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GRADED SCHOOL NOTES.

Session Will Close May 24-25.

The third session of the Greenville Graded schools will close on the evenings of the twenty fourth and twenty fifth of May. The entertainment on the first evening will be given by the primary grades, and will consist of drills, marches, recitations, songs, &c. The program on the second evening will include the reading of the senior theses by the members of the graduating class, the literary address, and the presentation of the diplomas. It is not our purpose to give an elaborate commencement exercise, but we shall try to have two entertainments of some real merit, something in keeping with the standard of the school.

The graduating class numbers three, as follows: Ames Brown, Lee Brown and Nellie Pender. These young people will be the first graduates the school has had. They are well prepared, and on them the merits of the first diplomas of the school will rest in safety. They can without difficulty enter any college or university in North Carolina next fall.

The address this year will be delivered by Rev. N. M. Watson, pastor of one of the churches in Wilmington. Rev. Watson seems to stand very high in the estimation of the people of Greenville, and I am sure those who advised me to invite him did not make a mistake.

The session which is now nearing its close has been satisfactory and encouraging to the management of the school. More than three-fourths of the children of school age in the town are in the graded school. Out of an enrollment of three hundred and fifty, an average of between ninety-two and ninety-five per cent. has been made during the year.

Within the past three weeks we have been seriously interfered with by measles. Over half the children in the lower grades, together with several in the upper grades, have been out on account of the disease.

In an addition to the measles epidemic, the skating rink has contributed a liberal share of disturbance, many of the children skate so much that they feel dull and stupid in the school room, come to school poorly prepared for the day's work and hence accomplish but little. I greatly fear that many of these can not be promoted, and will have to spend another year in this year's grade. It is my purpose to grade the school carefully and do thorough, systematic work. It would be folly to fill up next year's grades with poorly prepared pupils. Parents who want their children to do well in school should look carefully after attendance, and see that lessons are prepared. If they will do this, we can accomplish much for their children; otherwise we are seriously handicapped.

H. B. Smith, Supt.

The Sans Souci Book Club will meet with Miss Bessie Patrick at 3:30 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. All members requested to be present.

A LETTER FROM WAKE FOREST.

Prospects for the ball team here this season are fine. From a squad of about thirty men Coach Crozier has cut the team that is to represent the college this spring. Among the number are several well known in local circles. The Turner brothers who worked at short and in the box here last summer, Richardson who played center field, and John Ivey Smith our local third baseman. The popularity of John Ivey among the collegians was attested again when the team elected him their captain at a meeting last week.

The initial game of the season was played last week and lost. This does not mean that the team will not have a successful season. It was largely a practice game, about fifteen men were played.

The line up is as follows:

Hamrick, W. catch.
Turner, J. 1st b.
Picot, 2nd b.
Benton, ss.
Smith, 3rd b and captain.
Richardson, lf.
Goodwin, cf.
Holding, rf.
Turner, E. p.
White, E. p.
Couch, p.

Eugene Turner.

Advertising Among Fowls.

A duck, who had faithfully stuck to business during the summer and laid several dozen large fawn colored eggs, complained that she was not appreciated. "See that old hen over there," said the duck, "she has not laid so many eggs as I have, not so big but she has books written about her and verses composed in her honor, while no one says a word about me." "The trouble with you is," said a wise Buff Leghorn cock that was standing near, "that you do not tell the public what you have done. You lay an egg and go off without saying a word while that sister of mine never lays one without letting every body in the neighborhood know it. If you want to cut any ice in this community you must learn to advertise."—Exchange.

A Babe Born in Durham With Four Teeth

When a thing happens in Durham, even to the unexpected, there are many people who will say, "I told you so," or they "expected it." But a recent event gets away with them, and it puts Durham ahead of the procession in the infant line.

We are reliably informed that a baby was born in Durham, about ten days or two weeks ago, with two front teeth, and two jaw teeth—already out and no teething for those four. We will not give the names of the parents in print, as they do not wish the publicity this incident would give them.

In juvenile precocity, come on, and see if you can get ahead of Durham. Some gay newspaper scribe may read this and say it is "too thin." It is tooth in—four of them.—Durham Sun.

The mud is ~~so~~ deep. (We can't express it with feet—none in the print shop)

BUILDING AND LOAN.

