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WINTERVILLE ITEMS.

Newry Notes From Our Hustling Neighbor.

Winterville, N. C. Oct. 27 1909.
Miss Mamie Chapman, who has been attending the Teachers' Training school at Greenville, spent Sunday and Monday at home.

J. B. Kittrell spent Sunday night at home.

Miss Lela Roach was visiting Misses Kate and Lala Chapman Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Bridgers filled his regular appointment in the M. E. church Sunday. This ends his work here, for this year, Mr. Bridgers is an excellent preacher, and we hope he can be with us another year.

Miss Rosa Causey spent Friday in Ayceu.

G. A. Kittrell, W. G. Morris and John Cooper and Misses Minnie and Lula Morris spent Sunday in Ayden.

Wiley Noble, who has had typhoid fever for some days, died Saturday morning. He was just entering into manhood, being about 23 years of age. Mr. Noble was a member of the Free Will Baptist church. It can be truthfully said, he was an obedient son, a devoted Christian, and a good Sunday school worker. We extend to the bereaved family and relatives our deepest sympathy.

Mrs. J. B. Franks and children are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Venie Crawford spent Saturday night and Sunday in Kinston.

Amos Tyson, of Greenville, was in town yesterday.

Miss Mimie Cox, who is teaching at Ballards, spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Miss Hulda Cox left here Tuesday to take charge of her school at King's X Roads.

Misses Hattie Kittrell and Lala Chapman and J. E. Green spent Sunday evening at Greenville with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Thomas.

J. D. Cox and Ben Tucker, who are serving as jurors in New Bern, spent Sunday at home and returned there Monday.

F. A. Edmundson, Eugene Cannon and H. T. Oglesby spent Saturday night and Sunday in Kinston.

J. L. Rollins and E. U. Cox spent Sunday in Greenville.

Miss Bessie Counsel, a W. H. S. student, returned from her home at Oak City yesterday.

Miss Lala Chapman, who is teaching near Wilson, returned Monday to resume her work.

Joe Kittrell spent Sunday at home.

Miss Maud Holiday, one of our excellent milliners, returned to her home at Jamesville Saturday. We regret very much to lose Miss Holiday. Had you noticed how heart broken Doremus seems?

Rev. B. F. Huske filled his regular appointment in the Episcopal church Sunday afternoon.

Prominent Tobacconists Here.

The Greenville tobacco market was today visited by several officials of the Imperial Tobacco Co. and the American Tobacco Co. Among them were H. W. Gunn, of Bristol, England, a director in the Imperial; G. W. Wells, of Bristol, vice president; E. W. Howard, of Danville, Va., E. S. Carlton, resident U. S. director, of Richmond, and Robert Haskins, traveling representative, of Richmond. Of the American Co., there was T. J. Walker, manager of the Richmond branch and his secretary, Mr. Willingham.

UNIVERSITY NOTES.

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 26. The University sermon for October was preached before a large audience in Gerrard Hall by Rev. Francis M. Osborne, of Charlotte. Mr. Osborne graduated from the University in 1899, and while in college was captain of the Varsity football team and president of the Y. M. C. A. He is now doing a great work in one of the suburbs of Charlotte. He spoke from the text: "And the truth shall make you free." He pointed out Christ to be the great emancipator, freeing us from intellectual bondage, social bondage and bondage to sin.

The daily morning chapel exercises, which were suspended during the improvements made on Gerrard Hall, were resumed this week. The seniors and juniors, in addition to the freshmen and sophomores, are now required to attend. The devotional exercises are led by one of the four ministers of the town, and the music is directed by Proctor C. T. Wooler, and short talks are made by members of the faculty, or men of affairs in the state on subjects closely related to the lives of the students. Six hundred students of the academic school take part in these exercises every morning. The professional students are excused on account of lack of room. This bringing together every morning of six hundred young men will mean much for the unification and strengthening of the University spirit.

The tennis tournament to decide the Varsity tennis team resulted in G. M. Fountain and C. S. Venable holding first places. Inter-collegiate meets are being arranged with Davidson, Wake Forest, Guilford, and Washington and Lee.

The annual inter-collegiate debate with the University of Pennsylvania will be held in Chapel Hill in November. North Carolina defeated Pennsylvania last fall in Philadelphia. Debates will also be held with Tulane and Georgia. North Carolina lost last year to Georgia and won from Tulane. However, out of twelve debates with Georgia, North Carolina has won eight, and has been dubbed by Georgia as "The University of unbeatable debating teams."

Nat. J. Cartmel a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, has been selected trainer and coach of the track team. In his college days he was the fastest college runner in this country, and just recently defeated the amateur runners of England, among whom was Walker, who won the 100 yard dash in the Olympic meets. Mr. Cartmel is both an athlete of high attainments and a Christian gentleman.

STATE NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in North Carolina.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 25.—The British steamer Thistlemoor cleared today with the record cotton cargo of the season, 15,500 bales, valued at more than a million dollars, and consigned by Alexander Sprunt & Son, to Liverpool. In addition the day's exports included the Catalina for Havre, France, with 8,000 bales, running the value of the day's exports up to nearly two million dollars. Six steamers are now receiving cargo at the compresses of Alexander Sprunt & Son.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

The Arcadian Musical Comedy Co. Will Appear—Is Highly Praised.

