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## WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

### Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor

Albert McCauley, of Chapel Hill, spent Friday here with his sister, Mrs. F. C. Nye.

Miss Vivian Roberson left Friday evening to spend Sunday at Gold Point, her home.

Miss Hattie Kittrell left Friday to spend Sunday with Miss Nannie Houe, near House station.

The Vance literary society had another lively debate last night.

Jesse Rollins went to Ayden Friday on business.

H. A. White, of Greenville, was here Friday.

Mrs. J. K. Barnhill, from near Greenville, spent Friday with her son, J. K. Barnhill.

Geo. Rollins went to Greenville Friday evening.

**NOTICE**—We will pay 1 per cent. premium on cashier's checks till Dec. 1, 1907.

B. F. Manning & Co., Winterville, N. C.

Some days ago, Geo. Kittrell shipped a pony to New Hill, N. C.

We are impressed with the excellent spirit the people are showing toward the banks of the county.

Miss Elizabeth Boushall went to Greenville today.

The New York World quotes labor leaders as saying that thousands of workmen will be unable to find employment in New York city in 1908 owing to the slackening of building operations due to the financial stringency. Has the financial stringency shown anything so plainly as that every man has his duty to perform in the complex task of maintaining a civilization? A man gets uneasy about his money takes it out of his bank, and puts it under his pillow. Little harm is done. But multiply his course sufficiently and the mischief is to pay. The wheels of industry stop, men are thrown out of employment, women and children are rendered anxious and unhappy.

## JOHN FLANAGAN BUGGY CO.

### Will Have Good Quarters in New Building.

The large, three story brick building erected on the corner of Fourth and Cotanch streets by the John Flanagan Buggy Co., has been completed and is ready for putting in machinery. The company has already begun storing material in the new building and will be in operation there by the beginning of the new year. The building is splendidly arranged for carrying on the large business of this popular firm. Electricians are now wiring the building for lighting and running the machinery by electric motor. The building is a credit to the town.

### Land For Sale.

On Tuesday, Dec. 10th, I will sell at public auction before the court house door in Greenville, or privately before that date, several parcels of wooded land in 50 or 100 acre tracts, to suit purchaser. The land is situated 3 miles from Greenville and is crossed by the Norfolk & Southern railroad.

Terms, one third or one half cash, balance in one and two years. J. L. Elks.

## Wild Runaway.

Friday afternoon Mr. W. H. Johnson's horse ran away. The horse was hitched to a buggy, and starting near the depot ran down Dickinson avenue and through part of Evans street, stopping near J. M. Reuss' store. The runaway had several collisions and did considerable damage to vehicles. No one was in the buggy, and there was no personal injury.

## 25th Street After Trinity.

There will be divine services in Odd Fellows hall on above date. Morning services at 11 o'clock, evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited. Rev. Wm. Hood, Rector in charge.

## Looking to Consolidate.

The committee from the two white fire companies of the town met Friday night with a part of the committee of aldermen to confer with regard to consolidation of the firemen into one company. Several suggestions were discussed but no definite conclusion was settled upon. It is likely that both companies will be called together in a general meeting with the board of aldermen for consultation.

An exchange remarks that "the next time the Governor of North Carolina is asked to meet other governors, the Governor of South Carolina should be invited in order to make the conversation interesting." This observation was likely caused from the fact that the Governors of Virginia and Alabama, together with our own Governor, met with Governor Smith, of Georgia, in Atlanta, to confer with regard to railroad regulation and the Governor of South Carolina was not present. Perhaps if that gentleman had been present the meeting would have been more lively.

## Thanksgiving Day—Orphan's Day.

The work of the orphan's homes of North Carolina appeals strikingly to our judgment and to our sympathies. It merits our heartiest support.

In helping to provide for homeless, orphan children a home, a tender care, and an opportunity to obtain training for life, we perform a service the value of which is at present great and, in the future, will be multiplied beyond measure.

The Thanksgiving season has been set apart by the good people of this State as a time of special effort for aid to our orphanages.

This is a beautiful and practicable expression of the spirit of gratitude and is, we are sure, pleasing to the great and loving Father of the fatherless.