Enough Shares Taken to Assure Success.

Saturday was a disagreeable off day with very few people getting around but some more names were added to the list of shares in the building and loan association. The list has grown some more today, the last count showing 600 shares subscribed for. As yet there has been no canvassing, the subscribers coming voluntarily from reading the articles from day to day in The Reflector. This shows the interest they feel in the movement. Sometime this week some canvassing may be done if enough names do not come in voluntarily to make the thousand shares wanted to organize with. The sooner these are in the sooner a meeting can be called for organization. The success of the enterprise is assured, for organization with the members of shares already taken would not be a bad beginning. Yet more are wanted.

NOT THE BEST WAY.

It is a common thing to hear people in almost any town or community say that things are dull and times are hard. And some people seem to take delight in telling others that they think their town is dull and dead. But such talk and such feeling will never improve conditions. The way to improve dull conditions is to stir up something new and bring something to pass.

What would you think of a man who should take it upon himself to go to every cemetery he could find and place a conspicuous notice on every tomb stone saying, "A corpse was buried here?"

There would be just as much sense in it as there is for a man to stop every one he sees on the streets and say, "This town is dull."

If the town is dull everybody who ought to know it will find it out in time.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

Marriage Licenses

Register of Deeds R. Williams issued licenses to the following couples since last report:

WHITE.

Oscar Jolley and Cornelia Mumford.

COLORED

Burton Joyner and Pearl Sugg.
Earnest May and Myrtle Tyson.
Bonice Burgess and Henrietta Donaldson.
Jarvis Harris and Laura Gray.
Simon Brown and Emma Moore.
Geo. Daniel Jr. and Maggie Carney.

What's Up?

Mr. Editor Please find out if there is anything special to take place in Covenant Lodge Tuesday night. If so I don't want to miss it. I will watch out for your paper tomorrow afternoon. I always look to the daily for information. Its up-to-date. An Odd Fellow.

[Those in position to give this information will please let us have it.—Ed.]

NOTES FROM GRIFTON.

A Town Unique in its Possessions.

Grifton, N. C. Mar. 23, 1906.

EDITOR REFLECTOR:

We are now in the throes of a dying March, and it is very sad indeed when we cannot speak well of her visit to us. But what seems sad to us in the dying freeze of old March, we will look for more pleasant memories in May. Some say that a windy March makes a pleasant summer, most as pleasant as ye editor's visit to us last week was. I felt highly honored with a visit from him, and my latch string always hangs on the outside for him whenever he visits our town.

Our town is very pleasantly situated at every point of the compass, geographically, politically and domestically. First, its corporation extends within two counties, viz Pitt and Lenoir, divided by the placid waters of "Moccasin river", mostly known as Contentnea creek, which is spanned by the county's bridge, at which centers three townships, Contentnea Neck on the Lenoir side, and Swift Creek and Contentnea No. 1, on the Pitt county side; also two congressional districts, the first and third; two judicial districts, and two senatorial districts. In fact, we have all sorts of a town, the biggest town for the size of the place you ever saw.

We have two steam mill plants in operation, one manufacturing plant making buggies, carts and repair work of all kinds, thirteen stores, two milliners, one pool room, one skating rink, and a "fourth class" post office run on a "first class plan." All our business men are genteel gentlemen, and will treat all their customers in a clever manner. We have a hotel operated by our big hearted landlord, W. S. Blount, and his two very amiable daughters, Misses Lizzie and Florence, and to stop at "Hotel de Cobb" you will feel at home immediately after shaking hands with old friend Blount. And then again we have several boarding houses and a dispensary, too. Nuff said. "Vaanderbilt."

Jurors for Federal Court.

The following from Pitt county have been drawn as jurors for the Federal court which convenes at New Bern on April 23rd: A. G. Cox, E. E. Dail, J. L. Tucker, J. W. Brooks, C. D. Smith and J. M. Blow.

THE WEATHER

Rain and warmer tonight, Tuesday rain, warmer in eastern portion.

A person could hardly be blamed for staying in doors such a day as Sunday.

The Pitt county branch of the Southern Cotton Association will meet next Monday.