The Arcadian Musical Comedy Co., one of Broadway's latest successes arrived here this morning on the N. & S. railway from Wilmington, where they played Tuesday night to a large audience, and a message received from there this morning states that every one was highly pleased with the show.

The leading features of the company are The Manhattan Newsboy's Quartette, Carroll, a great impersonator; Miss White's dancing and singing, Mr. Copinger, comedian, and the large chorus of pretty girls in costumes of latest productions.

The New Bern Journal, Tuesday says that this company presented one of the best shows seen in that city this season.

FARMVILLE ITEMS.

Farmville, N. C., Oct. 27.

J. Y. Monk made a flying trip to Durham Saturday in the interest of his tobacco business.

W. L. Johnson spent Sunday at the home of his parents in Goldsboro.

Miss Ried Lang, who is attending the Atlantic Christian College at Wilson, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lang.

Miss Anna Bess Harris, who has been visiting here, has returned to her home at Hertford.

A. C. Monk has just returned from a business trip to Richmond.

For several weeks the town authorities have been putting the streets in better shape, especially Wilson and Second streets.

The new Baptist church is just about ready to be occupied.

The Roanoke Union meeting meets in the new Baptist church at Farmville Friday Oct. 29 at 10:30 a. m. and will continue through Sunday. A delightful meeting is anticipated and the people of the town are making preparation to entertain all who come. Almost every family in the town has gladly signified their willingness to care for those who come. We look for a large gathering both from the people of the town and community as well as many from a distance.

Friday night the introductory sermon will be preached by Rev. J. G. Blalock, of Weldon. The morning and afternoon sessions being given to discussions of practical subjects. Saturday night ex-Governor Aycock will speak on "Baptist and Religious Liberty." We hope the business men will try to get through with their business and come to hear him.

Sunday morning the new house of worship will be dedicated. Dr. R. T. Vann, of Raleigh, will preach the dedicatory sermon. A revival meeting will continue from the meeting as long as practical. The preaching will be done by Rev. M. A. Adams, of Ahoskie. We give all a hearty welcome and hope we shall have a large congregation.

At the Pastime Theatre.

The following program will be given tonight.
Galley Slave.
For Her Sweetheart's Sake.
Princess Nicotine, or the Smoke Fairy—a very fine trick picture.
Continuous performance from 8:30 to 11 p. m.

ROCHDALE ITEMS.

Rochdale, N. C., Oct. 26.

J. R. McLawhon, from near Ayden, was visiting his son, C. E. McLawhon, Wednesday.

They had a moving picture show at Smith's school house Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Smith and Miss Lou Crawford went to Raleigh Thursday to the fair and returned Saturday.

B. P. Cobb went to Raleigh Thursday to take in the fair.

Miss Mary Joyner, one of the teachers at Smith's school house, left Thursday to attend the Raleigh fair.

A. H. Critcher, of Greenville, was in our section Thursday selling lamp chimney protectors, but I don't know what he calls them.

Mills Smith took his mother, Mrs. Pattie F. Smith, to Marlboro Saturday to attend her yearly meeting.

Eld. T. H. Barnhill, from near Grindool, passed through our burg Saturday morning on his way to Marlboro to fill his regular appointment there.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills Smith attended the yearly meeting at Marlboro Sunday.

Leon and Johnie Tyson, from near Renston, were visiting at C. E. McLawhon's Sunday. R. E. Willoughby and Miss Carrie Belle Smith attended the yearly meeting at Marlboro Sunday.

Miss Trilby and Mark Smith went to Marlboro Sunday to attend the yearly meeting.

Ivy Smith went to Marlboro Saturday morning to attend the yearly meeting and returned Sunday evening.

Miss L. E. Gray visited at R. L. Joyner's, in Grimmersburg, Saturday and Sunday and returned Monday with Miss Mary Joyner to take charge of their school at Smith's school house.

Misses Gertie and Nannie Smith were visiting at Haywood Smith's Saturday night and Sunday.

HOPE WELL ITEMS.

Hope Well, N. C., Oct. 26.

The series of meetings at Hope Well, held by Rev. T. H. King, came to a close Friday night with five additions to the Baptist church.

Misses Olivia Joyner and Nellie Taylor, of Snow Hill, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Lula and Lela Stox.

G. C. Cox and wife are visiting near New Bern this week.

Miss Cara McLawhorn, of Ayden, spent Sunday with Miss Charity Worthington.

Mrs. R. L. Davis, of Ayden, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LaFayette Cox.

Miss Rosalie Skinner spent a few days in Raleigh last week taking in the State fair.

Miss Oia Smith, who has been visiting in our vicinity, has returned home.

Finger Split Open.

A few days ago a colored man employed at the Greenville Lumber & Vener Co's, plant, caught his finger between a block and the edge of a machine about which he was at work. His finger was almost entirely split open.

