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## FARMVILLE ITEMS.

Farmville, N. C., Aug. 28th.

Miss Read Lang entertained on Friday evening complimentary to the visiting young ladies.

The guests were met in the reception hall by Miss Read Lang and Charley Townsend, and ushered into the parlor by Miss Rosa Moore and Henry Jackson, who introduced them to the guests of honor, Misses Mary Exum, Ruth Everett, Mary Keel and Daisy Bryan. Others present to enjoy the charming company of these young ladies were Misses Vivian Parker, Lady Turnage, Mabel Banell, Letha Burnette, Ruth Bynum, Nannie Moye Lang, Rosa Moore, and Messrs Floyd Bryan, A. C. Monk, Joe Raspberry, J. N. Harris, Eli Joyner, Frank Thigpen, Mr. Hyde, Mr. Dickerson, Henry Jackson and Otto Turnage. After a pleasing musical program deliciouses and cake were served by the hostess.

On Thursday evening the young ladies entertained in the Farmville warehouse complimentary to the young gentlemen of the town, each young lady acting the escort for the evening. Those present were;

Miss Vivian Parker, Mr. Baptist.

Miss Daisy Bryan, Charley Townsend.

Miss Ada Royal, of Wilson, Frank Thigpen.

Miss Eva Royal, of Wilson, J. H. Harris.

Miss Mary Exum, of Snow Hill, A. C. Monk.

Miss Reide Lang, Henry Jackson.

Miss Nannie Lang, Roland Lang.

Miss Rosa Moore, Floyd Bryan.

Miss Letha Burnette with Marvin Horton,

Miss Lady Turnage with E. W. Dickerson.

Miss Mary Keel with Joe Raspberry.

Miss Wells with Bennie Sheppard.

They were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. John Thorne, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker, who served fruit punch and champagne wafers.

Miss Alice Hines returned Saturday after several weeks stay at Panacea Springs and Richmond.

Miss Anna Morrill came home Friday and spent over Sunday with her people.

Miss Agnes Moore has returned from the Pittman hospital greatly improved.

S. M. Pollard and family and Mrs. Pattie Belcher have returned home after a pleasant week at Wrightsville.

Miss Wells has gone north to purchase her fall stock of millinery.

Miss Watson is on the northern markets buying Mrs. J. F. Joyner's fall line of millinery.

Rev. Edward Wooten filled his regular appointment in the Episcopal church Sunday evening.

W. J. Turnage, J. H. Harris and B. J. Joyner left this morning for Baltimore and New York to purchase winter goods.

Arthur Wood happened to a

## CHANGE THE GATES.

Failure to do so May Discontinue Mail Routes.

Postal Inspector Barber, who has been here looking over the rural free delivery routes and other matters pertaining to the mail service, told the The Reflector that the present gates on the county roads are a great hindrance to the carriers in performing their duties. He said it is a requirement of the government where gates cross public roads on rural routes that such gates should be automatic so the carriers could open and close them without the necessity of leaving their vehicles to open the gates. This matter should be looked after and all the gates changed. It may result in a discontinuance of the routes not to do so. The more interest and appreciation the postmen show in their rural routes the better it pleases the postal officials.

## A DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION,

Grifton, N. C. Aug. 28th. 1906.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins, near Grifton, on last Friday evening, an enjoyable reception was given in honor of the latter's sister, Miss Stokes, of Washington.

The guests present were Miss Rosalie Stokes, of Washington; Misses Reba, Lizzie and Sallie Stokes, Miss Lizzie Lancaster, of Vanceboro; Misses Lillie Cory, Bessie Savage and Mrs. Jim Dixon, of Winterville; Paul, Heber and Sim Moore. C. D. Baker and James Alford, of Shelmerdine; Walter and Herman Bland, Guy B. Moore, A. Gardner, J. Cory.

At 9:30 ice cream and cake were served and all present greatly enjoyed the occasion.

