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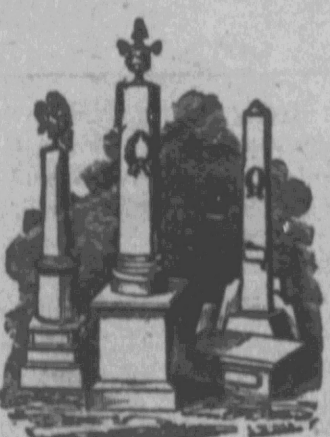
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THE TEACHERS AT WINTERVILLE.

Second Week of the Institute Shows Increased Interest.

The present week has been marked by increased interest in the work of the summer school now being held at Winterville. The enrollment at the beginning of this, second week, has reached one hundred and twenty. The total enrollment will evidently go as high as one hundred and forty.

No day so far has been so filled with work and prospects of better results than last Tuesday. Besides the regular work of the day, two extra sessions were held—one at 4 o'clock and another at 8:30 o'clock p. m. These two periods were given over entirely to representatives of the "Woman's Association for the Betterment of Public School House and Grounds." Misses Lelah D. Jones and Viola Boddie, of the State Normal and Industrial College, and Mrs. R. R. Cotten, of Pitt, one of the district's presidents of the association, were present.

At the afternoon session the work of the association was thoroughly explained by these three ladies and an enrollment of members of the association taken. At night Mrs. Cotten and Miss Boddie read magnificent papers upon the education work and problems now confronting us. Miss Jones talked interestingly of the work in this state. A county organization was then perfected by the election of the following officers: President, Mrs. Jno. D. Cox, of Winterville; Vice-President, Miss Leroy Mooring, of Whichard; Secretary, Miss Bessie Harding, of Greenville; Treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Manning, of Ayden. The following executive committee was also elected: Mrs. R. R. Cotten, Misses Bertha Dawson, Delia Smith, Maggie Nelson, Myrtle Wilson, and Daisy Carmoa.

The crowd at the night meeting was the largest yet had and much enthusiasm was manifested in the work of these ladies. They know how to do their work well, and right well did they do it at these meetings. The enrollment of the organization reached seventy the first night of its existence.

Through the kindness of Mr. J. L. Jackson each recitation room has been supplied with an electric bell which dismisses and calls together each section.

No one ever saw better work than is being done by these teachers. It is inspiring to see how earnestly they are prosecuting their studies. The educational interests of the county must of necessity receive a great uplift from the work of this institute. The men in charge of the work are doing honest, faithful services and each seems specially fitted for the part assigned him.

Rev. B. W. Spilman will address the teachers tonight. It will pay to hear him.

In Raleigh a one-year-old child was chewing a piece of beef steak and fell over into a tub of water. The beef lodged in the child's throat and prevented it from drowning.

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

When the stomach is overloaded; when food taken into it that fails to digest it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucus, instead of the natural juices of digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach. For years I suffered with Catarrh of the Stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. E. Rhea, Coppell, Tex. Sold by Wootens Drug Store.

Tucker-Nobles.

Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock at the elegant country home of Mrs. J. J. Nobles, six miles from Greenville, her daughter, Miss Margaret E. Nobles, and Mr. Leon W. Tucker were married by Elder M. T. Lawrence.

At the appointed hour for the ceremony the wedding march was played by Miss O. B. Bain, of Spring Hope. The bridegroom entered the parlor with his best man, Mr. J. S. Mooring, and the bride with her sister and maid of honor, Miss Lucy Nobles.

A few friends were present to witness the marriage and partake of the bounteous wedding supper that followed.

Mr. Tucker is the efficient deputy sheriff of the county, and his bride is one of Pitt's most charming young ladies and a sister of Dr. J. E. Nobles, of Greenville.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker came to Greenville today and will for the present make their home at Mr. T. R. Moore's, in South Greenville.

Mayor's Court.

Mayor H. W. Whedbee has disposed of the following cases in his court since last report:

Ed. Fleming and Frank Hopkins, affray. Fleming fined \$2, Hopkins fined \$1, total \$7.15.