Those who saw the show at The Pastime Theatre last night thought it very fine. The aviation contest was very great and is a fair sample of the good service furnished for this little theatre.

SOCIALLY AND PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The Visitors Here and People Who Travel.

D. M. Jones went to Conetoe today.

S. T. White went to Conetoe today.

Tom Blow left this morning for Baltimore.

Rev. D. W. Arnold went to Everetts this morning.

O. C. Gregory, R. O. Jeffress and O. L. Joyner went to Kinston today.

Miss Emma Warren, of Conetoe, is visiting Mrs. Ollen Warren, Jr.

Mrs. Hattie White, of Raleigh, is visiting friends here at her former home.

Mrs. J. H. Barnhill has moved back to her home in South Greenville, on Twelfth street.

VICTIM OF AN ASSASSIN.

Prince Ito—Probably Japan's Foremost Statesman.

Harbin, Oct. 26.—Prince Hirobumi Ito, former Japanese president general of Korea and probably Japan's foremost statesman, was assassinated at the Tsaitagan railway station here today. At the moment the Japanese diplomat was acknowledging the noisy welcome that had greeted him as he stepped down from the coach that he had occupied in the railroad train. Smiling and bowing, he turned to make his way toward the Russian finance minister, M. Kokovsoff, who was awaiting him on the station platform a few paces distant. Suddenly a half dozen revolver shots, fired in quick succession, were heard, followed by the cries of those standing near the prince, who had either been wounded or imagined themselves to be. At the second report Prince Ito staggered and fell fainting. It was subsequently found that he had received three bullets, two of which entered the abdomen. Prince Ito did not recover consciousness and died twenty minutes later.

Appointment of Committee.

At a recent meeting of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce, I, as president was directed to appoint a committee to co-operate with the officers of the Training School in providing for, and entertaining the visitors expected here at the inauguration of President Wright. I here by appoint and request the following gentlemen to serve on such committee: H. A. White, chairman; H. W. Whedbee, J. L. Fleming, F. G. James, R. J. Cobb, C. T. Munford, J. L. Wooten, S. T. White, F. J. Forbes, R. L. Carr, D. J. Whichard, J. N. Hart, E. G. Flanagan, E. B. Higgs, A. B. Ellington, E. A. Moye, Jr., C. O'H. Laughinghouse, W. H. Ragsdale, C. S. Forbes, F. C. Harding, J. L. Little, R. C. Flanagan, Harry Skinner, Jr., D. C. Moore, R. Williams, C. S. Carr, D. L. James, L. W. Tucker, W. M. Moore, O. C. Gregory, B. W. Moseley and W. B. Wilson, Jr.

I request this committee to meet on Thursday night, next, at 8 o'clock, in Prof. W. H. Ragsdale's office.

F. M. Wooten, Pres.

Leave orders for Thanksgiving and Christmas fruit cakes with J. M. Reuss & Co. now, to insure good cakes. 10 27 8td

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Time of Arrival and Departure at Greenville

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.	
Northbound	Southbound
8:33 A. M.	1:12 P. M.
4:43 P. M.	6:0 P. M.
NORFOLK AND SOUTHERN	
Eastbound	Westbound
9:35 A. M.	8:10 A. M.
7:45 P. M.	6:20 P. M.

Oct. 27 in American History.

1682—William Penn, founder of Pennsylvania, landed at Newcastle, on the Delaware.
1837—Whitelaw Reid, writer, editor and diplomat, born near Xenia, O.
1804—Confederate ram Albemarle destroyed in Roanoke river by Lieutenant Cushing's torpedo.
1904—The New York subway electric road opened to the public.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:59, rises 6:22; moon sets 5:48 a. m.; 11:36 p. m., moon at perigee, nearest earth, distant 222,300 miles; 2 a. m., planet Mercury at greatest western elongation or apparent distance from the sun, 18 degrees and 33 minutes; visible for a few days, low in east before sunrise; 2:40 p. m., moon in conjunction with Saturn, passing from west to east of the planet, 1 1/2 degrees south thereof; seen near tonight.

Weather.

NOTES FOR BUSY SHOPPERS.

Business Locals—News Briefs for Busy People.

Subscribe to the Reflector.

Cotton is certainly going some. Get in The Reflector piano contest.

There will be prayer meetings in the churches tonight.

New Buckwheat and Oat Meal at S. M. Schultz.

The Arcadian Musical Comedy in the opera house tonight.

When you have baggage to go to trains phone No. 45. 2 11 tf

Wanted—A messenger boy. Postal Telegraph office. 10 27tf

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Dr. H. O. Hyatt will be in Greenville at Hotel Bertha Nov. 1st and 2nd, Monday and Tuesday, for the purpose of treating disease of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and fitting glasses. Those who want to see about work being done will be charged no fee unless terms are agreed upon. 10 19 wsd wtf

Household Goods at Auction—Bedroom, dining room and kitchen furniture, couch, Morris chair, heating stove, cooking range and other household goods will be sold at auction for cash on Monday, Nov. 1st, at residence of Frank Irwin, on Fourth street, opposite Col. Harry Skinner's. Sale will begin at 2:30 o'clock. Z. T. Broughton, 10 27 4td Auctioneer.