Thank-offerings at Thanksgiving are a real factor in the maintenance and improvement of our orphan's home.

We bespeak for this most worthy work even the greater interest and love of a people who are signally blessed of God, a people who have abundant cause for gratitude. We believe the offerings will be made gladly and that they will be truly large and liberal.

## Warning.

All persons are hereby warned under penalty of the law, not to hunt or in any way trespass upon my lands known as the Wilson and Perkins farms, north of the river. C. T. Munford 30 dt

## THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

An old time-honored custom of the President of the Nation and the Governors of the various States is to issue once a year a Thanksgiving Proclamation, calling on the people to give expression by words of praise and gratitude to their appreciation of the manifold mercies bestowed upon them by an all-wise and good God. To me this is a most beautiful and helpful custom, for if a State or an individual will only compare their many blessings with their few ills, each will find that the good bestowed is far in excess of the evil, and therefore a matter for profoundest rejoicing.

While since the last proclamation some things have occurred in the State that are to be regretted, and some feelings engendered that may have left a sting, still when these disturbances and excitement are forgotten, or only remembered as having taught lessons of patriotism and wisdom; the peace, plenty and blessings of the past year will be remembered as cause for the expression of our deepest gratitude to the author of all good.

No pestilence or great epidemic of sickness has visited our people, but unusual health and freedom from disease have been enjoyed throughout the entire State, and a manifestation of kindly consideration and love for the sick, the unfortunate and afflicted has been exhibited in the building of new hospitals and in the better equipment of our benevolent institutions.

The demand for laborers in every department of business has been so great that good wages for reasonable hours have been given all who toil, and there has been no excuse for any able-bodied person eating the bread of idleness or being dependent on charity.

Peace and good-will have existed between capital and labor, and employers and employees have enjoyed closer relations than ever before—each with brotherly love doing his full duty to the other.

More miles of railroad have been built, more factories of every description erected; more looms, spindles, planes, saws and furnaces put in operation, until the year 1907 has become the greatest in our history in material development and in progressive upbuilding.

Our farm products have commanded higher prices than heretofore, which, while entailing more expense on the consumer, has added greater gain to the producer, thus maintaining the parity of wealth. Money has been obtainable on easy terms, and not even the stringency of Wall Street has affected to any great extent our financial condition. Investments have declared good dividends and fine returns have been made on every class of work both in the agricultural and industrial field.

Never before in the history of the State has there been such interest taken in public education, while a temperance wave has swept over the entire Commonwealth, showing that while our people have millions for investments, improvements and education, they are tired of seeing money squandered for strong drink, that only brings ruin and shame, for they have ascertained that the true worth of a nation or State is not always to be gauged by the

amount of its finances, the strength of its army, or the value of its products, but by the character of its men and women. Isaiah said, "I will make a man more precious than fine gold." In the hour of our great prosperity we must not forget we are moral beings with souls, as well as progressive men, for soundness of heart and purity of life are the State's greatest bulwark of safety.

Law and order have been maintained and no unlawful mobs assembled, but the people have been quiet and given up to deeds of industry and thrift.

While trying to do full justice to all and protecting every class, high and low, during the year the State has maintained that it is supreme, and that all, both great and small, must obey its laws.

The mercies thus shown us by a bountiful Creator have been so prodigious, and the percentage of increase—agriculturally, industrially, educationally and morally—so wonderful, that it has attracted not only the notice of our nation, but of the entire world, and has made it our duty to magnify the name of Him who has thus given us the increase.

For the purpose, therefore, of giving all an opportunity of expressing their gratitude and love, I, R. B. Glenn, governor of North Carolina, do join with the president of the United States in proclaiming Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of November, 1907, as a day of general thanksgiving prayer and rejoicing.

On this day I earnestly hope and ask that every kind of business be suspended and a holiday given, and that the people assemble at their usual places of worship and offer thanks to Almighty God for His many mercies, and there renew their vows and dedicate themselves afresh to lives of thrift and honor and to the service of their State, their country and their God. I likewise respectfully ask that the ministers of all churches that have service on Thanksgiving day read this proclamation to their people, making such comment upon it as to them seems proper and right on such an occasion of praise and prayer.