There will be a special communication of Greenville Lodge No. 284, A. F. & A. M., tonight for work and instruction.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Of Those Going and Coming

J. H. Keel, of Kinston, spent Sunday here.

O. Cuthrell, of New Bern, came in this morning.

S. T. Hooker went to Greensboro Sunday morning.

Mrs. J. S. Barr, of Kinston, spent Sunday here.

L. H. Rountree went to Grainers Sunday evening.

W. M. Wilkinson spent Saturday night in Kinston.

J. S. Mooring and F. J. Forbes spent Sunday in Bethel.

Deputy Sheriff S. I. Dudley went to Ayden this morning.

Mrs. Alice Harper returned from LaGrange this morning.

R. Greene, of Kinston, spent Sunday here visiting his family.

W. B. James returned from Rocky Mount Sunday evening.

Misses Eula Cox and Bessie Harding returned from Ayden this morning.

Miss Lera Matthews spent Sunday in Washington visiting her parents.

Miss Clyde Cox went to Ayden Saturday evening and returned this morning.

Mrs. Susan Moye and Mrs. Margerite Howard, of Edgecomb county, came in Saturday to visit Mrs. D. E. House.

We Were In Error.

The Reflector was in error Saturday in saying the jury in the jury in the suit of B. M. Whitehurst against the Atlantic Coast Line had returned a verdict awarding the plaintiff \$75 damages. The error was made through getting this case confused with another, the juries on both being out at the same time. It was the jury in the other case that returned the verdict for \$75, and the information came to us that it was the Whitehurst case, while in fact the jury in the Whitehurst case had not reached a verdict and was still out. We did not learn of the error until the paper was out and attention called it. We regret the confusion of cases and error occurred.

The jury on the Whitehurst case was out until this morning when, being unable to agree, mistrial was made.

Contentment is never begotten by regret.

Do not let your keenness overshadow your kindness.

There can be no success where sincerity is lacking.

This weather is raw enough, but July will cook it.

One must come down with the coin in order to pay up.

No man accomplishes much who is afflicted with the hungry habit.

The trees were covered with a coating of ice Sunday morning.

DID YOU SAY

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A. H. Taft

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Sold by Druggists and Dr. Mott Chemical Co., Cleveland, Ohio.
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A Boy on Babies.
Here is an essay on babies by an English board schoolboy: "Babies are little red things without bones nor teeth. They have various sizes, but just after they are born they are called bypeds. Their bones are grisle. They are two sects, male and female, and are also very fat. When very young they do not have much hair. They are always asleep only when crying. Women and girls go silly over babies and kiss them all over and say silly things. That's why girls have dolls when they haven't any little brothers. Everybody 'as to be a baby first. That's all I know about babies."

Ambergris.
Ambergris is a waxlike substance peculiar to the sperm whale and produced, it is supposed, by a diseased condition of the animal. A single whale has yielded \$50,000 worth of this material. It is very rare and exceedingly costly. It was formerly used as an incense, in cookery, as a medicine and as a perfume. Its principal use at present is in the preparation of fine perfumes.

How to Stop Gossip.
There are two words, simple enough in themselves, that introduce untold trouble into the world and are responsible for more gossip, scandal and harm than any other two words in the English language. These two little words are nothing more than "they say." They have done more to ruin reputations than any other thing. If you never quote what "they say," you may be quite certain you are not a gossip. But if you find yourself telling your friends at all times what "they say" and at the same time lifting your eyebrows and shaking your head you may rest assured you are saying something the world would be better for not hearing.

Got Near It.
"A small boy came into my store the other day," remarked the druggist, "and asked for 5 cents' worth of 'jumps.' Now, what do you suppose he wanted?"
When everybody gave it up the druggist told them what the boy had been sent for was hops.

Wash Goods Sale!

We have just received our full line of WASH GOODS consisting of

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- Coffee Substitute,
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It pours the oil of life into your system. It warms you up and starts the life blood circulating. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain does. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug Store.

The best safeguard against headache, constipation and liver troubles is DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Keep a pair of these famous little pills in the house and take a dose at bed time when you feel that the stomach and bowels need cleansing. They don't gripe. Sold by John L. Wooten.

Have you pains in the back, inflammation of any kind, rheumatism, fainting spells, indigestion or constipation, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea makes you well, keeps you well. 35 cent. Wooten's Drug Store.