It is terrible to reflect that we have reached the stage of the pioneers who were forced to carry their firearms to church to protect their wives and children against the ravages of the Indians, but it does appear that we are not far distant from that state. Three assaults on white women in South Carolina within two weeks, five in Georgia and almost the same story in other Southern states, calls for some action. With the Atlanta Journal we believe that we have come to the pass where our women should arm themselves and learn to use their arms. It has almost gotten so that a woman is in danger whenever she leaves the shadow of the home and oftentimes in the home, against the onslaughts of these black beasts. Our women should learn to shoot and when they are attacked they should shoot and shoot to kill.—Charlotte Observer.

most serious accident Saturday morning while riding in fox chase. He was thrown from his horse and still holding to the reins the animal gave a lunge and either kicked or stepped on his jaw, breaking it into five pieces and crushing in his teeth. He left for the Pittman hospital on the evening train for treatment.

## WINTERVILLE NOTES

Interesting Items from Our Hustling Neighbor.

J. E. Green spent Sunday night in Grifton

Miss Kate Chapman returned from Shelmerdine Monday.

Miss Sarah Taylor returned from Baltimore Sunday evening.

Miss Bettie Tripp went to Kinston Monday.

J. C. Galloway, of Grimesland, spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends in this vicinity.

Prof. F. C. Nye is in Greene county in the interest of the Winterville High School.

Misses Carrie and Henrietta Wesson, matrons at the boys' dormitory, returned Tuesday evening. They have been spending their vacation visiting friends and relatives in South Carolina.

T. F. Taylor, Tom Dawson, F. F. Cox, and J. L. Jackson went to Greenville Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Galloway spent Saturday night and Sunday with friends here.

A. W. Ange left Monday morning for Baltimore.

Tom Dawson is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. W. C. Jackson and children, of Ayden, are visiting at Mrs. Susan Jackson's.

Eddie Smith, of Hanrahan, was here Sunday night.

T. F. Taylor, F. F. Cox, and C. J. Jackson left this morning for Wake Forest college.

Tuesday afternoon during a severe thunder storm, lightning struck the pack house of Josephus Cox about three miles from here and killed a colored man named Jonas Dixon. There were several others in the house at the same time, and they were stunned but were not seriously hurt.

Mrs. Susan Jackson returned from Hanrahan Sunday evening.

W. J. Boyd, of Ayden, was here Monday.

Owing to sickness in his family, Rev. T. H. King was unable to fill his appointments here Sunday and Sunday night. Prof. Lineberry led the morning service, and Prof. Nye that at night.

Miss Hattie Kittrell, returned from Baltimore Sunday evening.

The newest thing down this way is that it has been raining. It matters little when that remark is made it states a fact of very recent occurrence. Everyone is a weather prophet now and all predict rain. But let us not despair, the sun will shine again some time, so cheer up. It could be worse. It has been frosting in the central States.

Miss Sarah Baker, returned from Chocowinity Tuesday evening

J. S. Cox of Shelmerdine was here Saturday night and Sunday.

## Died.

Miss Hattie Fleming, daughter of Mrs. Fannie Fleming, of Washington, died in that town Monday morning under an operation for appendicitis. The remains were taken to Pactolus for interment.

## THE WEATHER.

Showers tonight and Thursday.

## LAUNCH PARTY.

Given by Dr. R. L. Carr.

Reported for Reflector

In spite of the rainy afternoon, on Tuesday a jolly crowd were waiting on the river banks at half after four to enjoy a launch party on the "Mayona" given by Dr. R. L. Carr, complimentary to Miss Hennie Whichard and her guest, Miss Susie Perry, of Kinston. The party boarded the boat and went for an eight mile ride up the river, as far as Blue Banks.

On the way back confections were served and much enjoyed by all.

The boat returned about half after seven and the occupants expressed delight at the pleasure the afternoon outing had afforded them.

Those present were: Miss Susie Perry, of Kinston, Misses Hennie Whichard, Willie Ragsdale, Susie Warren, Essie Whichard and Mary Shelburn. The chaperones were Miss Bliss Perry, of Kinston, and Frank Wilson, Miss Nonie Blow, of Littleton, and Mark Williams and Dr. R. L. Carr.

## STOKES ITEMS.

Aug. 28, 1906.

George Moore and wife are visiting Mrs. J. H. Roberson.

W. G. Stokes and John James went to Greenville Monday.

Miss Bessie Ormoud, of Bath, has been visiting Miss Lillian Stokes this week.