In particular also I ask that on this day of thanksgiving we remember the poor, the needy, the afflicted, the widows and orphans, and all others in distress, and at the collection table give to their wants as the Lord has prospered us. Let us also remember on this day of thanksgiving and rejoicing to do nothing reflecting on the name of our State, but let us bear ourselves as becometh patriotic citizens and faithful Christian people.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.

Done in our City of Raleigh, this eleventh day of November, 07, and in the one hundred and thirty-second year of our American Independence.

R. B. GLENN.

By the governor:  
A. H. Arrington,  
private Secretary.

## Shot Through Thumb.

Jack Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bryan, shot a rifle ball through the thumb of one hand this morning. He had his gun sprung when he dropped it and the weapon was discharged. It is fortunate the damage was no worse.

## MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

### Those Who Come and Go—Some You Know Some Know You

M. R. Lang, of Norfolk, came in Friday evening.

Miss Verna Whichard went to Wilson today.

Miss Helen Forbes left this morning for Baltimore and Philadelphia.

Mrs. J. S. Mooring left this morning for Bethel, to visit her parents.

Mrs. J. L. Starkey and little son returned Friday evening from Norfolk.

W. O. Little, of Newport News, Va., is visiting relatives in this section.

Mrs. W. J. Cowell returned Friday evening from a visit to Washington.

Mrs. Blake, of Greensboro, came in Friday evening and is at Mrs. W. B. Wilson's.

S. J. Nobles, W. E. Moore and Mills Smith returned Friday evening from Norfolk.

Misses Gertrude Sullivan, of Savannah; Kathleen McDonnell, of Baltimore; Janie Murray, of Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. Julian Timberlake, of Raleigh; Lieut. Bruce Cotten, of New London, Conn. and P. S. Cotten, of Norfolk, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cotten, at Cottondale, and will remain until after the Wesson-Cotten marriage.

### Services Tomorrow.

At the Christian church the usual services will be held. The Christian Endeavor society will meet at 8:30 p. m. Every member is requested to be present.

At the Baptist church preaching will be held at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school, Barco and Philathea classes meet at 9:30 a. m.

At the Methodist church Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. League meeting at 5 o'clock. Subject at night Zachariah, A Man Unafraid.

The Free Will Baptist will hold quarterly meeting. Elder E. T. Phillips will preach. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. There will also be communion.

At the Episcopal church there will be service with sermon at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

It was announced at the White House Friday that President Roosevelt will sign the proclamation admitting Oklahoma and Indian Territory to statehood at 10 o'clock, Sunday morning next. The signing of the proclamation will bring the new State into existence instantly which will be at 9 o'clock, Central time, in Oklahoma.

The Liquor Dealers' Association sees the South gaining ground on it and the federal government determined that the whiskey it sells should be pure whiskey. Under such adverse circumstances and while they have fallen upon such hard lines it would be a good idea for the fellows engaged in the business to close out and engage in something more profitable and more respectable.

Weather.  
Fair tonight and Sunday.

## AROUND ABOUT TOWN

### Some of the Things that Happen in Greenville and Hereabout

The Electric Theatre is giving good shows.

The standpipe was full to overflowing today.

The Saturday crowd in town today was large.

Fresh pork and beef by the quarters are coming in.

These nights make you draw up closer to the stove.

New Buckwheat at S. M. Schultz.

**FOR RENT**—Dwelling, with seven rooms in good location. Apply, Moseley Bros. 11 tf

Several local hunters went over to Grindool on the morning train to look for birds.

There was enough link sausage hanging in the market house this morning to feed a multitude of people.

New supply of corn and oats at F. V. Johnston's. 2td 1tw.

If the hunters are killing many partridges they are not making much noise about it.

Christmas goods are getting ready for display and some timely advertising will help sell them.

Cabbage Plants—Early Jersey Wakefield cabbage plants ready for delivery. D. R. King. 2 wks.

The Reflector will swap subscription receipts for cashier's checks, dollar for dollar. Just bring them on.

Several cart loads of long stalk collards were on the street today. The touch of frost has made them fine for the table.

The Electric Theatre was well patronized Friday night and the program proved to be a good one.

Had you noticed that the average price of tobacco is now much higher than the price of cotton?