The best way to rid the system of a cold is to evacuate the bowels. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar acts as a pleasant, yet effectual cathartic on the bowels. It clears the head, cuts the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the bronchial tubes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough etc. Sold by John L. Wooten.

Have you weakness of any kind—stomach, back, or any organs of the body? Don't dope yourself with ordinary medicine. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the supreme curative power. 35 cents. Wooten's Drug Store.

If you are troubled with Piles and can't find a cure, try Witch Hazel Salve but be sure you get that made by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. It is the Original. If you have used Witch Hazel Salve without being relieved it is probable that you got hold of one of the many worthless counterfeits that are sold on the reputation of the genuine DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve.

True French Politeness.

"I congratulated a Frenchman one evening on the good manners of his nation, and he was very much pleased," said an American who had visited France. "He told me an anecdote illustrative of French politeness.

"He said that during the revolution a noble was on the way to the guillotine. As he rumbled in the cart along the boulevards howls and jeers from a half drunken crowd were rained upon him, and finally a young woman, as she ran along beside the tumbrel, cried:

"You tall villain! You will soon be shorter by a head!"

"Does that please you, madam?" said the doomed noble civilly.

"Yes, it does," she answered.

"Then," said he, "I do not die in vain."

VALUABLE TOWN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The trustees of the Methodist church offer for sale the valuable property on the corner of Greene and Second streets in the town of Greenville, on which the old church now stands.

If not sold sooner at private sale it will be offered at public auction in front of the court house at 12 o'clock M. April 2d, 1906. It will be first offered in three lots, then in two lots and then as a whole, as follows.

IN THREE LOTS.

LOT No. 1 Beginning at the corner of Lela F. Cherry on Greene street and running northward with said street 55 feet.

LOT No. 2 Beginning at Greene street at the corner of Lot No. 1 and running northward with Greene street 55 feet.

LOT No. 3 Beginning at Greene street on the corner of Lot No. 2 and running northward with Greene street to Second street.

IN TWO LOTS.

LOT No. 1 Beginning on Greene street at the corner of Lela F. Cherry and running northward with Greene street 82 1-2 feet.

LOT No. 2 Beginning at the corner of Lot No. 1 on Greene street and running northward with said street to Second street.

IN ONE LOT.

The whole of said property fronting on Greene and Second streets. In all of the sales the right to use the church building until January 1, 1907, will be reserved.

TERMS—One third cash, the balance payable in two equal installments, in six and twelve months with note well secured, or the purchaser can pay all cash if he so elects.

No bid will be effective until approved by the Board of Trustees.

The proceeds of the sale will be used to complete the new church and it is hoped that this valuable property will find ready purchasers.

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INVENTION OF PAPER.

The Credit is Given to a Chinaman of the First Century.

Paper was invented by a Chinaman who was contemporaneous with Christ. He was a secretary at court during the reign of Kwang Wu, a prince who reigned A. D. 25-58. In early ages when the Chinese had no written language they had no special need of paper. Real estate transfers were certified by means of a piece of cord, in which knots were tied, according to the number of acres sold or the price paid. But as population increased and business transfers became more frequent something more definite than the cord was needed, and the art of writing came into use. At that time the deed of purchase consisted of a few letters on a bit of bamboo. As knowledge increased and literature began to be cultivated, legal and historical records became more numerous. These bamboo strips were then found to be heavy and cumbersome, and the need of a lighter and less bulky material was felt.

The secretary, Ts'ai Lun, then began his experiment in paper making. How long he worked before he met with success is not known; but, at any rate, the materials with which he experimented and of which paper was formed are, with all the experience which has since been gained, found to be the best for the purpose. Though the Chinese have since substituted other materials for the formation of the pulp from which their paper is made—purely for economical reasons—Ts'ai Lun had the satisfaction of accomplishing that for which he had worked.

The manner of manufacture soon became generally known, and paper factories were established in all parts of the kingdom. With the spread of learning, which received an impetus from the facilities afforded by this invention, the demand for paper soon exceeded the supply. Old rags were not plentiful nor cheap enough to permit of paper being made and sold as cheaply as was necessary or desirable. Accordingly, experiments were made with other substances and proved successful.—New York Herald.

American Fathers.