William Whitaker, drunk and down on street, fined \$1 and costs, total \$3.30.

Sephus Sutton, drunk and down on street, fined \$1 and cost, total \$3.40.

Oscar Haskins using profane language on the street, fined \$1 and cost.

Hattie Robbins and Nora House, affray, fined \$1 each and one half cost each, total \$5.25.

John A. Wilson, disorderly conduct, fined \$1 and cost, total, \$3.35.

Bob McGowan, assault fined \$1 and cost, \$4.25.

Alex Bailey, disorderly conduct, fined \$1 and costs, total, \$3.30.

Two Rapists to Hang.

Petersburg, Va., July 29.—Two negroes who were arrested a few days ago at Chase City on the charge of attempting criminal assault on Mrs. C. E. Goeghegan have been convicted and today were sentenced by Judge Holmes to be hanged on the 2nd of September. The feeling against the prisoners was such that it was necessary to have a military company present at the trial. Today the two men were brought here under guard.

Fast Work.

For evidence of fast work in putting up buildings you should see the tobacco warehouses of Joyner & Dail, Parham & Parham and Brinkley & Hooker. The first two named will be ready to sell tobacco at the opening of the market, and it will be but a short while before the other will be ready for business.

Mr. Joseph W. Folk, the St. Louis lawyer who has made a reputation as wide as the boundaries of the continent by his fearless running to earth of the Missouri legislative boodlers, is a native of Bertie county, this state, and a graduate of Wake Forest College. They turn out men with high ideals of righteousness and courage of conviction in this famous Tar Heel Baptist college.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The house occupied by Dr. T. T. Hay, at Raleigh, was struck by lightning during a storm early Tuesday morning and set on fire. The building and most of the contents were destroyed.

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Silk Mulls, all colors, was 40c, now 25c.
Mercerized Pebble Cloths, was 30c., now 20c.
Mercerized Chambray, was 25c., now 15c.

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THURSDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 30 1903.

A CHANCE FOR GREENVILLE TO MAKE GOOD.

The board of aldermen will probably order an election to take the sense of the voters of this town as to issuing bonds to the amount of \$15,000 for exchange for second mortgage bonds of the Raleigh & Pamlico Sound railroad. We earnestly hope the proposition will carry. Greenville ought to show its faith in the enterprise to this extent. There is no question but that the road will be of great benefit to this entire county. The lack of it has cost us many thousands of dollars in the past, as well as kept away from us many enterprises that do not care to place themselves at the mercy of a railroad having a complete monopoly.

Now, good people, get together and push this thing through. Don't howl about increase in taxation, when the probabilities are that there will not be a cent of increase. The tax on the railroad's property in this county, together with the one per cent. advantage in interest, will equal the interest on our bonds. So you have no excuse whatever for talking about increase in taxation.

The plans agreed upon may not suit everybody—indeed, if they did we would need no railroad—we would soon sprout wings and fly to Raleigh. But the project is for the ultimate good of every town and community on the line, and it ought to meet with encouragement on every hand.

We have received from the Ennis Publishing Co., Raleigh, a copy of Ennis' court calendar for North Carolina, from July 1st, 1903, to Dec. 31st, 1904. It gives the dates of all courts to be held in that time, the name and postoffice address of all court and county officials, and much other useful information about courts. The calendar is 20 pages and sells for 50 cents.

The Greensboro man who mailed \$70 loose in a letter to the internal revenue collector's office in Raleigh, which letter and \$70 have not been heard from since mailed, is doing a little wondering on his own account. What he would like to know is who got that money.

General Cassius M. Clay boasted that he could "trace his ancestry back to the dawn of history," but failed to specify the tribe of monkeys from which he descended.

Scientists state that the head of the Borelli comet is 7,500 miles in diameter. Borelli must have kept his comet up late at night with an assortment of high balls.

The man who loses his money generally loses his friends, and ought to be glad to get rid of the average friend.

Riding on the Southern railway is worse than going to war.

The lawyers denounce lycheing. It eliminates their fees.

As might have been expected there is conflict among the cardinals as to who shall succeed the pope? There are numerous aspirants.