Misses May Dudley and Della Smith were in town today.

Allen Baker and wife, of Aurora, are visiting Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Mooring.

Carrie continues to stay. She must have accepted the position to cook this winter.

Prof. J. D. Everett, of Robsonville, was here today.

Quite a number of young boys and girls attended the revival at Oak Grove Monday night.

Lee Davenport, of Pactolus and Herbert Briley, of House, were callers in our town Sunday night.

R. S. Ross went to Greenville today.

K. S. Woolard and Miss Lillian Thomas attended the annual meeting at Smithwick's creek Sunday. They reported a good time.

Georgia Populists Make no Nomination Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 28.—The Populist State convention called to meet here today to nominate a State ticket, failed to materialize, only nine delegates making their appearance. The reasons assigned for the failure of the convention are that Hoke Smith's overwhelming victory in the Democratic primary recently held would make it useless to put out a candidate against him.

## Baseball.

The third teams of Bethel and Greenville will play a game here Thursday. The local team has been practicing daily and as Bethel has a strong team a good game is expected. This will be the deciding game, as each team has won one. Battery for Greenville, Lannier and Haskett, H.

The game will be called at 2 o'clock.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Of Those Coming and Going.

Wiley Brown went north today to purchase new goods.

W. B. Greene and son, Robert, went to Kinston today.

E. H. Taft returned Tuesday evening from Baltimore.

H. C. King returned Tuesday evening from Washington.

W. D. Pruitt returned Tuesday evening from Rocky Mount.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Moore went to Bethel this morning.

Avon Cromartie returned Tuesday evening from a visit to Dunn.

H. A. Barber, postal inspector, who has been here some days, left this morning.

Miss Willie Harvey, of Chipley, Fla., who has been visiting Miss Patie Cotten, left this morning.

Miss Floy Andrews, of Durham, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Andrew, returned home today.

Ernest, Mary, Floyd, Eddie and Carrie Best and Jesse Cox left this morning for the Baptist orphanage at Thomasville.

J. B. Jarvis, who has been spending some days here with his mother, left Tuesday afternoon for Mississippi.

S. P. Erwin, of Beaver Dam, is spending a few days in town with friends. It is his first visit here in fourteen months, having been kept at home by poor health.

E. D. Pennington, of Tarboro, ex-superior court clerk of Edgecombe county, and H. H. Taylor, of Bethel, who are to be cashier and teller of the national bank soon to open in Tarboro, have been here a day or two looking into the system at the Greenville National Bank.

## SOUTHERN COTTON ASSOCIATION TO MEET SEPT. 1

The Pitt county division of the Southern Cotton Association will meet at the court house in Greenville at eleven o'clock, a. m., Saturday, September 1st, 1906. It is very important that the township organizations be fully represented at this meeting, and it is hoped that each will send delegates and assist in the transaction of business demanding attention.

R. R. Cotten, Pres  
W. A. B. Hearne, Sec.

## Breaks Are Heavy.

The sales that take place out on the tobacco market now are something worth looking at. There are big breaks every day, and if they keep on double sales may have to be run.

## Royal Arch Masons.

Grand Lecturer F. M. Moye, of Wilson, is here reviving the chapter of Royal Arch Masons. Several here are taking the degree.

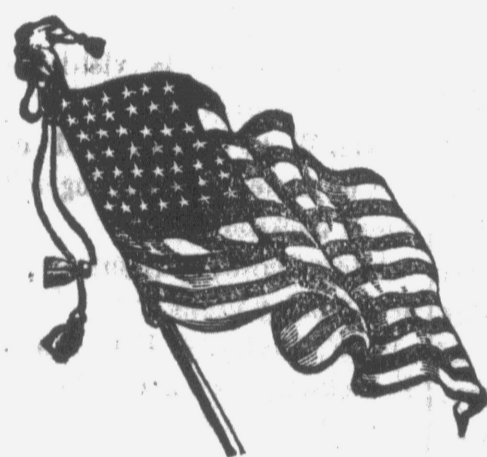
Every member of the Christian church is requested to be present to night at prayer meeting. Business of importance. You should be there.  
J. G. Latnam.