"American fathers are the most affectionate in the world," said a traveled Englishman the other day. "I never heard any young married men talk with such affectionate pride about their babies. The usual Englishman is either boisterous or simply satisfied. This morning I saw one of the pleasantest sights imaginable. I was riding in a street car. Opposite to me sat a young couple with a baby. The husband was holding the baby. He was a bronzed and sturdy fellow, and he held the pink and white mite very tenderly. He was not in the least embarrassed. He had one muscular finger playing about the child's mouth, and whenever the pink gums snapped at it he looked as proud as a prince and beamed all over his honest face. Now, you'd never see a sight like that in my country. I shouldn't mind standing godfather every day to children of such fathers."

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GIVE ALL A SQUARE DEAL.

The Washington Post offers a suggestion that a permanent exposition be established in that city, all the States and territories to have suitable buildings in which to exhibit resources and keep it open continuously.

This suggestion may be all right, but if the Post's idea in establishing this great central exposition is to eliminate those held from time to time in other cities throughout the country, then we do not agree with it. While the benefit arising from these expositions is in a sense general, of course the greatest benefit goes to the city holding it, and one city is no more entitled to have all this benefit than another. Washington is already getting its share of maintenance at the expense of the entire country without giving it a monopoly of expositions.

Because Washington is visited by practically everybody in the country is no reason that city should be the only place to which people can go to attend an exposition. Such a condition would become monotonous. The people should know something about other cities and their advantages, and in no other way can they get this knowledge so well as by a visit to these cities. How many people went to Philadelphia, Buffalo, Chicago, Atlanta, Charleston, St. Louis, Portland, and other cities who would never have gone there but for the expositions held in them? And there will be thousands to attend the Jamestown exposition next year who would never see Norfolk but for this attraction. We all should know more of our vast country and we learn more by traveling through all parts of it.

Every city and every State contributes its share to the support of the government; and it is the duty of the government to help out every section whose people have the enterprise to inaugurate and hold an exposition. All should have a square deal in this particular.

If Andy Hamilton will only tell all he knows about it.

Blackburn has been deposed as dispenser of a part of the government pie, and will have to content himself with sitting in the corner and nibbling his own little piece. He will lose even that when the next election comes.

A man not long since made Greenville his home, says he finds it anything else but a dead town and sees a great future for it. And he is right. Greenville is making great progress and will yet show developments to make you look at almost with astonishment.

An offer was made to the State of Michigan by Marion Butler and his crew to give a lot of those old North Carolina bonds to that State on condition that Michigan would let its name be used in bringing suit against North Carolina to recover the bonds. The governor of Michigan refused to let his State be a party to such rascality.

Wonder how it makes the President feel to know that the country is cognizant of the fact that his election was bought with the big campaign contributions pumped out of insurance companies and corporations. And to think that when Judge Parker made this charge just before the last election, the President himself came out in a signed card of denial. Truth will come to the surface when the spirit of reform takes hold of the people.

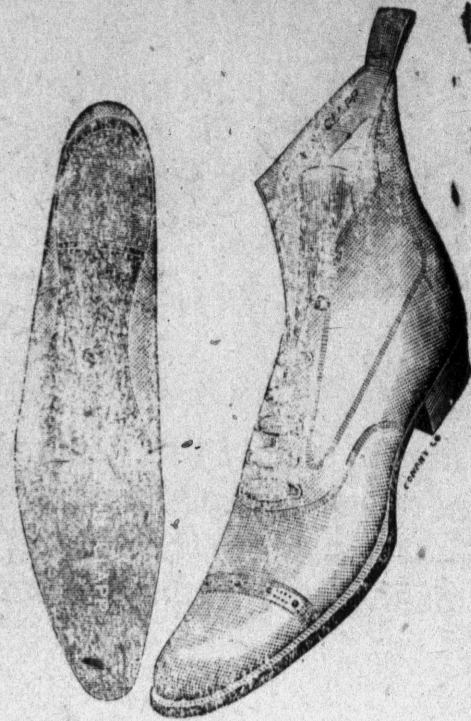
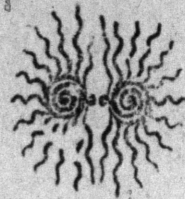
THE PRESIDENT'S SALARY.

