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## THE TELEPHONE

### And Its Relation to the Country Doctor.

The roll of country doctor has always been an interesting one, but it has always been an exceedingly difficult one, with many hardships and few rewards outside of the friendship of the families attended. As conditions in the open country have improved, however, the country doctor's labors have been lessened even though his rewards may not have increased in like ratio.

A few years ago the country doctor settled in a small town where a practice was assured because there was no one else to aid the afflicted. Usually there were a few families who could afford to pay for medical attention, but there were many more who had little money or property and who could pay small fees only by denying themselves the necessities of life. Into such a community came the young physician, and his life-work began in earnest. Calls came slowly at first, but ever faster as his skill became known, and where one horse and buggy had been more than enough to make his calls, two were necessary, especially in the winter and spring when the roads were heavy.

Communication was difficult and when there was an accident or some one was taken suddenly ill, the only way of summoning aid was by harnessing a horse and driving or riding miles perhaps, for a doctor, who might be at home or who might be equally far away in another direction. When he was found, it mattered not how tired he was, what time of night, how bad the weather, he must jump into his buggy and hurry to the bedside, sometimes reaching it too late to be of service. This is a phase of country life which has kept many people living in cities when they would have preferred life on a small farm.

In these days a factor has been introduced into country life which has done a great deal to relieve this isolation, and to bring the dwellers in the open country into closer touch, not only with the doctors but also with his neighbors and with the people with whom he does business. That factor is the telephone, and the first people to realize its possibilities were the country doctors. All over the South there are doctors' offices, with from one to ten telephone lines radiating from them, with any number of telephones from one to twenty-five connected to each. In many cases these telephone lines connect with no exchanges or long distance lines, the only purpose they serve being to afford their owners the privilege of talking with one another to summon aid in emergencies.

When several such lines center in a doctor's residence, he usually has some kind of a switchboard, so that he can connect any of the lines together, thus bringing all people on the various lines into closer touch. The lines are operated in two ways. One is where the doctor himself builds the lines and furnishes the telephones, renting them to his patrons, on the same principle as a city exchange is operated. This plan frequently results in the doctor's finally operating a telephone exchange with several hundred stations, necessitating the employment of operators and a man to take care of the accounts, switchboard, and so forth.

The other, and usual, plan is

where the people themselves get together, organize a mutual company, build their own lines, install their own telephones, and terminate the line in the doctor's office, where he installs a switching device charging the people on the lines a nominal sum of 25cts. or 50 cts. per month, each, for connecting the lines together. Frequently the doctor himself is instrumental in getting such a scheme started, and, acting as the agent for the telephones, sells them and the line material to the people building the lines, making a commission which is a welcome addition to the income.

Where such a system exists the beneficial effect, not only upon the community at large, but upon the country doctor also, can hardly be expressed. No matter how far from his office he may be, he is always in touch with it, and can be reached in less time than it takes to saddle a horse. Often he can prescribe for his patient, saving himself a visit, and, always in case of accident, can give advice which perhaps will save a life which would have been lost had he not been located so quickly.

Good roads make the practice of a country physician very much easier, and enable him to extend it to the more remote parts of the district in which he lives, but they come slowly at great expense to the community, and only the main arteries are first rebuilt, leaving miles of side roads in as bad condition as ever. Rural free deliveries, that bring him closer to the great centers of life and industry, and to those with whom he comes in contact in a professional way, also come slowly, and extend along the highways, leaving the byways almost as far off as before. The junction of several roads with an R. F. D. route, with a score of mail boxes perched on posts with only one or two houses within view, is a common sight these days, and indicates that the owners of the boxes have to come several miles for their mail.

The telephone is the agent which most tends to increase his practice and his income, to make his calls, and to save his time and the wear and tear on himself and his teams. How much simpler it is for him to call up his patients ten or fifteen miles away and learn whether a change in their condition makes a visit necessary, than to drive that far to learn the same thing? Even if there is not a telephone in the home of every one of them, there is one in the vicinity of each from which the doctor can be notified of his condition and called if a change makes it necessary.