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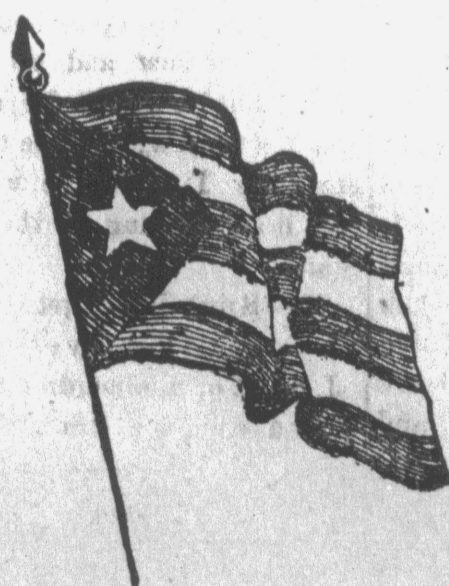
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**THE REFUGEES.**

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was full of blackness and despair. His better self turns in disgust from his sins. I have to see and speak with him once more, and I go from your room to his. And when I have spoken he will come from his room to yours, or I have studied his heart for twenty years in vain." They bowed low to her, both together, and left her to her thoughts.

An hour passed, and then a second one, as she sat in her fauteuil, her tapestry before her, but her hands listless upon her lap, waiting for her fate. Her life's future was now being settled for her, and she was powerless to



"Marry the king!"

turn in one way or the other. Daylight turned to the pearly light of evening, and that again to dusk, but she still sat waiting in the shadow. At last, however, there came a quick, sharp tread, crisp and authoritative, which brought her to her feet with flushed cheeks and her heart beating wildly. The door opened, and she saw outlined against the gray light of the outer passage the erect and graceful figure of the king.

"Sire, one instant and mademoiselle will light the lamp."

"Do not call her." He entered and closed the door behind him. "Francoise, the dusk is welcome to me because it screens me from the reproaches which must lie in your glance even if your tongue be too kindly to utter them."

"Reproaches, sire! God forbid that I should utter them!"

"When I last left you, Francoise, it was with a good resolution in my mind. I tried to carry it out, and I failed—I failed. I remember that you warned me. Fool that I was not to follow your advice!"

"We are all weak and mortal, sire. Who has not fallen? Nay, sire, it goes to my heart to see you thus."

He was standing by the fireplace, his face buried in his hands, and she could tell by the catch of his breath that he was weeping.

"I cannot do without you, Francoise!" he cried. "I am the loneliest man in all this world, like one who lives on a great mountain peak, with none to bear him company. Who have I for a friend? Whom can I rely upon? Some are for the church; some are for their families; most are for themselves. But who of them all is single minded? You are my better self, Francoise. You are my guardian angel. What the good father says is true, and the nearer I am to you the farther am I from all that is evil. Tell me, Francoise, do you love me?"

"I have loved you for years, sire." Her voice was low, but clear—the voice of a woman to whom coquetry was abhorrent.

"I had hoped it, Francoise, and yet it thrills me to hear you say it. Will you be my wife, Francoise?"

And so the moment had in very truth come. She paused for an instant, only an instant, before taking this last great step, but even that was too long for the patience of the king.

"Will you not, Francoise?" he cried.

"May God make me worthy of such an honor, sire!" said she. "And here I swear that if heaven double my life every hour shall be spent in the one endeavor to make you a happier man!"

She had knelt down, and the king, still holding her hand, knelt down beside her.

"And I swear, too," he cried, "that if my days also are doubled you will now and forever be the one and only woman for me."

And so their double oath was taken, an oath which was to be tested in the

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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 19, 1906

The continued rains are confronting the people of this section with a serious problem.

North Carolina will be strictly in it at the Bryan reception, this State sending one of the largest delegations that will attend.

This is Mr. Bryan's week, and he will be given a great reception on Thursday upon reaching New York from his trip around the world.

Several other towns have drawn the line against the woman in the hammock on the bill boards. Greenville looks at her and passes by on the other side.

Between the lynchings on this side Russia gets the chance to fill more space in the papers. The supply of both bombs and officers may get exhausted over there after a while.