A good deal has recently been said of the insufficiency of the President's salary of \$50,000. There are many who believe that he should have at least twice as much, in view of the demands made upon him financially. This idea is combatted by the statement that \$50,000 is "all any American citizen has a license to spend in a year even in the White House," and in the course of the debate an investigator has enlightened the world on all forms of government appropriations devoted to the Executive Mansion. The President is paid \$50,000 a year into his private purse, and the following, who may be classed as the clerical force employed in executive work, are paid by the government: Private secretary, \$3,250; assistant private secretary, \$2,250; stenographer, \$1,800; five messengers, each, \$1,200; four other clerks at salaries ranging from \$1,500 to \$2,500; telegraph operator, \$1,200; two ushers, each, \$1,400; one night usher, \$1,200; a watchman, \$900. These employes perform government duties. In addition to the expenditures for this purpose, the government furnishes a man to take care of the fires at \$864 a year; a steward at \$1,800 and allows two special funds of \$40,000 and \$8,000 a year. Of the largest sums, \$12,500 is for repairs and for re-furnishing the White House; \$2,500 is for fuel; \$4,000 for the greenhouse; \$15,000 for gas, matches, the upkeep of the stable and various miscellaneous matters. The \$8,000 is for stationery, carpets, the care of the stable as distinguished from expenditures for feed, equipage and the like. Altogether, therefore, it is figured that the President gets about \$125,000 a year. The President of the French Republic receives a salary of \$120,000, probably the smallest paid highest official in any European country, and \$120,000 for expenses, and besides he is furnished a palace or two. The President of the United States has many expenses; he must entertain a great deal merely as President, and the present salary of \$50,000 is not enough—he should get at least twice as much.—Charlotte Observer.

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	Closed	Today	Yesterday
May	11 13		10 15
July	11 14		10 16
Liverpool Futures:			
Jan. & Feb.	5 92		5 92
Chicago Markets:			
May Wheat	77½		78½
May Corn	43½		44
May Ribs	8 70		865
July Ribs	8 62		860
May Lard	8 32		832
July Lard	8 42		840

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First Use of Umbrellas.

There can be little doubt that when umbrellas first came into use in England they were carried only by women. Of this we have the evidence of Guy Mege in his French dictionary, 1688, who has the sentence, "Umbrellas are only in use amongst women." "The New World of Words," revised, etc., by J. K. Philobib, 1720, has the remark, "Such as are here commonly used by women to shelter them from rain." Both umbrella and umbrellia are given. Gay has the following allusion:

Good housewives all the winter's rage despise,
Defended by the riding hood's disguise
Or underneath the umbrella's oily shade
Safe through the wet on clinking patterns tread.
Let Persian dames the umbrella's ribs display
To guard their beauties from the sunny ray
Or sweating slaves support the shady load
When eastern monarchs show their state abroad.
Britain in winter only knows its aid
To guard from chilly showers the walking maid.

—"Trivia," 1, 715, bk. 1, ll 209-18.

For many years the carrying of an umbrella was regarded as a feminine. In the Draper's Dictionary it is stated that when men began to carry umbrellas they were hooted and jeered at as "Frenchmen."—Notes and Queries.

Advanced Backward.

The expression "advanced backward" gained great currency just after the encounter on the floor of the United States senate between Senator Henry S. Foote of Mississippi and Senator Thomas H. Benton of Missouri. In that famous verbal duel, which almost culminated in a bloody tragedy, one of the senators—perhaps Foote, though this is a matter of recollection—bore down on Benton, when the latter drew his pistol, an old Allen, commonly called in those days a pepper box and sometimes a wasp nest. Foote stopped, and afterward in detailing the occurrence he said that when "Mr. Benton pulled his pepper box I advanced backward." Montague refers in his works to "rowers who advanced backward."

An Agile Marshal.

The whimsical Suvaroff, one of the Empress Catherine's favorites, on receiving the marshal's baton ordered a "Te Deum" and commanded a number of chairs to be placed in the center of the church, one for each officer his senior. He appeared in the sacred edifice arrayed in his pajamas or something less than their equivalent and proceeded to vault over these files of chairs, taking each in its due succession. It was not until the conclusion of this performance that he donned the new uniform and desired the horror-stricken clergy to proceed with the office.

Not to Be Scared.

In an old-fashioned churchyard in Scotland a pile of skulls and bones had been turned up in the process of gravedigging.

