. W. F. Harding, superintendent.

PRESBYTERIAN.—Services third Sunday, morning and evening. Rev. J. B. Morton, pastor. Sunday-school 3 p. m. J. R. Moore superintendent.

LODGES.

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

I. O. O. F.—Covenant Lodge, No. 17. Meets every Tuesday evening. W. F. Burch, N. G. D. D. Overton, Sec.

K. of P.—Tar River Lodge, No. 93, meets every Friday evening. Dr. E. A. Moye, Jr., C. C. H. A. White, K. of R. and S.

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

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EVERY American teacher possessing a library, and many that do not possess one, will be interested in the announcement of the history of the late war with Spain, now published by the REVIEW OF REVIEWS COMPANY. Much of the narrative was written by Dr. Albert Shaw during the actual fighting of the summer. This has been revised and amplified by him in the light of the official reports and documents, which have only become available after hostilities ceased. A free quotation from the critical Congressional debates and other public utterances at crucial periods aids in making this work what it is, the standard reference history of this decisive and successful struggle. But it is much more than a lively and comprehensive narrative. It goes back to the years of struggle in Cuba which prepared the way for the war; it discusses energetically all problems which confronted the United States after the war as to the Philippines, Cuba, and Porto Rico; and as a whole it forms a broadly conceived picture of the year which has seen America brought face to face with new world duties.

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Safely always in the waves of men.

Once his, the wren in his place him not
At least he would not, it would take wing
He would be the wren in his hand
The bird in his hand, lonely thing.

Night he would not be touched with wind and dew
(A wren in his hand in the dim moon-shine)
A rose that at the window grew—
And in that garden song divine.

His eyes were saved from their sleep
The wren in his hand with rapture lit.
Their pale young mother hid to weep
Their father did not care a whit.

He only need the intrusted wall
From that wren in his hand overhead
'My wren is not a wren in a cage'
'I'll wren in his hand throat!' he said
—Sarah Platt in Century

WHAT A WORK IS MAN!

The Human Body the Most Wonderful Thing in the World.

Human beings are of all sizes, but the tall man is less common than the short. Only one in every 208 exceeds the height of six feet. For every foot of stature a man should weigh from 26 to 28 pounds, a proportion that is not the lot of all in these hurrying, scurrying days. An average sized man weighs 140 pounds; a woman 125 pounds. Curiously enough, the mean weight and height of lunatics are below those of sane people. Another unexpected thing in this respect is that a negro's skeleton weighs more than that of an Englishman.

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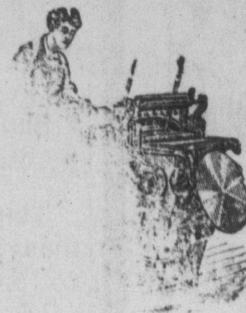
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Items That Go Without Heads.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. The markets continue to hold up. Fields & Hanson's Minstrels tonight. Daughters of Rebekah meet tonight. The weather feels like there is something in it. Greenville folks are getting ready to vaccinate. I pay cash for Hides, Furs, Eggs and Turkeys.

SAM'L M. SCHULTZ.

Show your colors and sign the petition for the Dispensary.

The academy boys had holiday today, Prof. Ragsdale having to go to Raleigh.

Hecker's Flap Jack Flour, for Flap Jacks and Muffins, at J. S. Tunstall's.

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Dr. Hyatt will be in Greenville at the King House Monday, January 30th, for the purpose of examining and treating diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat.

COMERS AND GOERS.

One Thing and Another Keeps Them Moving.

C. S. Carr left this morning for Baltimore. E. B. Ficklen left this morning for Virginia. Capt Charlie Hancock, of the Raleigh Post, was here today. Solicitor L. I. Moore returned from Nashville Thursday evening. W. S. Greer, of Baltimore, spent last night here and left this morning.

Miss Helen Perkins returned Thursday evening from a visit to Washington.

Miss Sallie Pender, of Tarboro, arrived Thursday evening to visit Mrs. W. L. Brown.

Claude Hunter, a Danville tobaccoist who was here for a few days, left Thursday evening.

Rev. A. W. Setzer left this morning for Plymouth to attend the meeting of the Roanoke Union.

Prof. W. H. Ragsdale left this morning for Raleigh to attend a meeting of the executive committee of the Teachers' Assembly.

PUNGO ITEMS.

PUNGO N. C. Jan. 26th 1899. Mr. Lewis Latham, of Pantego, was thrown from his cart last Wednesday, 18th, and his back was broken. He died Thursday night. He was a very good man and prominent in business and church circles in Pantego. We extend sympathy to his family.

The J. L. Roper Lumber Co., is running a railroad through the river swamp getting lumber out.

Fire Near Quinerly.

A tenant house on the Green place, three miles from Quinerly and near the line of Pitt and Craven counties, was burned Wednesday. Fire rolled down on the floor while the occupants of the house were in the cotton patch. Jane Stephens, colored, and family lost everything they had.

Not much more of it—January.

Today THE REFLECTOR goes to Porto Rico.

While other men are striving to reach the head of their professions the chiroprapist evidently believes in sticking at the foot.

NOTICE.

Application will be made to the present General Assembly of North Carolina for the passage of a Stock law for that portion of Pitt County lying along Tar River on the South side of same—beginning at the Greenville Fence Boundary and running West towards the Edgecombe county line. Greenville, N. C. Jan. 11th 1899.

TO-DAY'S MARKETS.

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NEW YORK COTTON.

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March	6.14	6.18	5.12	6.13
May	6.21	6.25	6.20	6.20
August	6.25	6.29	6.28	6.25

LIVERPOOL.

Opening.	Close.	Tone.
3 16	3 18	Firm

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Opng.	High	Low	Close
Tobacco.	146½	147½	146½
Sugar.	132½	134½	133½
B. R. T.	93½	94½	93

CHICAGO MARKET.

Wheat.	Op'n'g	High	Low	Close.
May	77½	78½	77½	78½
Ribs	522½	525	520	525

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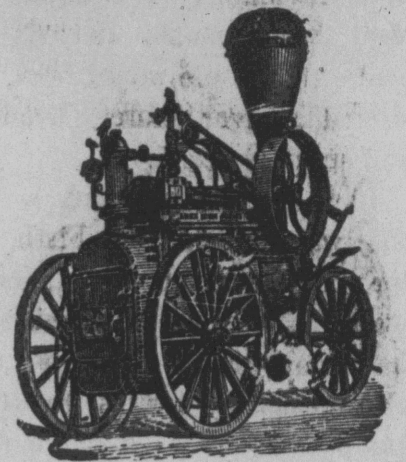
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Resources.	Liabilities.
Loans and Discounts : \$77,330.42	Capital stock paid in : \$23,000.00
Overdrafts : : : : 5,668.24	Surplus Fund : : : : 742.81
Due from Banks : : : : 25,031.03	Undivided Profits less
Furniture and Fixtures : 1,540.85	Expenses paid : : : : 2,125.32
Cash Items : : : : 19,775.12	Deposits subject to chk : 112,442.10
Cash : : : : 19,247.42	Due Banks : : : : 479.57
	Cashiers' chks outstanding 2,303.28
	Bills payable : : : : 7,500.00
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