Three Spanish ships captured by Admiral Dewey in Manila bay in May, 1898, were recently sold by the navy department and the three brought \$103. They must have been pretty worthless hulls.

The Tarboro negro who committed suicide Sunday went about to make a good job of it and succeeded. He tied a brick to his neck, then tied his hands and jumped in the river. That was the finish of him.

If the example of a certain Birmingham woman was followed there might be fewer wives deserted. The husband of the one in question had deserted her for another woman. She took her four year old son and went to the husband's store and while she held the boy with one hand used a revolver with the other from which she fired three bullets into her faithless husband.

## AS TO COOKS.

A Man Who Thought He Knew How to Get One, But He Got Bit.

The subject how to get a cook and how to keep her after she is employed is always interesting. It is in fact a very live subject. A well known gentleman in this place the other day found himself minus a proper person or any person to do his cooking, but what he thought was a happy idea struck him. He met a negro man on the street, told him he wanted a good cook and that if he would bring him one he would give him a dollar for his trouble. Inside of an hour the cook appeared, was employed

and went to work. Two days after she had jumped the game and as usual without any notice. The gentleman got up one morning and found she had not arrived. She has never been back. In a day or two he found she was cooking for another family.

When he told a friend about it he discovered that he had been badly buncoed. By investigating the matter he discovered that the very man who had sent her to him had taken her away and to another family, receiving a dollar for it.

This is an old trick, but is being revived right along in Greensboro. The woman employed stands in with the negro and gets half of the "premium" offered, besides her pay, provided she remains long enough.

There is just one way to beat these cattle out at their own game and that is for every house wife to learn to cook and be able to do her own work. The cause of all the trouble in finding cooks is the law of supply and demand. When two-thirds of the women of the town get down to doing their own work for a while there will be another song to sing.

All our public schools have been teaching cooking as an art for some time. What has become of them? Do they graduate any of them? If so, what are they doing? They might cook for their mammas. Do They?—Greensboro Record.

## HANDS OFF CUBA.

Annexationists in this country who have longed to see Cuba put under the flag of the United States feel their hopes revived by the present disturbances in the island. The young republic's steady rise under self government has irritated and disappointed them. Matters look better to them as they look worse for Cuba's domestic peace.

But there is one thing our annexationists overlook. They want Cuba because nature made it rich, but they forget that this nation made it free and is pledged to keep it so. The nation's faith is engaged. The United States resisted the temptation, in spite of treacherous counsels, to keep Cuba when its armies were in possession of the island. Its moral sense is now so dead that it could ever betray its solemn vow. The question of maintaining order in Cuba will right itself in good time.

It is not the United States' affair, and even if it were a simple remedy is provided by treaty but that very treaty is a bar to annexation, and should serve even as a bait upon the mere talk of annexation among people who place good faith above territorial aggrandizement and personal enrichment.—New York World.

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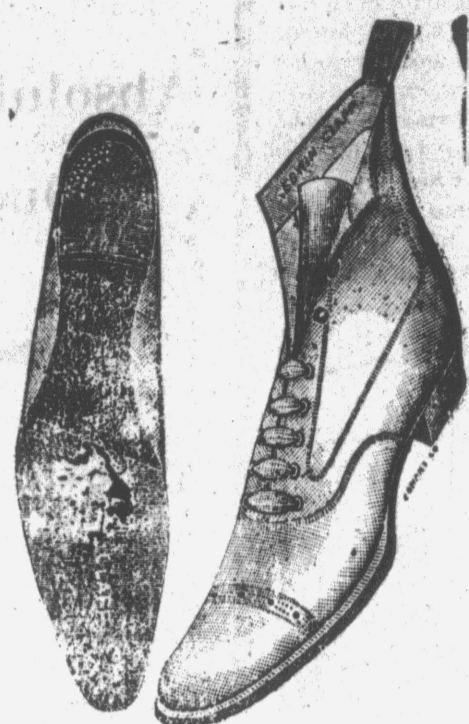
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	Today	Yesterday
Strict Middling	9½	10½
Middling	9½	10
St. Low Middling	9½	9½
Low Middling	9½	9½

PEANUTS:		
Fancy	3	3
Strictly Prime	2½	2
Prime	2½	2
Low Grades	2½	2

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL  
FUTURE MARKETS,

AS WIRED BY  
COBB BROTHERS & COMPANY  
Bankers and Brokers,  
NORFOLK, VA.