The plowmen in a bothy near by offered the "loon" 5 shillings to go at night and remove one. The loon agreed and started in the dark.

An ambush had been laid to frighten him. As he lifted one skull a hollow voice called:

"That's mine!"

"A' richt," said the lad, laying the ghostly thing down to lift another. Again came from the darkness a voice:

"That's mine!"

"Gae awa', ye haverin idiot! Ye canna hae twa skulls."—Pearson's Weekly.

Always Happy.

She—Papa believes in the pleasures of anticipation.

He—Do you agree with him?

She—Oh, yes, indeed. In the summer he promises to buy me a seal-skin coat the following winter if I'll give up going to the seaside, and in the winter he promises to send me to the seaside the following summer if I'll give up the seal-skin coat. So, you see, I am always happy.

A Thoughtful Wife.

"John, dear," said the invalid's wife, "I'll have to run away from you for an hour or so today. I have to get the material for a new dress that the dressmaker"—

"But," complained the sick man, "do you think it is right to be thinking of dress while I am so ill?"

"Why, John, it will be all right, no matter what happens; it's a black dress."

HABITUAL CRIMINALS.

All Are Superstitious and Believe in Signs and Omens.

Habitual criminals are very superstitious. No pickpocket would dream of "working" unless he had in his pocket or somewhere about his person either a small piece of coal, chalk or "lucky stone" as a talisman against misfortune, according to an English writer. Even if the amulet fails them and they are captured with it in their possession they account for the fact by remembering that they have disregarded some other warning that was given them earlier in the day. For instance, should a thief be riding on top of an omnibus and the horse slip, he regards it as a warning that he must do no work that day. All habitual criminals regard the Bible with awe. To a man almost they will lie without motive, but when in the witness box they will do anything to evade kissing the book. A common mode of getting out of the difficulty is to hold the Bible instead of the actual book.

Should a pickpocket steal a purse containing foreign money he regards it as certain that before the year is out he will have traveled in strange lands. To find gold in a purse stolen at a wedding is a sure sign of good luck, while it is equally bad to "work" at a funeral. By every class of criminals funerals are regarded as tokens of ill luck. To meet one while on the way to a house where a burglary is to be carried out means that death or imprisonment awaits the attempt. There is an old man named Cowper, now in an English prison serving his twenty-eighth term of imprisonment, who is a perfect encyclopedia on criminals' superstitions. He firmly believes that he can never be sentenced again after his present term has expired, because twenty-eight has always been a lucky number with him.

If a burglar meets a sleeping dog, he regards it as a sure sign that he will be lucky for a long time. To see a flag flying over a private house is taken as an invitation "to crack the crib." Women who squint are immune from the attentions of the criminal classes. No burglar would break into a house if he knew that a maidservant who squinted was kept there. Similarly a pickpocket would have nothing to do with the possessions of a woman with a cast in her eye. A man in the habit of passing counterfeit coin will never attempt to get rid of any to a woman who squints.

He Conquered Carlyle.

The Rev. Thomas Alexander, a Presbyterian minister long resident in Chelsea and well known as a brother Scot, was most anxious to know Carlyle, but had no opportunity of getting an introduction to him. One day in the King's road he saw Carlyle coming in his direction and took advantage of the opportunity by going up to the sage and saying, "Thomas Carlyle, I believe." Carlyle's reply was, "Tom Alexander, I know!" They became good friends, and later Mr. Alexander wrote to Carlyle for a subscription toward a school building fund, and Carlyle wrote back a refusal in doggerel, whereupon Mr. Alexander repeated that if he did not send him £5 he would sell his poetry to a collector or publish it. The £5 was at once forthcoming.

Matchmaker Napoleon.

The first Napoleon was the greatest matchmaker that ever lived. After repeated refusals the doughty little soldier himself finally won the hand of Josephine and devoted his matrimonial instincts to the affairs of others. No excuse was admitted from a bachelor. To him who urged that he could not find a wife, "Be that my care," he said, and the same evening the affair would be arranged. The poor received dowries and trousseaux. One day by word the emperor married off 6,000 soldiers at once. Another day his great court dignitaries were obliged in haste to find partners for better or for worse.

The Cat.