There were great times at the Lilliputian bazaar in Perkins opera house Friday night. It was in every way a success.

Court held out the full two weeks' term and did not adjourn until today. More business was done than at any civil term held here in some time.

\$10 reward for any information leading to the recovery of \$32 stolen from the office of the Electric Theater on Friday night last. Money was left in office after shows closed in glove inside of a brown leather ladies handbag. Mrs. W. G. Williams.

### For Rent.

The store and two warehouses at present occupied by F. V. Johnston will be for rent Jan. 1st. J. A. Andrews.

### For Sale.

Corn meal, cracked corn, hay, cotton seed meal and hulls, and coal, at the gin on corner of Fifth and Cotanch streets, near market house. W. B. Higson.

### A Thrilling Play.

The young people of the town are rehearsing a beautiful play of society life in New York, which recently had a run of a whole year in one of the leading theatres of that city. The play is entitled "Young Miss Winthrop." The proceeds are to be devoted to assist in paying the heavy interest on the new Methodist church, which still has a debt of some \$12,000. At the same time the Ladies Aid society of that church are collecting handsome articles for an elaborate bazaar to be opened some time during the coming year, possibly not before the fall.



Report of the Condition of

THE NATIONAL BANK OF GREENVILLE

At Greenville, in the state of North Carolina, at the close of business August 22, 1907

RESOURCES table with columns for Loans and Discounts, Overdrafts secured and unsecured, U. S. Bonds to secure circulation, etc.

LIABILITIES table with columns for Capital Stock paid in, Surplus Funds, Full-paid profits, less expenses and taxes paid, etc.

Notice to Creditors. Having duly qualified before the superior court of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of Jesse Nelson deceased, notice is hereby given to persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of September, 1907.

ESTABLISHED 1875

S. M. SCHULTZ

Wholesale and retail Grocer and Varieties Dealer. Cash and for Miles Par, Cotton Seed, J. B. Brels, Warkoys, Egg, etc. Bep seeds, Mattresses, Oak Sna, City Carriages, Go-Carts, Parap, etc.

S. M. Schultze

DR. R. L. CARR

Dentist. GREENVILLE, N. C.

Central Barber Shop

Edmond & Fleming Props. Located in main business section of the town. Four chairs in operation and each one presided over by a skilled barber.

L. I. MOORE W. H. LONG

Moore and Long ATTORNEYS AT LAW GREENVILLE N. C.

When you feel the need of a pill take DeWitt's Little Early Riser. Safe pill, sure pill. Easy to take, pleasant and effective. Drives away headaches. Sold by John L. Wooten's drug store.

Bad breath is a most offensive ailment, irritates you as well as your friends; Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea takes the bad taste from the mouth, removes the cause, purifies the breath. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Wooten's Drug Store.

J. L. QUINN & CO LEADING FLORISTS OF NORTH CAROLINA

All kinds of all kinds of choice cut flowers in season. Special attention given to Wedding and Funeral Decorations; Bulb stock, Pot plants for Winter blooming, Rosebushes, Shrubberies, Hedge plants and shade trees, etc.

All stomach trouble are quickly relieved by taking a little Kodok after each meal. Kodok goes directly to the seat of the trouble, strengthens the digestive organs, supplies the natural juices and digests what you eat. It is a simple, clean, pure, harmless remedy. Don't neglect your stomach. Take a little Kodok after each meal and see how good it makes you feel. Money back if it fails. Sold by John L. Wooten.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having duly qualified before the superior court of Pitt county as administrator of the estate of M. D. Whitehurst, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate to make immediate payment to the undersigned, and all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned for payment on or before the 1st day of October, 1908, or this notice will be lead in bar of recovery.

This 1st day of October, 1907. J. H. Whitehurst, Adm'r of M. D. Whitehurst

A prompt, pleasant, good remedy for coughs and colds, is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. It is especially recommended for babies and children, but good for every member of the family. It contains no opiates and does not constipate. Contains honey and tar and tastes nearly as good as maple syrup. Children like it. Sold by John L. Wooten's Drug Store.