Unlike good roads it costs little money to build telephone lines, and, unlike rural free deliveries, they may be extended along highways and byways, along good roads, across fields, over hills and streams. They are flexible, they are cheap, they give good service, and they are always ready day or night, to perform their duty. Once connected up they require no further attention save to renew the batteries once or twice a year, and to keep the lines clear. Their construction is so simple that any group of farmers can build them. Poles, particularly in the South, can usually be cut on the farms, and can be distributed and set into the ground at slight expense. The wire, brackets and insulators for a mile of metallic (2 wire) circuit, which will give the best service, costs approximately only \$15.00 per mile, while the best telephone instrument with all the material necessary for installation costs approximately only \$14.00 each.—[Address before a Medical Society in Georgia.]

## AT THE CHURCHES.

### Where You Can Worship Tomorrow.

Presbyterian—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. N. H. Summerell.

Episcopal—Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45 a. m. Morning service and sermon at 11 a. m. There will be no service at night on account of the appointment at Farmville.

Free Will Baptist—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. D. A. Windham.

Baptist—Sunday school, Baraca and Philathea classes meet at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. B. Cook. Morning subject: "Sin and its remedy." Evening subject: "A burial scene under the glow of resurrection light." The ordinance of baptism will follow the evening sermon.

Christian—Sunday school and Baraca class meet at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend all these services.

Methodist—Regular services at Methodist church. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Sunday school, Baraca and Philathea class meet at 9:30 a. m. There will be services every day during the coming week. The public is invited to attend all these services. The prayers of all Christians are asked in behalf of these meetings that God may convict and convert sinners. The time of services during the week will be announced Sunday.

## STATE NEWS.

### Happenings of Interest in North Carolina.

A huge sturgeon was captured in the river about two miles above the city yesterday by drift-netters. The fish was the largest ever seen in these waters. It was eight feet, one inch long and weighed 154 pounds. Mr. E. B. Moore was the purchaser.—Washington Messenger.

Raleigh, N. C., March 19.—This morning at a very early hour, Lovie Upchurch, a seventeen-year-old negro girl was placed in jail by Coroner Separk, and three negro men, who brought her from the northern part of the city, where a little before midnight she had killed Ella McCoy. The story told by the Upchurch girl is, that she knew the McCoy woman, who had left her husband and child at Greenville, N. C., and came here, and that the McCoy woman drank and made trouble; that last night she was in a store when the McCoy woman came in and cursed her; there evidently being a man in the case, he being in the store, talking to the Upchurch girl, and telling the McCoy woman he was busy when she spoke to him. Then she cursed the Upchurch girl, as she followed her out of the store, and along the railway track; struck at her twice with the knife; the Upchurch girl falling on her, having a knife in her hand with which she stabbed her several times the breast. The Upchurch girl says she hardly knows what she did on account of excitement and fright and that there were a number of men standing around, and that she don't remember that they interfered. The dead woman was lying in a gutter near the Martin hosiery mill.

## "THE COUNTY MINISTER."

### Fine Play by the Farmville Dramatic Club.

This thrilling and humorous comedy was presented in the opera house here Friday night. Those present frankly say they never witnessed a finer production by amateurs, and those who were not present have no conception of the pleasure they missed. We do not think it possible, especially in a small town, to bring together a company of amateurs who fitted their parts more perfectly and rendered them more pleasantly than the Farmville Dramatic Club in "The County Minister". The play itself was exceedingly interesting, and being presented so excellently made it all the more enjoyable.

Without singling out any of the performers for special praise—for all were too good to mention one above another—we will name the entire cast which was as follows:

Rev. Ralph Underwood, B. O. Turnage.  
Gregory Heath, Lee Carr.  
Jud Pardol, James Joyner.  
Timothy Hodd, Howard Harris.  
Deacon Potter, M. E. Dixon.  
William Henry, John Thorne.  
Tom Sparrow, James Joyner.  
Helen Burleigh, Mrs. E. M. Rollins.  
Jerusha Jane Judkins, Annie Perkins.  
Roxie, Cora Moore.  
Granny Grimes, Hennie Brown.  
Fannie

These young people certainly acquitted themselves creditably, their stage manner being seldom equalled even by professionals. Greenville certainly enjoyed their visit and would be glad to have them come again. The music between the acts by Mr. Butler, of the Stieff Company, also gave the audience much pleasure.