A very young essayist wrote in an examination: "The cat is a square quadruped and has four legs at the corners. If you want to please the animal you must stroke it on the back. If it is very much pleased it sets up its tail stiff, like a ruler, so that you cannot get any farther. The cat is said to have nine lives, and in every country it seldom meets its death because of the pres-



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When There Is No Hope.

Here are a few simple rules by which a man may determine whether or not his attentions to a girl are in vain.

If she asks him for the fan which he has been carrying home from the theater, she isn't in love with him. If she were, she would forget the fan and give him a chance to call and return it.

If she fondles the flowers he gives her, she is interested. If she lets them wither in the box, his case is hopeless.

If she often pleads a headache and "can't see him" he would better call elsewhere.

When she yawns and says she "can't think of anything to say" it is time for him to go away and stay away.

When she forgets to ask him to come again and says "How do you do?" when he says "Goodby" and neglects to make up an excuse for him when he jams his umbrella through her father's hat there is no hope for him.

A Cigar Story.

A few of the friends of a Broadway cigar dealer enjoy at times high priced smokes for very little money.

The dealer in question carries several lines of one and two dollar cigars as well as one brand selling for \$2.50. These are naturally made of the richest Havana leaf and are especially attractive to an insect which burrows into the cigar, making a hole as large as the head of a pin and perhaps a quarter of an inch deep. The insect does not spoil the flavor of the tobacco. But in the higher priced grades it is impossible to offer for sale a patched wrapper, and so these cigars are laid aside to be sold to the favored ones.

They are grouped with regard to the number of perforations, those with a couple of holes selling for 35 cents each, while others go for as low as 15 cents. A bit of cigarette paper wetted and placed over the hole preserves the draft, and the cigar is every bit as good as those in the case.—New York Press.

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"I glanced up on hearing the snow break and, acting upon my first impulse, turned my back to the avalanche. It struck me first on the legs, and I sprang into the air as high as I could. The mass passed under me, and by the terrific rush of the snow I was kept on the top all the way down into the gulch, about 500 feet. I was the only one free and proceeded to dig the others out. As the snow frequently packs after running almost to the consistency of ice, this was no easy matter.

"It happened that the man next to me was buried in a perpendicular position with only his hair visible. I had to free his body down to the ankles before I could pull him out. The last man reached was dead when extricated. The rest of us escaped with slight bruises. It was the next July before articles we lost were found."—Chicago News.

Wanted the Job.

One of the southern senators recounts a conversation that once took place between a friend of his—a business man in Mobile—and a colored man who had made application for work.

"Well," said the business man after the recital had been made of the darky's qualifications, "I should like to give you the place, but I'm afraid I can't do so, for I understand you are married. For special reasons I desire for this place a single man."

An expression of the deepest disappointment came to the dusky countenance of the applicant. Finally, after a short silence, during which he mumbled to himself by way of reflection, he asked, hopefully and eagerly, "Well, boss, if dat's de only trouble I think I kin arrange a divorce all right." — Harper's Weekly.

Cut Flowers.

A florist gives these directions for preserving cut flowers. When they can be picked free from a garden it is comparatively easy to preserve them, but when they must be purchased at the florist's they have lived half their lives already and need tender care. Cut the stems in a long, slanting cut and place in fresh water, taking care that the stems do not quite touch the bottom of the case. Some flowers, mignonette, for example, are extremely liable to droop when brought from the florist's to a warm living room. Lay the flowers for a short time in the icebox to freshen before placing in water. Every morning as long as the flowers last cut the stems and place in fresh water.

Presence of Mind.

"Do you know, Edith, I sometimes fancy baby will be like me," said Aunt Penelope, who has testamentary powers.

"Like you, Aunt Penelope! Dear me! I hope not!" said Edith, astonished into candor.

"You hope not! And pray why, Edith?"

Edith, suddenly recollecting herself in view of Aunt Penelope's powers, replied:

"Oh, good looks are frequently such a snare, you know, aunty!"—London Chronicle.

The Harm of It.

"Here," shouted the depot official, "what do you mean by throwing those trunks around like that?" The baggageman gasped in astonishment, and several travelers pinched themselves to make sure that it was real. Then the official spoke again to the baggageman, "Don't you see that you're making big dents in this concrete platform?"—Kansas City Independent.

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