Get a free sample of Dr. Shoop's "Health Coffee" at our store. If your coffee disturbs your stomach, your head or kidneys, then try this clever coffee imitation. Dr. Shoop has closely watched Old Java and Mocha coffee in flavor and taste, yet it has not a single grain of real coffee in it. Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee Imitation is made from pure toasted grains or cereals, with Meat, Nuts, etc. Made in a minute. No tedious wait. You will surely like it. Sold by T. E. Hooker & Co.

Bert Barber, of Elton, Wis., says "I have only taken four doses of your Kidney and Bladder Pills and they have done for me more than any other medicine has ever done. I am still taking the pills as I want a perfect cure." Mr. Barber refers to DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills, which are unequalled for backache, weak kidneys, inflammation of the bladder and urinary troubles. A weeks treatment for 25c. Sold by J. L. Wooten's drug store.

WARNING

All persons are hereby warned, under penalty of the law, not to hunt or in any way trespass upon any of my lands near the town of Greenville, either the farm on South side of the river or the low grounds on north side of the river. Frank Johnston.

Literary Note

"Draw up a chair and watch the fire of genius blaze," he said. "Where?" "In the store. I've just put in a crate of rejected poems!"—Atlanta Constitution.

A Poignant Conclusion

First Assailant—That pretty model who is so quiet and reserved is a good deal of a puzzle. Second Assailant—Naturally. Isn't it her habit to be a poser?—Boston Herald.

Birth Grows

Notwithstanding all the excitement they takes he seems to get on all right. John's exercise seems to be what—Philadelphia Press.

Great Out

How do you Mrs. Smythe afford to keep three servants? She—My dear, she plays bridge with them every Monday and they owe her money.—London Opinion.

Only of Rice

"What do you think of this custom of throwing rice after newly married couples?" "I don't think there is a grain of sense in it."—Baltimore American.

A DRAMATIC EXPERIENCE

It Had to Do With the Rescue of Nordenskjold.

Most dramatic in its experience of all the 1901 expeditions, hardly surpassed by any crossing either circle, was that of the Swedes under Nordenskjold, says H. L. Bridgman in the Outing Magazine. Landed at Snow hill, on Seymour island, Nordenskjold and his party bade goodby to Captain Larsen and the Antarctic, built them a house and settled down to scientific work for the summer and, as it turned out, for the winter. Larsen's instructions were to refit at the Falkland islands to give the zoologists of the party a chance at Tierra del Fuego and to come back to Snow hill in the summer of 1902.

That summer and the next winter passed, and Nordenskjold and his companions saw nothing of Larsen or of the Antarctic. One day they saw coming over the ice and rocks two objects which every one at first asserted were emperor penguins, but on coming nearer proved to be Duse and Anderson, who, landed the year before by Larsen and cut off by open water from their proposed journey overland to Snow hill, had spent nine months in a hut built of the stones which they could collect and subsisting on the scanty supplies left with them, but chiefly on the penguins and seals they had been able to kill. Men were never more warmly welcomed than these two, wintering unknown within twenty miles of comrades and headquarters.

Finally, as hope was almost departing and the summer drawing fast to a close, one fine day Captain Irizar, commander of the cruiser dispatched by Argentine, called at Snow hill and bade Nordenskjold and his reunited party make ready to leave for home. The welcome summons was, of course, willingly obeyed, but "if Larsen were only here," said the released and relieved Swedes. And the very next day whom did they see tramping across the floe but Larsen and five sturdy sailors from Paulet's island, where they had wintered after the Antarctic had been crushed and sunk by the ice, following a gallant fight of weeks to keep her afloat and bring off the party from the rocks of Snow hill.

The world rejoiced at Nordenskjold's rescue, and the more when the scientific results of his long isolation were found to be of the highest importance.

George Grossmith's Autograph

A good tale is told of George Grossmith and the signing of his name. The proprietor of a certain hotel where "Geo-tie" was staying during one of his recital tours brought in a volume containing the autographs of distinguished visitors and begged that Grossmith would write a few words beyond the bare record of his stay. The ex-Savoyard turned over the leaves to see what friend had preceded him there and saw a signature which gave him an idea. It was that of Mrs. Alice Shaw, the well known "suffreuse," and in the book was recorded this reason for her whistling: "I whistle because I must." The opening was too good to be neglected, and it was not many seconds before the book received this addition: "I sing because I can't."—George Grossmith.—London Standard.