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WEDNESDAY OCT. 27, 1909.

A bale of cotton means something at present prices.

He not only lost his 'possum, but President Taft has also lost his voice on his whirl around the continent.

The Greensboro doctors and aldermen may get their difference over liquor prescriptions settled after awhile.

As an indication of one of the benefits of the East Carolina Teachers Training School, aside from its great advantage as an educational institution, we already hear of several people who wish to locate in or near Greenville making inquiry about the purchase of homes in town, or of farms near town, so as to be in easy access to the school. No doubt such an excellent school will attract people, and Greenville will welcome all good citizens who cast their lot here. There is desirable property here that can be bought at reasonable prices, and we have a good building and loan association that will help those secure a home who are not in position to pay all cash for it. Remember this is "Our Greenville, yours if you come."

A Big Job.

The following item which appears in an exchange is not without interest:

"The late Gen. Ben Butler of Massachusetts left behind him a statement that in the spring of 1865 he said to Abraham Lincoln: 'Mr. President, I have gone very carefully over my calculations as to the power of the country to export the negroes of the South, and I assure you that using all your naval vessels and all the merchant marine fit to cross the seas with safety, it will be impossible for you to transport them to the nearest place that can be found suitable for them—and that is the island of San Domingo—half as fast as negro children will be born here.'"

Butler was about as obnoxious to the South as any man well could be, but he appears to have been a good observer. The talk of transporting the former slaves to some other country was freely indulged in about the close of the war. Whether the object was to relieve the South of what some people thought would be a dangerous incubus; or whether the object was to punish Southern people by depriving them of farm labor, or whether it was due to a feeling of mistaken kindness to the negroes themselves, we cannot say, but we know that it was much discussed by some Northern people. Butler did not greatly exaggerate the job, in our judgment, of taking the four or five millions of negroes out of the country, and no doubt Lincoln

saw and appreciated the impossibility of such an undertaking. —Montgomery Advertiser.

Clean Lips.

A friend of Governor Johnson of Minnesota, who knew him well, said that he never heard him tell a soiled anecdote or utter an unclean word in conversation. He liked anecdotes and told them well. He also talked well, but used only clean words, because his thoughts were pure. That was a high tribute to pay to a man who had been actively engaged in political work and associating with all sorts of people. But such a habit and virtue should not be noticeable in men any more than in women. It would be a reflection on womanhood in general if some one should pay such a tribute to a well-known woman who had passed away. —Spartanburg Journal.

The man who can run a newspaper to suit everybody has gone to heaven long ago, says The Laurens. S. O., Advertiser. Not so; for any man who tries it will lose what religion he may have and all chances of ever getting to heaven. Those newspaper men now in heaven were from among the ones who conducted their paper to suit themselves and did not bother about the kickers. —Charlotte Observer.

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THE LONGEST WORD.

A Short Cut to Some English Claimants to the Honor.

This moot point has never been satisfactorily settled. About 1870 the Liverpool Daily Courier came out with a new word of gargantuan dimensions, "velocipedestrianistastinarianologist."

An Edinburgh journal followed with "ultradisestablishmentarians," an extension of Archbishop Benson's previous "antidisestablishmentarian," given in his diary.

A junction might be effected if one is anxious to see a friend carried out in a state of collapse (to the refreshment room) that a good, long word is "ultrantidisestablishmentarianists" (only thirty-three letters).

Then there is another short jaw-breaker, "antitranssubstantiationistically," which appeared in a highland paper. It is highland enough in all conscience.

Sir Walter Scott has in his journal a word, "floccipaucinihilipilification," which, like a wounded snake, drags its slow length along.

Then Rabelais takes some doing with his "antipericanarbeugedampnicibrationis."

Wyntoun in his Chronicle supplies us with "honorificabilitudinitatibus," which Shakespeare uses in "Love's Labour's Lost" (twenty-seven letters). Dante also has it in the ablative singular form in his "De Vulgari Eloquentia."

Byfield in a treatise on the Colossians (1615) wrote "incircumscribileness."

But the Englishman's real jaw-breaker is a Welsh word over which Mr. Justice Lawrence once at the Anglesey assizes asked an explanation from Mr. Bryn Roberts, M. P., "What is the meaning of the letters 'P. G.' after the name Llanfair?" The answer was, "It is an abbreviation for the village of Llanfair-pwllgwyngyllgogerychwyrndrobwllandsiliogogoch. How is this pronounced? It will take some beating. This word of fifty-four letters if repeated often enough is said to be an excellent cure for the toothache.

But the jocular man will tell us there are longer words, "smile" and "beleaguered," for instance, because one is more than a "mile" and the other more than a "league," and another will insist that the longest word in the English language is "longer," for, however long any other word may be, it is always "longer." This is on the principle of the wily Scot who bet his chum that Glasgow was not the biggest town in Scotland. "How's that?" he was asked. "There's a bigger." "What is it?" "Bigger," was the prompt reply.—London Academy.