J. Pierpont Morgan indulges in a little profanity occasionally, but that is one thing he will not be able to corner.

He who hesitates may be lost, but he who does not count the cost is apt to be the lost also.

As the preachers begin to take their vacations the devil begins to see where he comes in at.

THE STATE PRESS

Those who do not want four more years of Theodore had better make up their minds to vote the democratic ticket early and often.—Durham Herald.

The negroes may hold conventions and pass resolutions, and the north may rear and snort, but conditions in the South are going to remain pretty much as they are, at least until the white people desire a change.—Durham Herald.

On Sunday night July, 26, 1903, Robert William's wife, colored, of Mingo township, gave birth to three fine well developed coon's, two boys and one girl. She is about 40 years old and has given birth to ten children before. This is an unusual thing in this community. They are all living and doing well.—Dunn Guide.

The Wilmington (N. C.) Messenger, having come out for Ex-Senator Matt Ransom for vice-president on the Democratic ticket, the Charlotte Observer, although it doubts whether the party will come down this way for a second man, moves that if the lightning does strike South it be Cleveland and Ransom. It's a cold day when the Observer misses an opportunity to give Cleveland a send-off. Now it's the Index-Appeal's turn.—Richmond News-Leader.

The Future of Cotton.

Mr. Ashley Horne, of Johnson county, recently gave utterance to the opinion that the cotton crop of this country cannot be large again. Scarcity of labor and the uncertainty of holding contracts with those who can be hired and many other influences enter into the chances against a large cotton crop any more. The present outlook for cotton is that it will be a good price the coming season. The first bale of the year was sold in New York a few days ago at twenty six and a half cents per pound; but of course we cannot hope for anything like that price for the crop. There is every indication, however, that the price of cotton will rule high this year, and a little prudence in selling will almost certainly secure good prices for all. Of course no one can tell what will be the yield of the cotton crop in North Carolina this year; but whether it be large or small, the price will almost certainly be good.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

On a Summer Evening.

'Twas dark upon the balcony,
I knew not what I did,
The moon (may be conveniently)
Behind a cloud was hid.
I only know, lured on by charms
Quite dear to any man,
I pressed a shirt-waist in my arms
And kissed a coat of tan.
—Tom Mason, in Life.

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249 pairs of Boys' and Girls' Sam-
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White Envelopes, per pack 3c.

Good Needles, per paper, 3c.

Ladies Semmer Vests, only 5c.

Linen Towels, extra size, 10c.

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If the citizens of this or any other town want to turnover their earnings to the manipulators of the stock market, that is their business.—Durham Herald.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

SCHEDULES
AUGUST 5th, 1902.

No. 58	Daily Except Sunday	No. 59
7:30 a m	Lv Kinston Ar	6:45 p m
8:30 a m	" Greenville "	6:47 p m
9:05 a m	" Farme "	5:07 p m
10:00 a m	" Hobeood "	4:27 p m
11:00 a m	Ar Pender Lv	3:35 p m
11:20 a m	" Weldon "	3:15 p m
1:00 p m	Ar Norfolk Lv	9:00 a m
6:44 p m	Ar Petersburg Lv	7:47 a m
7:45 p m	" Richmond "	9:05 a m
1:40 p m	" Washington "	4:30 a m
7:15 a m	" New York "	9:25 p m

FLORIDA.

	35	23
Lv Rocky Mount	10:37 p m	1:05 p m
Ar Columbia		10:55 p m
" Augusta	8:25 a m	
" Charleston	6:17 a m	11:15 p m
" Savannah	8:32 a m	3:00 a m
" Jacksonville	1:15 p m	8:30 a m
" Tampa	10:00 p m	7:10 a m
" Thomasville		10:50 a m
" Montgomery		6:20 p m