Roughing It

On one occasion Archbishop Temple was welcomed and entertained overnight by a clergyman during the absence of that clergyman's wife. On leaving the host politely expressed the hope that when next his lordship honored the house Mrs. Temple would accompany him. "No, thanks," the archbishop laconically replied; "Mrs. Temple doesn't like roughing it."

The clergyman's feelings were deeply hurt, for the visit had meant some expense and much anxiety to him. He unburdened his soul to his wife on her return. "Why, my dear," she exclaimed, "you didn't surely put the bishop in the pink bedroom, did you?" He did.

"Oh, then that's it! I put all the plate in the bed!"—London Outlook.

A Tender Hearted Girl

Softer than swansdown was her heart—more tender than spring tints in the sky. She could not bear to give pain to any living thing. As they walked through the woods such was his love that he went first and brushed away the spider webs with his face.

"See!" he cried, pointing to a forest giant. "See!" And on it she saw a graven heart with their names cut inside it.

"Oh, cruel, cruel!" she wept. "Our engagement is broken. I would not marry a monster who thus inflicts pain on"— "What!" he cried. "What have I done that is so cruel?" "You have cut a live oak tree!"—Pearson's Weekly.

ALL THOUGHT THE SAME

P. A. B. Widener tells this story on himself. It is the custom of one of the railway board of directors of which he is a member to pay each director who attends a board meeting \$20, and the money due the absentees is divided among those present.

On one blizzard day when the board was scheduled to meet Mr. Widener figured that the snow and cold would keep the other members away from the meeting, and he determined to attend and thus secure the fees of all the absentees as well as his own fee. Not that Mr. Widener needed the money, but he chuckled as he thought of the joke he would have on his fellow directors. So he put up with the inconveniences and dangers of the storm and made his way to the board's meeting place. His amazement was complete when he entered the room and found that every other member had preceded him. The intended joke was too good, and he frankly told of his purpose in turning out on such a wretched and death inviting day.

The other board members laughed heartily, and before many minutes had elapsed all had confessed that they were present as a result of the same mental figuring. Each had thought as Mr. Widener had—that he would capture his own and all his fellow members' fees. But each had to be satisfied with the usual \$20.—Philadelphia Record.

Shaw's Splendid Dinner

George Bernard Shaw, critic, dramatist and novelist, asserts that he has no more home instinct than a milk can at a railway station. He admits, however, that he has an address at 10 Adelphi terrace, London. "These chambers," he explains, "constitute the real center of my domesticity, because my wife lives there. My official residence, qualifying me as a vestryman, is in Fitzroy square. My mother lives there. I live nowhere." He says that any place that will hold a bed and a writing table is as characteristic of him as any other. At one of the Socialist conferences when the delegates assembled after lunch the well known writer came in, rubbing his hands and giving thanks for the splendid dinner he had just had. Some one asked him what he had for dinner. "Ah," replied Mr. Shaw, with all the serenity of a well fed man, "I've had seven bananas!"

Comet Superstitions

Has this year's comet affected the weather? A century ago the answer would have been yes. Thus to the charge of the comet of 1811 were laid the facts not only of the excellent vintage and abundant crops of that year, but also that wasps were then few and flies blind and that a shoemaker's wife in London had four children at a birth. Besides such calamities as invasions, pestilences and the like, the comets of various years were considered responsible for many minor tragedies, including the destruction of a church clock by a meteoric stone, a fit of sneezing that became prevalent in Germany and in 1668 an epidemic among cats in Westminster.—Chicago News.

A Famous Brigand

Servia's most famous brigand, Karajitch, has been shot near his hut on the summit of Mount Kaoni. He had fourteen murders, two abductions and countless robberies to his account. Deeply devoted to his mother, he supplied all her wants from the day she was stricken with paralysis. He told her recently that he would not let himself be caught until his head was rated at \$2,500 instead of \$500. Further, he promised her that he would endeavor to be taken in some poor man's cabin rather than let the "man hunters" (police) get the reward. He was, however, unable to carry out his good intentions.