AN AUSTRALIAN TORNADO.

The Show as Seen From a Reserved Front Seat.

The tornado of Australia is related pretty nearly to the same phenomenon in this country. It is on the land what the typhoon is in eastern waters. The storm of wind and rain is preceded by an unnatural stillness and silence of the elements. Sensitive persons and animals are aware of the approaching storm. The author of "Parts of the Pacific," who calls himself "a peripatetic parson," experienced one such gale when he was at the house of a friend in the northern part of Australia, very near the equator. His account is humorous as well as instructive.

By and by there came across the night air a distant roaring noise. The stillness of the slumbering hours was broken. Something terrible was at hand, as had been foretold by the clerk of the weather. The wind began to moan, then to whistle, then to bellow. The roof rattled, the trees shrieked, rain rushed and hissed, lightning blazed, and thunder crashed and boomed. All the household was busy holding on to goods and catching things as they were hurled off by the violence of the storm. The roof was ripped up and carried away. Shut-

ters and doors, walls and furniture—off they went, and people raced after them to the rescue. All were at work, myself included.

I had a bad leg coming on, and, considering the bed to be the most valuable article in any part of the house, I right manfully lay in it and so held it down. From the comfortable bed I watched the roof go off, piece by piece. From it I saw the slabs and boards go—I saw everything go until there was nothing left at my side of the house but me and my noble bed.

Together we weathered the storm bravely. Together we remained in the torrents of rain and in the blinding lightning, littered with broken timber, hornets' nests, oranges, bits of furniture from the next room, pomelos and guavas, boughs of trees and sundry other things.

I had never before witnessed a tornado, and the kind bed generously afforded me a front seat on the brow of the hill, from which the whole show was seen splendidly. Moreover, as you do not always require a roof over your head in that country, it was a mere trifle being left without one on a night like that.

When the storm ceased and daylight forced itself in a measure through the still inclement weather it was strange to see the river a long way up the lawn, spreading its turbid waters over the plain which we had traversed only the day before right up to the foot of the mountain. Two trees out of every three were blown down, and no leaves were left on any. Water was running everywhere, and the bright, peaceful scene of yesterday was now an expanse of dull gray and wholesale desolation.

HANGING A HORSE.

Trial and Execution of a Steed Which Overturnd a Carriage.

The following account of the private trial and execution of a horse by command of the fantastic Marquis de Briquerville is taken from an article entitled "Biographie des Excentriques," originally published without signature in La Republique du Peuple, described as "Almanach Democratique, Paris, chez Prost, 1850," and republished in Oeuvres Posthumes of Baudelaire, Paris. The article is evidently one of Baudelaire's bits of hack work, but even here the master's touch is felt:

"First of all let us mention the Marquis de Briquerville, a very rich person, popularly deemed crazy and probably slightly so. At least he did all that was necessary to justify the opinion one had of him. One day as he was rushing violently through the streets in his brilliant equipage one of his horses fell. The carriage was upset, and the marquis received an ugly contusion. He is brought back to his mansion; he is in a rage; he wants to dismiss his coachman. The latter justifies himself. The accident was not caused by any fault of his. One of the horses is to blame. 'If it is so,' says the marquis, 'the horse must be punished; every fault must have its penalty.' He orders all his household to appear—steward, butler, valets, scullions, grooms. It is a veritable court of justice. They all take their places. The marquis presides. The accused is brought in. He preserves in his noble bearing the calmness of innocence. The coachman makes the accusation. The secretary of the marquis, filling the office of lawyer, presents the defense of the quadruped. He is long winded, heavy, flat, exactly as if he was pleading before parliament. He quotes the Digest; he spits Latin. He concludes by requesting that his client should be returned to the stable, whose finest ornament he is. The case is heard. The marquis gives his opinion first. He considers the accusation as proved. He votes for the sentence of death. All his valets hurry to vote like him. The whole thing seemed to them a joke. They were mistaken. The marquis had a scaffold erected in his yard. He ad-

ressed to the condemned a proud discourse, in which he made him feel the enormity of his crime. During this oratorical display the unfortunate victim looked upon the instrument of torture with a firm eye—no affectation of courage, no despondency.

"As soon as the marquis had finished a groom threw with dexterity a rope around the neck of the patient, and a few seconds later the poor animal was suspended in the air, the coachman was pulling his feet down, a valet was stamping on his shoulders. The hanging was as correct as those daily exhibited in the square of the Greve. The attendants were stupefied with astonishment."

How Indians Poisoned Arrows.

Indians took a fresh deer liver, fastened it to a long pole and then went to certain places where they knew they would find rattlesnakes. The bucks would poke the first rattler with the liver. The snake would repeatedly strike at the liver with its fangs until its poison was all used up. Then the pole was carried home and fastened upright until the liver became as dry as a bone. The liver was pounded to a fine powder and placed in a buckskin bag. This powder would stick like glue to any moistened surface and was used to poison arrows.—Denver Field and Farm.