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2. Beaufort	59/22. Morehead City	45
3. Boydton	50/24. Nashville	30
4. Buffalo Springs	50/24. New Berne	30
5. Burlington	55/25. Newport	40
6. Chapel Hill	50/26. Oxford	45
7. Chase City	55/27. Plymouth	30
8. Clarksville	50/28. Raleigh	45
9. Dunn	45/29. Roanoke Rapids	40
10. Durham	50/30. Rocky Mount	30
11. Enfield	30/31. Scotland Neck	30
12. Franklinton	45/32. Selma	40
13. Greensboro	75/33. Smithfield	40
14. Goldsboro	80/34. Spring Hope	35
15. Hamilton	25/35. Tarboro	25
16. Haw River	65/36. Wake Forest	45
17. Henderson	45/37. Warrenton	45
18. High Point	80/38. Weldon	40
19. Kinston	25/39. Wilson	30
20. Littleton	40/40. Winston	30

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A SURGICAL OPERATION

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It is always an era of hard times with the shiftless man.

CATARH OF THE STOMACH.

When the stomach is overloaded; when food taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucus membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucus, instead of the natural juices of digestion. This is called Catarrh of the Stomach. For years I suffered with Catarrh of the Stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. R. Rhea, Coppell, Tex. Sold by Wooten's Drug Store.

Love makes the wise man foolish and the fool completely daffy.

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FARMVILLE CORRESPONDENCE.

FARMVILLE, N. C., July 27, 1903.

The exceedingly dry weather makes us fat folks suffer from extreme heat, but in the language of the Irish poet "we must take the weather as it comes." So, under hot tension we will proceed to say our little say to the many readers of THE REFLECTOR who may look at the Farmville department of our paper.

Of the many things which engage the attention of our people, education and the prospects of the Raleigh & Pamlico railroad being built through our town, seem to be paramount. There is diversity of opinion as to the most practical route. "The longest pole gets the persimmon" is a very true saying in regard to railroads. We have noticed of late years, that when an enterprise of this kind is begun, several lines are run, inducements are thrown out to different sections, and that section which pays the most money, all thinks else being equal, gets the railroad. Looking at this venture from a business standpoint, and taking into consideration the fact that the citizens of the sections through which the road will run, either as private subscription, or by voting a tax by township or county, pay in just enough to get the road under way, and then the promoters of this enterprise place the road under heavy mortgage bonds to secure the payment of its completion. The question arises in the mind of the writer, cannot a road of the comparative short length from Raleigh to Washington, via Wilson, Farmville and Greenville, be built by the money of the wealthy and individual citizens of the large cities and growing towns through which this road will run? We know that all interests are crippled and handicapped by a heavy debt hanging over them and the official members look in vain for the profits to pay interest and eventually liquidate the principal in a given length of time. All such ventures, if our memory serves us right, have proven signal failures, and, although the charter of the road, I think, reads "that this road shall never be sold or become consolidated with any of the large railroad corporations"—still if a road is under mortgage, and these mortgage bonds are authorized by the general assembly, the provision in the charter cannot prevent the road from being sold, should the bonds not be paid at the time of maturity and the road would pass into the hands of another road, which would buy this road for about its indebtedness and then the general assembly's act forbidding the road becoming a part of any other corporation will be void.

I write these impressions because we have seen these transactions of a like character, as mentioned above, carried out, with loss to the original stock holders.

Now, as there is surplus money owned by business men all along this contemplated route, why do not these men, if they have any faith in this road, subscribe enough together with what amounts can be secured by township or county subscription and when the road is completed there will not be a dollar of indebtedness upon it! No dark shadow of foreclosure, which weighs like a hydra-headed monster on every business that is encumbered by a heavy mortgage.

The promoters of this road should visit every objective point on this contemplated line, and find out what every man will do to insure the road to his place and if these places as towns, counties or individual citizens do their pro-rata part in the expense of building, why try other places and other routes, and it is the opinion of many that the road can be built and be put in operation free from debt.

Let every town, city, village, township, and county do its proportionate part and the road will be built very soon. In our next we desire to write of the sections through which this road will pass if sufficient inducements are offered, of the many products looking for a remunerative market, and the manufacturing interests as well.

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An Intended Sacrifice

(Original.)

Vera was a young Russian girl who if she did not belong to the peasant class was not far above it. Alexis Demidoff, the son of a wealthy gentleman who lived in the same province as Vera, met her one day while he was hunting, and an intimacy sprang up between the two young people which ended in love. When Alexis' father heard of the attachment he forbade his son ever to speak to the girl again under pain of being disinherited. This naturally led to secret meetings.