New York Futures:			
	Closed	Today	Yesterday
Oct.		8 74	8 96
Dec.		8 92	9 12
Jan.		9 03	9 20
Liverpool Futures:			
Sep. & Oct.		4 92	5 05
Chicago Markets:			
Dec. Wheat		74	74½
Dec. Corn		54	44
Sep. Ribs		8 65	8 80
Oct. Ribs		8 57	8 65
Sep. Lard		8 67	8 75
Oct. Lard		8 77	8 95

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State of North Carolina

Executive Department

Whereas official information has been received at this department that W. H. Harrington Jr. late of the County of Pitt stands charged with conspiracy and assault upon W. J. Tell, and whereas, it appears that the said W. H. Harrington Jr. has fled the State or so conceals himself that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him.

Now, therefore, I, R. B. Glenn, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of One hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said W. H. Harrington Jr. to the Sheriff of Pitt County at the Courthouse in Greenville, N. C. and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our City of Raleigh the 16th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six and in the one hundred and thirty-first year of our American Independence.

R. B. GLENN, By the Governor. A. H. ARRINGTON, Private Secretary.

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The defendant Robert D. Peyton, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court for Pitt County, for divorce, and the defendant will take notice that he is required to appear at the Superior Court for the County of Pitt to be held at the Court House in Greenville on the second Monday after the first Monday in September, 1906, and answer or demur to the complaint, a copy of which will be deposited in the Clerk's office of said court within the first three days of said term or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Witness my hand and seal, this July 19th 1906. J. A. SUGG, D. C. MOORE, Atty for Pl'tf. C. S. C.

### "Make Hay While the Sun Shines"

There is a lesson in the work of the thrifty farmer. He knows that the bright sunshine may last but a day and he prepares for the snows which are so liable to follow. So it should be with every household. Dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which is the best known medicine for these diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary, and delay may prove fatal. For sale by J. L. Wooten, druggist.

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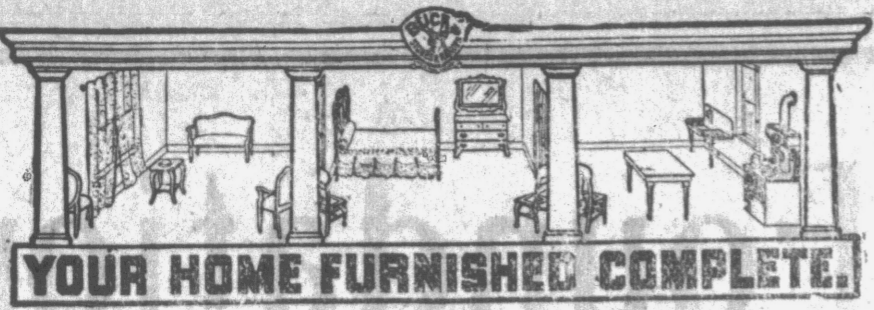
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# THE REFUGEES

By A. CONAN DOYLE,

Author of "The Return of Sherlock Holmes"

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(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY)

leave me, dear sire. It is so long since you have been here."

"I will stay," said he.

"And that carriage, dear sire, at the east door?"

"I have been very harsh with you, Françoise. You will forgive me. Have your paper and pencil, that I may countermand the order?"

"They are here, sire, upon the side table. I have also a note which, if I may leave you for an instant, I will write in the anteroom."

She swept out with triumph in her eyes. It had been a terrible fight, but all the greater the credit of her victory. She took a little pink slip of paper from an inlaid desk and dashed off a few words upon it. They were, "Should Mme. de Maintenon have any message for his majesty he will be for the next few hours in the room of Mme. de Montespan." This she addressed to her rival, and it was sent on the spot, together with the king's order, by the hands of a page.

CHAPTER VIII.

FOR nearly a week the king was constant to his new humor. The routine of his life remained unchanged, save that it was the room of the frail beauty rather than of Mme. de Maintenon which attracted him in the afternoon. And in sympathy with this sudden relapse into his old life his coats lost something of their somber hue. His walk was brisker, and he gave a youthful flourish to his cane as a defiance to those who had seen in his reformation the first symptoms of age.