Accurate Measure.

A laborer in a dockyard was one day given a two foot rule to measure a piece of iron plate. Not being accustomed to the use of the rule, he returned it after wasting a good deal of time.

"Well, Bill," remarked the foreman, "what is the size of the plate?"

"Well," replied he, with a smile which accompanies duty performed, "it's the length of your rule and two thumbs over, with this piece of brick and the breadth of my hand and arm and from here to there, bar a finger."—London Mail.

A Modern Diogenes.

Ethel, aged six, had gone down the village street with her new doll. It could be plainly seen that she was in dire distress. She stood still, and after a close scrutiny of several men who passed she accosted one.

"Say, are you an honest man?" she demanded.

"Why, yes, I think so," was the astonished reply.

"Well, then, if you're sure you're an honest man," said the little maid, "please hold my dolly while I tie my shoe."—Woman's Home Companion.

His Conundrum.

"Mistah Waikab, kin yo' tell me de diff'ence 'tween a cold in de head an' a chicken coop wit' a hole in de rufe?"

"No, Sam; that's a hard one. What is the difference between a cold in the head and a chicken coop with a hole in the roof?"

"De one am a case o' influenza, an' de udder am a case o' out flew hens, sub."

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Illustrating a Definition.

In proving a match to the browbeating lawyer the woman witness is probably in the majority. At a recent case in court a woman witness was giving very damaging evidence against the prisoner, and the attorney for the defense, nettled at her manner, decided to embarrass her if he could.

"In giving your testimony, madam, I observe that you are constantly using the word 'irony.' May I ask if you comprehend its true meaning?"

"Well, I think I do. I will illustrate. If I were to call you a gentleman I should unquestionably be indulging in most decided irony."—Ladies' Home Journal.

A Considerate Husband.

New Husband—Did you make those biscuits, my dear? His Wife—Yes, darling. Her Husband—Well, I'd rather you would not make any more, sweetheart. His Wife—Why, not, love? Her Husband—Because, angel mine, you are too light for such heavy work.—Chicago Record-Herald.

If wisdom was to cease throughout the world no one would suspect himself of ignorance.

Romance in High Life.

"So that heiress is engaged to a nobleman."
"Yes."
"And you say the affair was romantic?"
"Oh, very. Why, the duke was even too poor to hire a lawyer."—Kansas

IN A PYTHON'S COIL.

An Adventure That Nearly Cost a Zoo Official His Life.

The attendants in zoological gardens are exposed to dangers of various sorts. The superintendent of the Cincinnati animal park once had an adventure with a python which came near costing him his life.

It became necessary to make some changes in the snake house, and the superintendent, Mr. Stephens, was in the cage of pythons, anticipating no danger, when to his dismay he saw the largest snake coming toward him, hissing and darting its tongue angrily. Instantly he realized his danger.

The superintendent quickly grasped the huge reptile just back of the neck with his right hand and with the left clutched the creature two feet lower down, where the greatest muscular power of the python is located.

He tried to thrust the writhing mass into a waiting box, but the python coiled its twelve feet of length round the man's leg and began to constrict, carrying its tightening coils higher and higher.

Struggle as he might, Mr. Stephens seemed helpless in the serpent's grasp. His hands were so moist that the scaly body twisted in them. Perspiration streamed down his face. The python had worked its head free and was darting its horrid tongue almost in its victim's eyes.

The man threw up his hand instinctively to shield his face, and at the same moment the snake seized and began swallowing it.

By this time the attendants had rushed into the cage, and they began beating the python. Not liking this treatment, the big snake relaxed its coils. Mr. Stephens jerked his hand free and broke off one of the python's fangs in his thumb in so doing.

"If I had not held on to its heaviest muscle," said the superintendent, "I have no doubt it might have strangled me. As long as I kept my grip there I felt confident, but I was pretty weak after the adventure."

Lost a Breakfast.

When in London early in his career Paul Du Chaillu, the explorer, received an invitation to breakfast signed "S. Oxon." On going to the address given he found it was a boot shop in Pall Mall and came away, deeming it, as he said, an impertinence that a bootmaker whom he did not know should invite him to breakfast. He afterward learned that the invitation was from the famous Bishop Wilberforce of Oxford, whose London lodgings were over the boot shop. The prelate met him later and was greatly amused when the explorer told him of his mistake.

VANITY OF AN EMPRESS.

Josephine Dearly Loved Her Gowns and Her Jewels.

It is a rare privilege to be allowed to peep at the mysteries of an empress' toilet, to ransack her wardrobes, with their treasures of costly gowns, to open her jewel casket and to gloat over gems that would purchase many a king's ransom. But when this empress is the most luxurious and picturesque woman of an extravagant age the temptation is too strong to resist, says the London Standard.

Such an empress was Josephine, in turn the spoiled darling and outcast wife of Napoleon I., whose star filled the social heaven of Europe for five years. Josephine was more than forty years old and had already exhausted all the arts of luxury when she was crowned empress in 1804. Her first beauty had long left her, and it is said she had practiced the fatal and fashionable art of enameling until the enamel would no longer retain its hold on her skin, but cracked and covered her with a constant layer of white powder.