One afternoon Vera went to the wood to meet Alexis by appointment. She waited a long while at the trysting place, but her lover did not come. Fearing some misfortune, she walked toward the Demidoff home. She had gone but a short distance when she saw Alexis' horse nipping the grass beside the road. Then her eye rested on his master lying near by. The horse had thrown him, giving him a broken arm and a sprained ankle.

As soon as Vera came up the two consulted as to what should be done. Vera proposed to mount the horse and ride for help, but the animal refused to be caught and ran back toward the Demidoff estate. Vera did what she could to make her lover comfortable. Then night came on.

Presently they heard a distant bark. Vera, who was holding her lover in her arms with his hand in hers, gave a convulsive clutching of her fingers. Both knew the sound to be the baying of a wolf.

It was far distant, but it reminded them that there were other wolves scattered through the wood. Indeed, it was not long before they saw within a stone's throw two eyes glaring like coals of fire.

Vera had had time to prepare herself for this. She knew that Alexis could neither stand on his feet nor hold a gun, except with one hand, and that the left. Disengaging herself from him, she seized his rifle, which she had taken the precaution to recover, and waited for the wolf to draw nearer. When he had come within proper range she raised the rifle to her shoulder and fired, aiming between the eyes. The wolf, whose head was only cut by the ball, gave a yelp and dashed away.

"Draw the shell, quick!" said Alexis. "He will be back presently."

Vera drew the shell and, taking a cartridge from Alexis' belt, fixed it in the rifle and waited. Alexis, who was a splendid shot, begged her if the wolf returned to hold the rifle for him and let him fire with the gun against his left shoulder. Vera consented and they took the position required, to see how it would work, but Alexis was obliged to sit up, and was so faint that he did not dare try the experiment.

When the wolf came back there were four pairs of glaring eyes instead of one. Vera had lived all her life in a country infested with wolves and knew that when one was killed the others would eat the carcass before pushing on. Selecting one pair of eyes—for she could see nothing else of the wolves—she was about to fire when she felt her hand tremble. She paused and, turning, kissed her lover on the lips. That kiss strengthened her nerves, and, again aiming, she fired, and a wolf dropped dead.

While its fellows were scrambling for the food Vera drew the shell of the exploded cartridge and inserted another. But this unequal contest could not last. The four wolves were joined by half a dozen others, and the lovers knew that as soon as the dead wolf had been devoured there would be another rush which it was hopeless that they could withstand. Vera to gain distance took hold of Alexis under the arms and dragged him back as far as she was able; then, taking the rifle, she stood before him, waiting for the wolves to finish their meal.

Most of the carcass was consumed. She could hear a few wolves still picking at the bones, while one or two, she fancied, were licking their chops. One pair of eyes appeared in the middle of the road glaring at her, and in a moment she was sure they were drawing nearer. She raised her rifle, aimed and pulled the trigger.

The cartridge did not explode. Vera realized that the end was at hand. Throwing down her rifle, she deliberately advanced to offer herself a sacrifice to delay her lover's death.

At the moment there was a clatter of horses' hoofs before her and a shot. In an instant the wolves had vanished. Horsemen came up and found Vera standing in the road some distance before Alexis. In the darkness they would have run her down had she not stepped aside. They were a party of the Demidoffs. Alexis' horse had gone home without his rider, and they had come out to search for him.

Alexis was taken home and insisted that Vera should go with him. Demidoff, the father of Alexis, questioned Vera, who told the story, leaving out her intended sacrifice.

"Why were you so far in advance of my son, unarmed, when you were found?" he asked.

Vera hesitated, then replied: "It was plain that one must die. If I could delay the wolves there was a chance of help coming for Alexis. It was also possible that their hunger would be appeased with my body and leave Alexis untouched."

Demidoff, who was a great huntsman and a brave man, could not withstand this heroic devotion. He consented to Alexis' union with Vera, and never tired of telling the story of how she had saved his son and offered herself to the wolves in his stead.