Marie Corelli and Marriage

Marie Corelli, the famous writer, is greatly annoyed by a little story now going the rounds of the press. The form it generally takes is this: "She was asked the other day why she does not marry. She replied: 'I have three pets at home which together answer the same purpose. I have a dog which growls all the morning, a parrot which swears all the afternoon and a cat which stays out at night.'" Miss Corelli possesses neither a dog nor a parrot nor a cat, and she has never yet met any one bold enough to ask her why she is unmarried.—Chicago News.

On the Links

Eben M. Byers, Pittsburg's famous golfer, was talking at a dinner about dawdling players. "Nothing is more vexatious," Mr. Byers said, "than to follow one of these dawdlers over a course. They all should be served as a bow legged chap was the other day. 'He was playing at Englewood. His play was as slow as it was poor. Setting his warped legs wide apart, he would miss the easiest ball three or four times hand running. He was retarding half a dozen good, brisk players, but this he didn't seem to mind at all. 'Finally one man, having drawn very near, lost patience and with a neat shot sent his ball flying directly between the slow player's bow-legs. 'The slow player jumped back in a great fright. Then he yelled angrily: 'Say, do you call that golf?' 'No,' said the other, 'but I call it pretty good croquet.'"

He Didn't Vote

There is a little story going round the house of commons about a certain member who abstained from voting on the deceased wife's sister bill. Questioned by one of his friends as to the reason for his abstention, he replied, "Well, my dear fellow, it's just like this—my wife has a sister."—John Bull.

CONDENSED STORIES

Examples of the Keen Wit of the Late William M. Evarts.

The Hon. William M. Evarts, secretary of state during President Hayes' administration, was celebrated not only as a statesman and a lawyer, but also as a great wit. On one occasion he was at a large stag dinner given by Edward Potter in New York. The five Potter brothers were among the numerous dinner guests.

Toward the end of the dinner Mr. Evarts was called on for a speech, to which he responded: "As I look around this table I am reminded of a story of a young President."



EVARTS GAZED AT THE MUDDY WATERS.

byterian divine, recently licensed to preach, who was holding his first service. "In leading the first prayer the nervous young clergyman began: 'We thank thee, O Lord!'— He stopped, cleared his throat and then went on: 'We thank thee, O Lord!'— 'Again he paused and then in desperation said: 'We thank thee, O Lord, that thou art the clay and we are the Potters!'"

The guests were convulsed, and his speech was an instantaneous hit, although none but Mr. Evarts would have dared to do it. On one of his trips abroad Mr. Evarts landed at Liverpool. The steamer was proceeding slowly up the river to the wharf, and Mr. Evarts was standing on deck looking meditatively at the muddy waters of the Mersey.

Suddenly he turned to his companion and, with a quizzical gleam in his eye, said: "Evidently 'the quality of Mercy is not strained.'"—Washington Post.

The Mirage of Marriage

Miss Marie Cahill chose the chorus girls for her new play, "Marrying Mary," by measurement. The Bertillon system was employed. "By this excellent system of measurement," said Miss Cahill the other day, "one gets in a chorus girl the real thing. Mirage is avoided. You know what a mirage is? Quite sure? Well, at any rate, I'll point out its meaning to you with a story: "A boy looked up from his book one night. "Father," he said, "what is a mirage?" "The father answered glibly from behind his paper: "The union of a man and woman till death or the law them do part." "But," said the boy, "that's marriage, ain't it?" "Same thing, sonny; it's the same thing," replied the father. "A man imagines he sees wonders and delights where there is nothing. Fight shy of 'em both, my boy."

A Swindle

Richard Mansfield once hired a private secretary, but was compelled to discharge him because he could not spell and was otherwise rather lame in the matter of education. When the young man had received the notice of his dismissal he went to the actor and asked for an explanation. "The fact is," he was told, "your education is too meager for the requirements of the position." Greatly offended, the ex-secretary exclaimed, "Why, sir, my parents spent \$5,000 on my education!" "Then, my dear boy," said the actor, "I would advise them to institute proceedings for the recovery of the money. They were swindled."—Boston Transcript.