And as the king brightened, so all the great court brightened too. The salons began to resume their former splendor, and gay coats and glittering embroidery which had lain in drawers for years were seen once more in the halls of the palace. The Montespan

anteroom was crowded every morning with men and women who had some suit to be urged, while her rival's chambers were as deserted as they had been before the king first turned a gracious look upon her. Faces which had been long banished from the court began to reappear in the corridors and gardens unchecked and unrebuked, while the black cassock of the Jesuit and the purple soutane of the bishop were less frequent colors in the royal circle.

But the church party was never seriously alarmed at this relapse. The grave eyes of priest or of prelate followed Louis in his escapade as war-hunters might watch a young deer which gambols about in the meadow under the impression that it is masterless when every gap and path is netted and it is in truth as much in their hands as though it were lying bound before them. They waited, therefore, and they silently planned how the prodigal might best be dealt with on his return.

To this end it was that his confessor, Pere la Chaise, and Bossuet, the great bishop of Meaux, waited one morning upon Mme. de Maintenon in her chamber. With a globe beside her, she was endeavoring to teach geography to the lame Duc du Maine and the mischievous little Comte de Toulouse, who had enough of their father's disposition to make them averse to learning and of their mother's to cause them to hate any discipline or restraint.

Mme. de Maintenon dismissed her two pupils and received the ecclesiastics with the mixture of affection and respect which was due to those who were not only personal friends, but great lights of the Gallican church. The last few days had cast a pallor over her face which spiritualized and refined the features, but she wore unimpaired her expression of sweet serenity.

"I see, my dear daughter, that you have sorrowed," said Bossuet, glancing at her with a kindly and yet searching eye.

"I have indeed, your grace. All last night I spent in prayer that this trial may pass away from us."

"And yet you have no need for fear, madame—none, I assure you. Others may think that your influence has ceased, but we, who know the king's heart, think otherwise. A few days may pass, a few weeks at the most, and once more it will be upon your rising fortunes that every eye in France will turn."

The lady's brow clouded, and she glanced at the prelate as though his speech were not altogether to her taste. "I trust that pride does not lead me astray," she said. "But if I can read my own soul aright there is no thought of myself in the grief which now tears my heart. It is for the king I grieve, for the noble heart, the kindly soul, which might rise so high and which is dragged so low."

"For all that, my daughter, you are ambitious. Would you not love to turn the king toward good?"

"I would give my life for it."

"And there is your ambition. Ah, can I not read your noble soul? Would you not love to see the church reign pure and serene over all this realm, to see the poor housed, the needy helped, the wicked turned from their ways and the king ever the leader in all that is noble and good?"

Her cheeks had flushed, and her eyes shone as she looked at the gray face of the Jesuit and saw the picture which his words had conjured up before her.

"My daughter," said Bossuet solemnly, "it is time for plain speaking. It is in the interests of the church that we do it. None hear and none shall ever hear what passes between us now. Regard us, if you will, as two confessors, with whom your secret is inviolable. I call it a secret, and yet it is none to us, for it is our mission to read the human heart. You love the king."

"Your grace—father!" She turned in confusion from one to the other.

"There is no shame in loving, my daughter. The shame lies only in yielding to love. I say again that you love the king."

"At least I have never told him so," she faltered.

"And will you never?"

"May heaven wither my tongue first!" "But consider, my daughter. Such love in a soul like yours is heaven's gift and sent for some wise purpose. We speak for the interests of the holy church, and those interests demand that you should marry the king."

"Marry the king!" The little room swam round her. "Marry the king!" "There lies the best hope for the future. We see in you a second Jeanne

of Arc who will save both France and France's king."

Madame sat silent for a few moments. Her face had regained its composure, and her eyes were bent vacantly upon her tapestry frame as she turned over in her mind all that was involved in the suggestion.

"But surely—surely this could never be," she said at last. "What king of France has married a subject? Show every princess of Europe stretches out her hand to him. The queen of France must be of queenly blood, even as the last was."

"All this may be overcome."

