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HAPPENINGS THROUGHOUT NORTH CAROLINA.

CREAM OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE EXCHANGES.

Counterfeit Money in Raleigh—Boy Drowned in Mackey's Ferry—Editor Poe to Tour World.

There is counterfeit money being used about Raleigh. Such is the news that comes from some small dealers in goods in West Raleigh, who have had such money passed on them. It is understood that the police have been notified and are on the lookout. It would be wiser for all in Raleigh who deal with strangers to keep their eyes open, or some of the counterfeit stuff may be shoved out to them.—News and Observer.

Washington, Aug. 3.—The sad news just reached the city of the drowning of Ethan Godley, a young white man about 21 years of age, formerly of this city. Young Godley was out with a pleasure party on the Albemarle Sound and on their return they stopped and went bathing near Mackey's Ferry. It seems that young Godley was suddenly stricken and was out of reach before aid could be rendered.

Wadesboro, Aug. 3.—James Richardson, a young man twenty years old, today in the technical legal fight he this afternoon. The accident occurred at Gravel-Pit pond, where a picnic was held today. Richardson, with other young men, went in bathing and Richardson could not swim.

Mr. W. W. Westry, who lived about four miles from Enfield on the Tillery road, committed suicide by drowning himself in a small pond near his home on Tuesday morning. Mr. Westry was a hard working farmer, quiet unassuming, and liked by all who knew him. He had been despondent for some time on account of ill health.—Enfield Progress.

Raleigh, Aug. 3.—Editor Clarence Poe, of the Progressive Farmer, will sail from San Francisco for a tour around the world, during which he says he expects to have his eyes especially open for every lesson the south can learn from distant countries in matters of agriculture, manufacturing, race and political problems, conservation, religious unrest and commercial opportunities. He will visit Japan, China, the Philippines, India, Holy Land, Egypt, and expects to reach Raleigh on the return some time in January.

Wilmington, Aug. 3.—Henry Galloway, a well to do colored man of Southport, was in the city today and has with him a human freak, which, though preserved in alcohol, is a great curiosity. The curious specimen is a child which was born at Southport, May 29th, 1910, and died a few minutes after its birth. The child had four legs, four feet, four arms, and four hands. From the abdomen up the body was apparently normal, but there are four ears, leading to the presumption that there was practically two persons in one. Galloway and his wife are normal and they have other children who are in no manner deformed. Their freak child is said to be fully developed, and they have been offered \$2,000 for it for exhibition purposes. Galloway declined the offer and is going to exhibit the specimen himself.

The annual Farmers' Convention for the State of North Carolina will be held at A. & M. College, Raleigh, August 30, 31 and September 1.

Washington, Aug. 3.—Reports coming to the city state that a Mr. Hardy Stallings, of this county, was killed instantly by a stroke of lightning, during a very severe electrical storm that passed over this city and county late Saturday afternoon.

No Demand for Suspenders and Garters in China.

There is no demand for suspenders and garters in China, according to advice received from Consul General Wilder, of Shanghai.

"Suspenders do not interest the native," says the consul, "because his trousers are so constructed as to render the use of such an article unnecessary. Nor is there any need for garters, as the trousers, when properly adjusted, are tied over the sock at the ankle with a neat band of ribbon or cotton. Occasionally a native is seen with a well-known make of American garters, which are worn outside the trousers as ornaments."

Work for Greenville with us.

BLIND ASSISTANT U. S. ATTORNEY

Raymond Brown, of Harvard, Prepares Briefs in Criminal Cases.

United States District-Attorney Wise has just appointed a blind man to his staff. This is the first time in the history of that office, so far as is known, that a blind man has been employed in this capacity.

The sightless Assistant United States District-Attorney is Raymond G. Brown, a member of a wealthy New England family and a graduate of Harvard University, class of 1908. While a student at Harvard he was especially marked by the faculty because of his close application to study and quick grasp of subjects and graduated as an honor man in a class of 150.

Three months ago the new appointee called on Mr. Wise and applied for a position. Although the son of wealthy parents, he explained that he preferred hard work to a life of idleness. He brought strong endorsements from several prominent members of the New York bar, besides one from Attorney General Wickersham. District Attorney Wise was so impressed with his earnestness that he decided to appoint young Brown on his merit.