For ordinary occasions her hairdresser was a M. Herbeault, "a magnificent creature in an embroidered costume, with a sword at his side," but for any important occasion M. Duplan, the most consummate artist in the world, was called in. M. Duplan's salary for these occasional services was 20,000 francs a year, increased later by Napoleon to 42,000 francs. These two unrivaled artists designed for Josephine's benefit no less than a thousand new methods of hair-dressing, each adapted to the special circumstances in which it was worn.

Much as Josephine loved her hundreds of costly dresses, she loved her jewelry more and was never happy unless she was adding almost daily to her treasures. In a few short months she spent half a million francs on jewels, and her happiest hours at Malmaison were spent in spreading out her thousands of gems on the table before her and gloating over their dazzling charms.

Her extravagance was the cause of many tears and much upbraiding from Napoleon, who grew tired of paying bills, many of them reaching almost a million francs. But in the end he usually succumbed to

her pleading and penitence and would say to her: "Come, Josephine! Come, my little one! Console yourself. I will make it all right." Poor, silly Josephine! Poor Napoleon!

The Size of Texas.

Texas is larger than all the New England states combined, larger than all the gulf states, including Georgia, combined; larger than the middle Atlantic states, consisting of New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia; larger than Germany, larger than France, larger than Austria-Hungary. It is big enough to supply the population of the United States with almost everything it needs to eat, wear and make life worth living without exhausting its resources. All this is not so remarkable from the standpoint of room when it is known that the area of Texas is 265,780 square miles, that its greatest length is 825 miles and its greatest breadth 740 miles. — Galveston News.

He Bit.

The city man was jogging on toward the farmhouse in a rickety old wagon. The driver was glum and far from entertaining, and the city man felt rather lonely.

"Fine field over there," he ventured after a long silence.

"Fine," grunted the driver.

"Who owns it?"

"Old man Bitt."

"Old man Bitt, eh? Who are those children stacking up hay?"

"Old man Bitt's boys."

"And what is his idea in having them out there in the field such a hot day?"

"Waal, I reckon he thinks every little Bitt helps, stranger. Anything else you want to know? Get up here, hosses!" — Philadelphia Ledger.

"The Fault of the Dutch." It was to Sir Charles Bagot, minister at The Hague, that Canning in the course of a tariff dispute with Falk, the Dutch premier, addressed his famous dispatch in verse, which, as we have seen it wrongly quoted on several occasions, we venture to append: In matters of commerce the fault of the Dutch Is giving too little and asking too much. With equal advantage the French are content, So we'll clap on Dutch bottoms at twenty per cent, Twenty per cent, Twenty per cent, Nous frapperons Falk with twenty per cent. — "Links With the Past."

Victim of a Soft Heart.

The prison visitor looked at the occupant of cell 49 through eyes that were dim with tears and passed a few more fragrant blossoms between the iron bars.

"You poor unfortunate!" she exclaimed. "So you were brought to this through sympathy for another. Tell me all about it. Perhaps something can be done to set you free."

"Well, mum, 'twas this way," exclaimed the convict. "When me an' my mate cracked the crib we found the bank watchman asleep, an' we tied an' gagged him. It was him as arterward identified me."

"Yes, and the sympathy for another?" asked the visitor.

"It was fer him, mum. My mate wanted ter stick a knife in him. If I hedn't been a fool an' done it I wouldn't be here a-talkin' ter you now." — Boston Traveler.

Sickness and Superstition.

For the cure of epilepsy, or the falling sickness, numerous were the charms that were invoked long ago. A very common remedy among the poor people about London and particularly in Essex was to cut the tip of a black cat's tail in order to procure three drops of blood, which were to be taken in a spoonful of milk and repeated three days successively. If the patient was informed of the composition it lost its efficacy. The patients also were to creep head foremost down some three pairs of stairs three times a day for three successive days. — London Answers.

The Cosmological Question.

The business of life allows no spare time any more. One cannot get rich nowadays in office hours, nor become great, nor keep telegraphically informed, nor do his share of talking and listening. Everybody but the plumber and paperhanger works overtime. How the earth keeps up a necessary amount of whirling in the old twenty-four hour limit is more than we can understand. But she can't keep up the pace much longer. She must have an extra hour. And how to snatch it from the tail end of eternity is the burning cosmological question. — Dallas Love Sharp in Atlantic.

A Kindly Inquiry.

Fairlie-Jack, have you that ten pounds I lent you the other day? Flyntie—Not all of it, old chap, but what I have will do me a day or two longer. Jolly kind and thoughtful of you to inquire, though.—Illustrated Bits.

The bow cannot possibly stand all ways bent, nor can human nature subsist without recreation.—Cervantes.