## AYDEN ITEMS.

### Newsy Notes From a Hustling Town Briefly Told.

Ayden, N. C., Mar., 20 1909.  
Sickness in his family prevented Rev. Mr. Summerell, the Presbyterian minister of New Bern, filling his appointment at the Baptist church Friday night. The public rhetorical at the seminary Thursday night was largely attended and a very interesting program was rendered. Mrs. R. W. Smith has returned from a visit to Kinston. J. J. Edwards is a juror this week. Miss Addie Johnson went to Kinston Friday night. Mrs. J. R. Smith and little Miss Mary Alice spent Thursday in Winterville. Miss Blanch Cannon went to Greenville Friday. J. R. Smith Co. shipped a car of barrels Friday. They want to buy another car right away. B. S. Summerell is moving his family to the Harrington house on Main street. Miss Lula Jones, of Merritt, N. C. is visiting her brother, on West avenue. W. J. Boyd came home Friday to be with his family a few days. Rev. E. B. Joyner left today to fill his appointment in Washington county.

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## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

### The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

J. A. Brady returned to Clinton today.

B. W. Moseley went to Bethel today.

Milton Johnson went to Rocky Mount this morning.

Mrs. A. J. Outerbridge left today for a visit to Grifton.

J. R. Barnhill, of Newport News, Va., who has been here on a visit to his father, Cornelius Barnhill, returned home today.

Miss Essie Whichard, accompanied by a schoolmate, Miss Lola Stone, came home from school at Winterville Friday evening to spend the week-end holidays.

## WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

### Newsy Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C., Mar. 20, 1909.

Remember Prof. Middleton will deliver two Sunday school addresses at the Baptist church Sunday morning and night.

Prof. G. E. Lineberry went to Raleigh Thursday evening to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the blind institution.

Miss Belva Dixon was visiting Winterville High school Friday. Dr. and Mrs. B. T. Cox, Mrs. J. D. Cox and Herbert Cox attended the funeral of Nash Edwards in the country Friday.

Rev. T. H. King is aiding Rev. N. H. Shepherd in a meeting at Eureka this week.

Chas. H. Smith arrested a negro about two miles from town Friday morning, who is suspected to be the one wanted by the sheriff of Martin county for murder some time ago. Mr. Smith carried him to Greenville Friday afternoon to await the authorities from Martin.

Nash Edwards, a prominent citizen in the country about five miles from town, died Thursday of consumption. He was about forty-five years of age, leaving a widow and eight children to mourn their sad loss. The remains were interred in the family burying ground at his old home near Red Banks church Friday afternoon.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

Did you get tagged?  
Another rainy Saturday.  
Subscribe to The Reflector.  
Cherry's shoe shop near courthouse 3 13 1wk d

Formosa Oolong tea, 20 and 35c cans, at C. D. Tunstall's. 3 20

Big hominy, puffed rice, wheat berries and all kinds of cereals at C. D. Tunstall's. 3 20

The ordinance of baptism will be administered at the conclusion of the service in the Baptist church tomorrow night.

Telephones have passed the experimental stage, they are an absolute necessity in every well regulated household, only 5c per day in your residence. 3 23

How about a telephone for your wife's or daughter's birthday present? They will appreciate it more than anything you could give them, only 5c per day. 3 23

Lost—Between graded school and Mrs. Munford's residence a bundle containing piece of embroidery, silver thimble with initial "C. L. M." and embroidery floss. Finder please return to this office or to Mrs. E. B. Ficklen, 3 20 2td

## MOVEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS

### Time of Arrival and Departure at Greenville.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.  
Northbound Southbound  
8:28 A. M. 11:21 A. M.  
4:31 P. M. 6:00 P. M.

NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN  
Eastbound Westbound  
9 55 A. M. 7:25 A. M.  
7 33 P. M. 6:40 P. M.

## March 20 in History.

43 B. C.—Publius Ovidius Naso (Ovid), Roman amatory poet, born; died 18 A. D.  
1727—Sir Isaac Newton, philosopher, died; born 1642.  
1811—Napoleon Francois Charles Joseph Bonaparte, son of Napoleon and Maria Louisa and counted in the succession as the second emperor, born; died 1821.  
1906—Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney, author, best known by her stories for young people, died; born 1824.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:08, rises 5:58; moon sets 6:23 a. m.; 7:52 p. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, passing from west to east of the planet, 4 degrees south thereof; 1 a. m., vernal equinox; sun crosses the line, passing to the north of the celestial equator; spring commences; day and night equal the world over; 6:18 a. m., moon at perigee, nearest earth.