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Resources:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	\$175,559.57	Capital Stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Overdrafts	2,138.40	Surplus,	15,000.00
Furniture & Fixtures	2,099.85	Undivided Profits less	
Due from Banks and Bankers	45,063.53	Expenses Paid	9,926.55
Cash Items	2,827.88	Deposits	203,852.11
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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Laura Cross went to Tarboro this morning.

J. N. Everett returned Wednesday evening from Norfolk.

C. D. Rountree and wife left this morning for Waynesville.

Charlie James returned this morning from Morehead City.

W. T. Lipscomb returned Wednesday evening from Danville.

Rev. F. A. Bishop left this morning for Saratoga and Wilson.

Miss Bettie Tyson returned Wednesday evening from Wrightsville.

Mrs. L. H. Pender returned Wednesday evening from a visit to Tarboro.

Miss Rosalin Rountree; went to Scotland Neck this morning to visit relatives.

Zeno Moore returned Tuesday evening from New York and other northern cities.

Mrs. E. B. Higgs and mother, Mrs. Shields, went to Scotland Neck Wednesday morning.

Mrs. J. F. Joyner, of Kinston, who has been visiting relatives here, returned home Wednesday evening.

Miss May Whitfield, of Henderson, arrived Wednesday evening to visit friends and her father, N. H. Whitfield.

A. F. Kennedy, Tom Duke and C. E. Rountree went down to Chicocreek Wednesday on a fishing expedition.

Mrs. Hilliary, of Philadelphia, who has been spending sometime here visiting relatives, returned home this morning.

Miss Nannie Woolford, of Princess Anne, Md., who has been visiting Mrs. E. B. Ficklen, returned home today.

Miss Carrie Gay came home this morning from Craven county, where she has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Wadsworth.

Mrs. Zeno Moore and son, Harry, and Misses Lissie and Ellen Moore returned from Virginia Beach Tuesday evening.

SHORT LOCAL ITEMS.

New corned mullets at S. M. Schultz.

THE REFLECTOR is indebted to Rev. W. E. Cox for some nice canteloupes

WANTED—A copy of THE DAILY REFLECTOR dated Tuesday, March 24th, 1903. This office.

For Sale Cheap—One 40 saw gin and second hand piano. ALFRED FORBES.

For Sale—A nice six room house and lot. All the conveniences of a home. R. HYMAN.

Hatch Bros. brought their excursion crowd back from Norfolk, Wednesday night, in good shape. They will run another excursion from Kinston to Norfolk August 25th.

THE WEATHER.

Fair on the coast, showers in interior tonight. Friday showers and cooler.

Who is He?

Who is it that makes the Few gallons, wear longer paint?

A SURGICAL OPERATION

is always dangerous—do not submit to the surgeon's knife until you have tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It will cure when everything else fails—it has done this in thousand's of cases. Here is one of them: I suffered from bleeding and protruding piles for twenty years. Was treated by different specialists and used many remedies, but obtained no relief until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Two boxes of this salve cured me eighteen months ago and I have not had a touch of the piles since.—H. A. Tisdale, Summerton, S. C. For Blind Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles no remedy equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Salve by Wooten's Drug Store.

A Rocking Shrine.

The most wonderful temple in the world is built on a rocking stone on the summit of a mountain in northern India which is over 20,000 feet high. The rock weighs many thousands of tons, but is balanced on so fine a point that a comparatively light pressure is sufficient to make it sway. Hindoo priests teach their followers that this rock was placed in position by the help of the gods, and thus they add considerably to the feeling of awe which they desire to create.

Worshippers at this shrine must first make a perilous ascent of the mountain. Then they spend seven days of preparation in a temple built on the solid mountain before they are permitted to make the final passage to the mysterious rocking stone. To reach this it is necessary to cross a bridge over a great chasm, for nature and man have combined to make this Hindoo shrine difficult of access. After crossing the bridge the pilgrim mounts a ladder, to which he clings in terror for his life here and in the hereafter. The temple on the rock is necessarily small. Three priests officiate there, but its mysteries no man is permitted to reveal. Europeans have seen it only from a distance.

The Human Body.