Lightning and Thunder

Lightning is kindled in the thunderstorm by raising tracks of material substance scattered along its path into a state of sparkling incandescence. The ordinary electric spark and the lightning are in this respect the same. The sound known as thunder is caused by the electric outburst of the cloud. The flash and the sound originate simultaneously, but the flash travels to the eye in an instant, while the sound is transmitted to the ear so sluggishly that it is some few seconds behind time.—New York American.

Not His Affinity

The lank, long haired young man looked dreamily at the charming girl on whom he was endeavoring to make a favorable impression. "Did you ever long for death?" he asked in a low and moving tone. "No," said the other, "but I call but practical young person.—Youth's Companion.

SUCCESSFUL LITTLE MEN

An Ambassador Who Was Only Sixteen Inches in Height.

Don't be ashamed of being small of stature. The finest brains are often found in the heads of little men. Alexander, Napoleon, Uladislaus, Cubitalis, the pygmy king of Poland; Characus, the wisest counselor that was about Saladin, the great conqueror of the east; Marius, Maximus, Marcus Tullius and, to drop down to this day and generation, Alexander H. Stephens, Stephen A. Douglas, Jay Gould, Samuel Spencer and a host of others, all were small men. Yet, as they say in the Bowery, they got there.

Alypius of Alexander, a most excellent logician and philosopher, was only one foot and five inches in height. Augustus Caesar exhibited in his plays one Lucius, a young man born of honest parents, who was only twenty-three inches high and weighed seventeen pounds. Yet he had a strong tenor voice and could sing like a nightingale. In the time of Theodosius there was a pygmy in Egypt so small of body that he resembled a partridge. Yet he exercised all the functions of a man and could sing merrily. He lived to be twenty-two. Julia, niece of Emperor Augustus, had a dwarfish fellow of the name of Canopus, to whom she was much devoted. He was twenty-eight inches high. Andromeda, a freed maid of Julia, was of the same height.

Just about 100 years ago in Wurttemberg at the nuptials of the Duke of Bavaria a great pie was set upon the table. On being opened out stepped a dwarf, armed cap-a-pie, girl with a sword and having a spear in his hand. He walked around the table in a swashbuckler style, sword drawn, and caused the greatest amusement and interest.

There was a little fellow in Italy who was carried around in a parrot's cage and exhibited for money, says the New York Press. He was only thirteen inches high. A Frenchman of Limesin, with a formal beard, was also shown in a cage for money. He was about fifteen inches high. At the end of the cage was a little hutch, into which he retired. When the house was full he stepped forth and played a tune on an instrument.

Going away back without sitting down, Jeffrey Hudson was the wonder of his age. His father was a butcher, stout and of good height, and his mother was a large woman. At the age of eight he was sixteen inches in height. The Duchess of Buckingham adopted him. She clothed him always in satin. At a royal feast he was served in a cold pie, walking forth in complete armor. Being presented to Queen Henrietta Maria, he afforded much amusement. The king had a gigantic porter, William Evans. In a masked ball at court Evans hauled out of one pocket a long loaf of bread and out of the other little Jeffrey. This dwarf was employed on a delicate mission to France as ambassador. On his way home he was captured by a Flemish pirate. His captivity is the subject of a poem by Sir William Davenport, entitled "Jeffredos." He lived to be sixty years of age.

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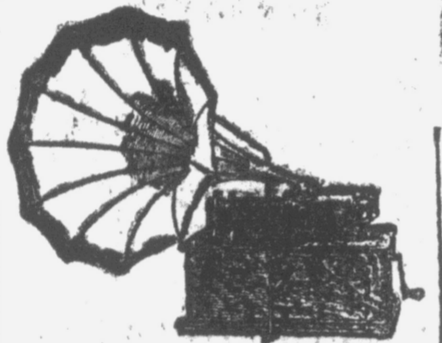
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NEW YORK FUTURES:	
amber	10 21 10 27
Jan	9 80 9 97
Mar	9 90 10 4
VERPOOL FUTURES:	
ov and Dec.	6 45 6 17
Chicago Markets:	
Dec Whe	94 5-8 94 1-2
Dec Corn	54 3-4 54 5-8
Jan, Ribs	6 90 6 97
May Ribs	7 05 7 07
Jan Lard	7 97 8 00
May	7 92 7 95
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