## March 21 in History.

1616—Pocahontas, celebrated Indian heroine, died at Gravesend, England; born about 1595.  
1804—Publication of the famous "Code Napoleon," the law of France since that date. In the judgment of Napoleon's sharpest critics, this code is a monument to his greatness. On the same day the Duc d'Enghien was shot at Vincennes by Bonaparte's order. Napoleon's warmest admirers do not attempt to excuse this crime.  
1806—Benito Pablo Juarez, Mexican statesman of pure Indian blood, born; died 1872.  
1891—General Joseph E. Johnston, noted American soldier, died; born 1807.  
1905—The United States proposed arbitration in the dispute with Venezuela.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:09, rises 5:59; moon sets 6:12 p. m.; moon's age 2 3/4 days; 8:03 p. m., new moon, in constellation Pisces, with the sun; 6:38 a. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 2 3/4 degrees south thereof, invisible because too near the sun.

## Weather.

Rain tonight and Sunday.

## NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

Cod fish, Irish potatoes and onions at C. D. Tunstall's 3 20

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SATURDAY, MAR. 20, 1909.

Jim Jefferies, the once champion prize fighter, is in the lime light once more.

Unless you help make business for your town how can you expect business for yourself?

The railroads have fallen into ill luck again in the way of wrecks. They are of frequent occurrence.

Greenville will not have what she ought to have until more manufacturing enterprises are established.

The spite Speaker Cannon displays toward the minority leader in congress shows that he is a very narrow minded man.

It is best not to expect too much of congress in the way of tariff reform, and then there will be less disappointment.

The legislature adjourned on the 9th, but one daily paper in the State is yet carrying a "Doings of the Legislature in Raleigh" headline.

Sitting still and complaining of dull times does not improve business. A better plan is to do some common sense hustling after business.

Greensboro's mayor sentences disreputable women to leave the city when they come before him for trial. That only turns them loose on some other community.

If congress would set to work and do some genuine reforming on the pension list, it would help the treasury more than all the tariff tinkering that can be done.

That Cooper jury was not composed of all bad men it seems, as there were enough on it who thought the Coopers should be convicted to keep them from being turned loose on the public.

No doubt the mistrial in regard to the two Coopers gave the "blue bloods" a closer shave than they were looking for. They are two men who should never be acquitted. And Sharp should thank his stars that the jury let him out of it.

George T. Angell, aged 86, of Boston, the head of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and editor of a magazine called "Our Dumb Animals," died a few days ago. For year his efforts for more kindness to animals has been felt throughout the country.

Mr. Platt Politically Down and Out.

After twelve years in the Senate Thomas C. Platt, of New York, has retired to private life, giving way to a man of distinguished ability, Hon. Elihu Root. The feeling in New York is one of satisfaction that the greatest State in the Union is now to be represented by a man of adequate senatorial equipment. Mr.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Platt never professed to be more than a machine politician. He has lived up to his own standards and he is satisfied with his career as senator. During his service in the senate he has been instrumental, it is said, in securing Federal offices for hundreds of men. Yet when he left Washington last week on the expiration of his term few of the men who owe their positions to his favor called to bid him good bye. Mr. Platt is practical, perhaps a cynic in politics. He might have been surprised if any of the hundreds who are under obligations to him should have remembered him when he was politically "down and out." "The King is Dead; long live the King!" Gratitude is not the way of the political world. The once masterful boss is old and feeble now. He is done with politics forever; he declares. Evidently those who prospered through his influence in the days when he was strong have done with him. None seem sufficiently grateful now to bear him in kindly remembrance. Gratitude has been defined as a lively expectation of favors to come. Mr. Platt can bestow no more political favors. Therefore he is forgotten. It is the old, old story. —Baltimore Sun.

### A Cheerful Heart.

Write on your daybook, on your ledger, on your money safe, "Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof." Do not worry about notes that are far from due. Do not pile up on your counting desk, the financial anxieties of the next twenty years. Melancholy is the owl that is perched in many a Christian soul. The good times, if we will but believe it, are now; the better times are not backward—but beyond. We believe, as in the past, so in the future, the world will grow better and better. By-and-by the world and all that is therein shall pass away, but in the heavens, only righteousness, shall dwell; and cheerfulness and growth will ever mark the progress of the soul.—Talamage.