The blood, muscles, bones and other parts of the human body are composed of many chemical constituents, and a correct chemical analysis would be long and tedious. The specific gravity of the blood is 1.028, and 779 parts of every 1,000 are water. Of the other parts chloride of sodium, chloride potassium, carbonate magnesia, calcium phosphate, calcium lactate, potassium phosphate, sodium carbonate and other constituents are found. This is generally true, with variations also, of tissues and bone. The fundamental substance of bone is composed of organic matter, combined with various inorganic salts, in which calcium phosphate largely predominates. In addition the bones contain calcium carbonate, calcium fluoride, magnesium phosphate, sodium phosphate and sodium chloride.

Buttoning a Coat.

Buttoning a man's coat from right to left was the original way, when our ancestors, wrapped in skins, held the right edge with the left hand and naturally inserted a fastening thorn with the right hand. This right to left custom has been retained by the Hebrew priests in their garb to this day. When fighting men became necessary and swords and knives had to be drawn by the right hand from the left side, the edge of the coat, buttoned from right to left, was found to be in the way, and men began buttoning from the left. Nonfighting women and priests continue to follow the old custom.

Jewels on an Idol.

The jewels of an Indian idol must be worth stealing if many of those remarkably lustrous images possess such valuable head ornaments as one made for the idol Parthasathy, in the Triplicane temple at Madras. The ornament is worth some 50,000 rupees and is made of sovereign gold, studded with diamonds, emeralds and rubies, the largest emerald being valued at 1,000 rupees and the biggest ruby and diamond at 300 rupees apiece.

Keep Moving.

The heavens themselves run continually round; the world is never still; the sun travels to the east and to the west; the moon is ever changing in its course; the stars and planets have their constant motions; the air we breathe is continually agitated by the wind, and the waters never cease to ebb and flow, doubtless for the purpose of their conservation and to teach us that we should ever be in action.—Burton.

A Contrast in Lungs.

Three human lungs lie next one another in the anatomical museum at Edinburgh university. The first is that of an Eskimo and is snow white. In life this would, of course, be ruddy from the presence of blood. The third is that of a coal miner and is coal black. The intermediate one is that of a town dweller and is a dirty slate gray, as are the lungs of all dwellers in cities at this moment.

An Ill Chosen Song.

In order to make him forget his domestic troubles, which were driving him to suicide, some friends of Herr Gustav Krautwinkel arranged a cheerful evening at a restaurant in Berlin. Unfortunately, one of the party began to sing a song entitled "Lost Happiness." Hardly was the first verse finished when Herr Krautwinkel jumped up, pulled a revolver from his pocket and shot himself.

Festal Gifts in Spain.

It is the custom in Madrid for friends and acquaintances to send presents of bonbons on birthdays, name days and festivals. A large silver tray is piled with sweets of various kinds, with a cake made of eggs in the center. This is often surmounted with a silk flag or a pretty porcelain figure. Well known people receive as many as fifty of these trays on their birth and name days.

The First Ship Monopoly.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "a man gets abused jes' foh habbin' mo' prudence dan yuthuh folks. I specks dat Noah's wicked neighbors had a heap to say agin his ship monopoly aftuh de rain set in good an' steady."—Washington Star.

Some people are so conscientious about loving their enemies that if they haven't any they are perfectly willing to make a few.—Philadelphia Record.

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COTTON:

	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	12½	12½
Middling	12	12
St. Low Middling	11½	11½
Low Middling	11½	11½

PEANUTS:

Fancy	3½	3½
Strictly Prime	3½	3½
Prime	3	3
Low Grades	2½	2½

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY

COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY
Bankers and Brokers,
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:

	Closed	Today	Yesterday
Aug.		12.20	11.38
Sept.		10.76	10.83
Oct.		9.96	9.98

Liverpool Futures.

Sept. & Oct.	5.84	5.78
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Chicago Markets:

Sept. Wheat	79½	79½
Sept. Corn	52½	52½
Sept. Ribs	8.12	7.07
Oct. Ribs	8.97	7.05

GREENVILLE COTTON MARKET,

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Middling	12½	12½
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