"And then there are the reasons of state. If the king marry, it should be to form a powerful alliance, to cement a friendship with a neighbor nation or to gain some province which may be the bride's dowry. What is my dowry? A widow's pension and a workbox."

"Your dowry, my daughter, would be those gifts of body and of mind with which heaven has endowed you. The king has money enough and the king has provinces enough. As to the state, how can the state be better served than by the assurance that the king will be saved in future from such sights as are to be seen in this palace today?"

"Oh, if it could be so! But think, father; think of those about him—the dauphin, monsieur his brother, his ministers. You know how little this would please them and how easy it is for them to sway his mind."

The faces of the two ecclesiastics who had dismissed her other objections with a smile and a wave clouded over at this.

"My daughter," said the Jesuit gravely, "that is a matter which you may leave to the church. It may be that we, too, have some power over the king's mind and that we may lead him in the right path, even though those of his own blood would fain have it otherwise. The future only can show with whom the power lies. But you? Love and duty both draw you one way

now, and the church may count upon you and you upon the church. It will serve you if you in turn will but serve it."

"What higher wish could I have?"

"You will be our daughter, our queen, our champion, and you will heal the wounds of the suffering church. The Huguenots must go. They must be driven forth. The goats must be divided from the sheep. The king is already in two minds. Louvois is our friend now. If you are with us, then all will be well."

"But, father, think how many there are! And think, too, of their sufferings should they be driven forth!"

"Their cure lies in their own hands."

"That is true. And yet my heart softens for them."

Pere la Chaise and the bishop shook their heads.

"You would befriend God's enemies, then?"

"No, no; not if they are indeed so."

"Can you doubt it? Is it possible that your heart still turns toward the heresy of your youth?"

"No, father; but it is not in nature to forget that my father and my grandfather—"

"Nay; they have answered for their own sins. Is it possible that the church has been mistaken in you? Do you, then, refuse the first favor which she asks of you? You would accept her aid, and yet you would give none in return."

Mme. de Maintenon rose with the air of one who has made her resolution. "You are wiser than I," said she, "and to you have been committed the interests of the church. I will do what you advise."

"You promise it?"

"I do."

Her two visitors threw up their hands together. "It is a blessed day," they cried, "and generations yet unborn will learn to deem it so."

She sat half stunned by the prospect which was opening out in front of her. Ambitious she had, as the Jesuit had surmised, always been—ambitious for the power which would enable her to leave the world better than she found it. But close at the heels of her joy there came a sudden revulsion to doubt and despondency. Was not all this fine prospect a mere day dream? And how could these men be so sure that they held the king in the hollow of their hand? The Jesuit read the fears which dulled the sparkle of her eyes, and answered her thoughts.

"The church redeems its pledges swiftly," said he. "And you, my daughter, you must be as prompt when your own turn comes."

"I have promised, father."

"Then it is for us to perform. You will remain in your room all evening."

"Yes, father."

"The king already hesitates. I spoke with him this morning, and his mind

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Letters testamentary having this day been issued to me, by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt, as executor of the last will and testament of J. F. Hellen deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of said testator to present them to me for payment, duly authenticated, on or before the 21st day of August 1907, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to me this the 21st day of August 1906.

R. W. SMITH, Executor of J. F. Hellen, deceased, Jarvis and Blow, Attorneys.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

### Little Bits Caught up Here and

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### COUNTY CONVENTION.

By direction of the Republican County Executive Committee for Pitt county, a convention of the people of Pitt county is hereby called to assemble in the court house in Greenville Saturday Sept. 15th, 1906 at 12 o'clock for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various county offices and to transact such other business as may come before the convention. The people are requested to meet at the several voting precincts of the county on Saturday the 8th day of September, 1906, at 3 p. m. to nominate candidates for Justices of the Peace and Constables for their respective townships and to appoint delegates to attend the county convention. It is suggested that all citizens who desire to affiliate with the Republican party in this campaign, and see to a good opposition county ticket in the field, be invited and requested to act as delegates from their respective townships to the county convention.

The time has come, when two well organized and active political parties in Pitt county is essential to the proper administration of public affairs and the preservation of the independence and rights of the people. Prominent speakers will address the convention,

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