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Overdrafts secured 1,980.19	Surplus fund 15,000.00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages 1,169.94	Undivided profits, less expenses paid 6,221.11
Furniture and fixtures 4,620.10	Time cert. of dep. 19,472.07
Demand loans 10,000.00	Deposits to ex. 128,050.78
Due from bks and bkers 50,574.00	Cashier's checks outstanding 1,097.38
Cash items 2,760.00	Due bks and bankers 2,629.46
Gold coin 60.00	Total \$197,470.75
Silver coin including minor coin currency 350.29	
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Total \$197,470.75	

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I, C. S. Carr, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
C. S. CARR, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of February, 1909.  
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## A CROOKED BOUNDARY.

Cause of the Peculiar Lines That Divide Two States.

If you will look on the map of New England you will see two curious irregularities in the dividing line between Massachusetts and Connecticut. One of them is in Granby township, a little northwest of Hartford, and the other in Enfield township, on the Connecticut river, south of Springfield. It is a standing conundrum why, so long as the boundary is imaginary, they did not make it straight instead of crooked. But thereby hangs a tale.

Those two little jogs on the map are monuments to human obstinacy and to the persistency which is one of the chief traits of the Yankee character. The ancestors of the farmers who own those little spots of ground preferred to live in Massachusetts rather than in Connecticut and fought for their preference until they had their way.

The controversy began in 1713 and continued for 112 years before it was finally decided. In 1724 the question was appealed to England, but the government was so much engrossed in the Seven Years' war that it was never brought to the attention of the crown. Up to the outbreak of the Revolution both states continued to levy taxes and send notices of fast days and elections to the farmers who occupied the land, and there is no record of how they avoided one or whether they paid both. Later, however, they voted and paid taxes in Massachusetts only, notwithstanding the protest of the county authorities in Connecticut. In 1793, after peace was restored, both states appointed commissioners, but the dispute was carried on until 1804, when a compromise was reached. There were several similar disputes between the two states besides those which now appear upon the map, and an agreement was reached by which Massachusetts consented to surrender her claim to a strip of territory in Woodstock and Suffield townships, provided Connecticut would yield her claims to the other tracts in dispute. No action, however, was taken upon the report.

In 1810 the controversy was revived by some legal proceeding, and another commission was appointed, but if it ever reached a conclusion there is no record to be found. In 1820 a third commission was intrusted with the settlement, and after two years they decided upon the present boundary line, which was adopted by the legislature of both states.—Exchange.

## DUMAS' AUDACITY.

A Unique Literary Scheme of the Great French Writer.

American readers are accustomed to surprises in their newspapers, but imagine their astonishment should some favorite journal publish in good faith, in daily installments and adapted according to the notions of some staff writer, a classic such as, for example, Dante's "Inferno!" Yet the astonishment so excited would not be without a parallel in the annals of newspaper management, inasmuch as Homer once figured as a feuilletoniste for a Parisian newspaper.

When Dumas the elder was editing his journal, *Le Mousquetaire*, Urbain Fages, one of his assistants, who was an exceptionally fine Greek scholar, was one day enthusiastically expatiating upon the beauties of the "Iliad" and the "Odyssey." Dumas grew most interested.

"If only you could read them in the original," sighed Fages.  
"Why not?" asked Dumas.  
"But," exclaimed Fages, "my dear fellow, you don't know alpha from omega!"  
"Will you translate for me?" asked Dumas eagerly.

Accordingly Fages undertook the task. Beginning with the first book of the "Iliad," he would read a line of the Greek and then give a literal translation. Dumas quickly caught the spirit of the epic. As Fages read he wrote a translation and signed it.

"In the name of all the ancients, M. Dumas," exclaimed Fages, "but you are signing your name to the 'Iliad!'"  
"Certainly," responded Dumas, "that is, to my version of it. It will appear as a feuilleton in *Le Mousquetaire*."

Fages was filled with dismay, as he afterward related, but before such audacity and naivete he felt helpless. How was he to convince a writer accustomed to every triumph that he was too bold?

And so the next day an installment of the "Iliad," as rendered in half an hour or so by a man who could not read the Greek alphabet, appeared at the bottom of the page of *Le Mousquetaire*, with the note, "Continued in our next."