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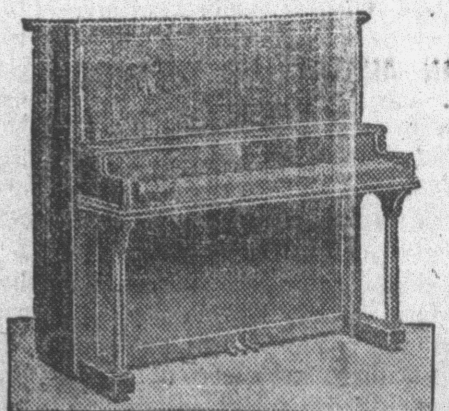
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A Story of Stevenson.

After one of Dumas' plays which he saw presented in Paris and in which a man employs an unworthy stratagem against a woman Robert Louis Stevenson wrote:

"I came forth from that performance in a breathing heat of indignation. On the way down the Francois stairs I trod on an old gentleman's toes, whereupon, with that savviness which so well becomes me, I turned about to apologize and on the instant, repenting me of that intention, stopped the apology midway and added something in French to this effect: 'No. You are one of the persons who have been applauding that piece. I retract my apology.'

"Said the old Frenchman, laying his hand on my arm and with a smile that was truly heavenly in temperance, irony, good nature and knowledge of the world. 'Ah, monsieur, vous etes bien jeune' (Ah, sir, you are very young)."

THE FORBIDDEN FRUIT.

No Authority For Saying It Was an Apple That Eve Ate.

"What a vast amount of trouble the human race might have avoided if Eve hadn't eaten that 'apple,' remarked the grouchy individual when something especially displeased him.

"How do you know it was an apple?" asked the accurate man.

"Why, the Bible says so, doesn't it?"

"No. It has come to be a popular belief that the fruit which was eaten by our first parents in the garden 'eastward in Eden' was an apple, but there is no authority for this.

"It is called simply the fruit of the tree of knowledge of good and evil. 'And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food and that it was pleasant to the eyes and a tree to be desired to make one wise she took of the fruit thereof and did eat, and gave also to her husband with her, and he did eat.' What is there here about an apple?"

"A great many popular quotations are attributed to the Bible when in fact they had other sources.

"God tempers the wind to the shorn lamb' is not from the Scriptures, but from 'A Sentimental Journey to Italy,' by Sterne.

"In the midst of life we are in death,' which is found in the burial service, can be traced to Luther.

"From St. Paul's utterance, 'The love of money is the root of all evil,' we have twisted the saying, 'Money is the root of evil.' 'Cleanliness is next to godliness' was uttered by John Wesley in a sermon on dress. 'The merciful man is merciful to his beast' is a popular rendering of the proverb, 'A righteous man regardeth the life of his beast.' 'The tongue is an unruly member' appears in the epistle of James as 'The tongue can no man tame; it is an unruly evil.'—Philadelphia North American.

A BEAVER DAM.

The Feeling It Inspired in a University Professor.

I have yet to meet the man who can walk for the first time through a beaver works, as the range of a colony of beavers is called, and not feel something of the sentiment of human association.

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I once stood with a learned professor of Columbia college on the bank of a stream in eastern Canada and looked down on a freshly made beaver dam—one of the best in point of construction that I had ever seen. It was, indeed, a really stupendous affair for a beaver to have made. Built of alder poles and brush, weighted with mud and small stones, it was fifty feet long, six feet high and raised the level of the water by about sixty inches.

Seen from the upstream side, it presented the appearance of a more or less evenly disposed array of short sticks protruding from a long mound of mud just level with the surface of the restrained water. From below the brushwood supporting the dam proper was plainly visible and the ingenuity of its placing at once apparent.

There was of course none of that pile driving or basket weaving which at one time played so large a part in the picturesque descriptions by fanciful writers, but despite its roughness it was a really remarkable piece of animal engineering. My companion inspected it for several minutes in impressed silence.

"I should be afraid to kill a thing that knew so much," he said thoughtfully.—Bailey's Magazine.

A Dog Story.

We brought from Scotland a collie about six months old. He was allowed to be with us at the breakfast table, but never to be fed in the dining room. This rule was enforced by my daughter. I was the only member of the family who ever broke over the rule. And often when I offered him a tempting bone he would glance across the table, and if he caught the forbidding eye he would resist the temptation. But one morning she left the table abruptly. Rab followed her into the hall and watched her till she had closed the door of her study. Then he scampered back, dodged my elbow, as if to say, "Now is our time." He seized the bone and was soon crunching it with the greatest satisfaction.—London Spectator.



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COTTON:	Today	Yesterday	NEW YORK FUTURES:	
Middling	13 15-16	13 15-16	Dec.	14 76 14 30
Str Low Middling	13 3-4	13 3-4	Jan.	14 48 14 33
Low Middling	13 1-4	13 1-4	Mar.	14 57 14 2
PEANUTS:—			Chicago Markets:	
Fancy	3 1-2	3 1-2	Dec Wheat	104 1-2 1 4 1-2
Strictly Prime	3 1-4	3 1-4	Dec Corn	58 1-2 5 1-8
Prime	3	3	Octo Ribs	10 62 10 7 1
Low Grades	2 1-2	2 1-2	Jan Ribs	10 9 9 95
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