This enterprising bit of journalism raised such a storm of criticism that Dumas was persuaded to discontinue it after the third installment, though it was doubted that he quite understood what was the trouble.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

## Going Too Far.

"Yes," sighed the suburban man, who had just moved in, "at the last place I had the prettiest little garden that ever bloomed until my neighbor's chickens scratched the roots up."

"And did you kick?" asked his new acquaintance.

"You bet! I got a big tomcat that soon made mincemeat of his chickens."

"What then?"

"Why, the next I knew he had bought a ferocious bulldog to watch for my tom."

"H'm! And did that end the trouble?"

"Oh, no! I borrowed a wolf from an animal trainer to kill the bulldog."

"War to the knife, eh? What was the next chapter in the bitter feud?"

"There was none. I heard that he was about to purchase a tiger to kill my wolf, and as I couldn't afford the price of an elephant to kill his tiger I thought it best to move."

## He Understood.

"Now, Johnny, do you understand thoroughly why I am going to whip you?"

"Yes'm. You're in a bad humor this morning, and you've got to lick some one before you feel satisfied."—London Tit-Bits.

## It Depended.

Chappy—Would you marry a woman who had sued another man for breach of promise? Sappy—It would depend largely on how much the jury had awarded her.—Club Fellow.

## White Animals Are Deaf.

"It is a curious fact, little known perhaps, that fully 50 per cent of the young of white dogs, white horses and white cattle are born stone deaf," says a St. Louis doctor. "This rule does not apply to albinos of any species. The albino—the white animal with pink eyes—is an accident of nature. Its color cells contain no pigment. That is the reason it's white. The rule of deafness applies among animals which owe their white color to the breeding of many generations of selected individuals. The deafness is nature's protest against the artificial regulation of natural tendencies. I have seen many white bull terriers with blue eyes, and I never saw one which was not stone deaf."

## Bringing the Time of Day.

A certain squire had just set up with great pains and elaborate mathematical calculations a sundial in his garden and was naturally a little proud of it. One day, as it so happened, being close to the garden, he was in doubt as to the right time and told a boy who was with him to run down and get him the time from the dial. After a few minutes the boy appeared, dragging with him something heavy.

"Here she is, yer honor, an' hard set Ah was to get her up." He had torn up the dial from its setting and dragged it up the hill.—London Spectator.

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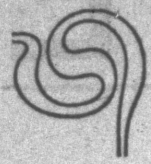
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Let us take time for the evening prayer. Our sleep will be more restful if we have claimed the guardianship of God.

Let us take time to speak sweet, "foolish" words to those we love. By and by, when they can no longer hear us, our "foolishness" will seem more wise than our best wisdom.

Let us take time to read the Bible. Its treasures will last when we have ceased to care for the war of political parties and fall of stocks, or the petty happenings of the day.

Let us take time to be pleasant. The small courtesies, which we often omit, because they are small, will some day look larger to us than the wealth which we covet or the fame for which we struggled.

Since we all must take time to die, why should we not take time to live—to live in the large sense of a life begun here for eternity?

Let us take time to get acquainted with Christ. The hour is coming swiftly for us all when one touch of his hand in the darkness will mean more than all that is written in the day book and ledger, or in the records of our little social world.—Pittsburg Advocate.

### Southern is Testing Gasoline Section Car.

Railroad men here and all along the line of the Southern are watching with some interest the experiment now being made on the Columbia division, using a gasoline motor car for section masters to use in making short trips over their lines and from point to point. The new gasoline cars are put on in place of the old-fashioned hand-car and it is said that if the new car now being tried proves a success it may be installed on all of the various divisions of the road.

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July Wheat	108	108 7-8	
Sept Corn	65 1-4	65 7-8	
May Ribs	9 30	9 25	
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Checks and other cash items	87.87
Exchanges for clearing house	5,641.98
Notes of other National Banks	380.00
Fractional paper currency, nickles and cents	110.44
Specie	\$5,770
Legal-tender notes	2,250
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,050.00
Total	\$ 227,371.91
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits less current expenses, taxes paid	3,861.83
National bank notes outstanding	21,000.00
Due state banks and bankers	3,032.37
Individual deposits subject to check	\$96,955.78
Time cer. dep.	21,222.29
Cashier's checks outstanding	299.64
Bonds borrowed	21,000.00
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