Mr. Brown has been assigned to the task of preparing briefs in connection with criminal cases. He works with an attendant, who reads to him from such legal authorities as he may need. He also uses a typewriter expertly, using the "touch" system, which thus enables him to work rapidly.—New York World.

RAILWAY MEN PROMOTED.

Mr. W. W. Croxton and Col. H. C. Hudgins Go Up.

Two promotions in the railroad world that will be read of with interest are those of Mr. W. W. Croxton and Col. H. C. Hudgins, of the Norfolk-Southern. Mr. Croxton, who has been the assistant general passenger agent, has been promoted to the position of general passenger agent, while Colonel Hudgins, who has heretofore been the general freight and passenger agent, becomes the general freight agent of the Norfolk-Southern. These are two popular railroad officials, whose activity in the service has been such as to make them of great value, and worthy of any promotions.—New Bern Journal.

Statute of Lee in old Uniform in Hall.

President Taft has approved, without comment, an opinion by Attorney General Wickersham to the effect that there is no provision of law by which the statue of General Robert E. Lee, in Confederate uniform, can be removed from Statuary Hall in the capitol at Washington.

In addition to deciding the question on a purely legal basis, Mr. Wickersham urges the matter from the ethical point of view, declaring that Lee has come to be regarded as typifying all that was best in the cause to which he gave his services and the most loyal and unflinching acceptance of the complete overthrow of that cause. That the State of Virginia should designate him for that place in statuary hall as one illustrious for distinguished military service, the attorney general declares, is only natural and would be under the reading of the law.

A Pellagra Preventative.

Dr. R. W. S. Pegram, of Delaplane, this State, tells The Charlotte Observer that he thinks pellagra comes from poisoning contained in the disinfectants used by grain dealers. But what business has one in this country eating imported meal of corn? We ought to raise more than we need and not have to buy away from home. Physicians have held that it came from corn and may be that Dr. Pegram has about sized it up, for it has been demonstrated that people who eat the good old corn raised on the farms down this way do not have it.—Greensboro Record.

Fire in Newspaper Plant.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Aug. 4.—The plant of the Tar Heel Publishing Company here was badly damaged by fire early today. The fire was confined to the third floor of the building, but all the machinery was badly damaged.

DAY TRAIN TO BE RESTORED.

Norfolk Southern to Put Back Train Taken off in June.

We are glad to see the announcement that beginning Aug. 15th the Norfolk Southern railroad will put on a train to leave Washington at 7 a. m., arriving at Raleigh at 11.25 a. m., and returning will leave Raleigh at 3 p. m. and reach Washington at 7.25 p. m.

This is practically restoration of the day train which was taken off this road when the night train service between Norfolk and Raleigh was inaugurated the first of June, the difference being the east bound trip will be about an hour earlier than before. The loss of that day train at the time proved a great inconvenience to the people, especially of this section, and they will be pleased at it being put back. The restoration of this train will bring a corresponding improvement in the mail service on this road.

The announcement is also made that other Norfolk Southern trains are to remain as at present, so the outlook is that with the through night trains and the day trains the Norfolk Southern is going to give admirable service.

THERE'LL BE FIGHTING IN AIR.

Airship Makers Forming Trusts to Fight Each Other.

By Wire to The Reflector.

New York, Aug. 4.—An airship trust controlling aerial machines and aeroplanes, is the object of the Standard Oil interests, according to reports current in Wall street today. The first move is the formation of a company to compete with the Wright Brothers. William S. Rouse, a New York inventor, is supplying the aeroplanes. He is president of the John D. Rockefeller and John D. Jr., organization. It is believed there will be a bitter struggle with the Wright Co., which is backed by Ryan, Belmont and Vanderbilt.

INVESTIGATING BRIBERY CASE.

Oklahoma's Blind Senator to Back up His Charge.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Muskogee, Okla., Aug. 4.—Investigation of the charge made in the United States senate by Senator Gore, that he and a number of house representatives had each been offered a bribe of \$25,000 to foster a scheme whereby the Indians of Oklahoma were to be deprived of \$3,000,000 of profits due them through the sale of coal and asphalt lands in this State, was begun today. Senator Gore was ready to take the stand when the hearing opened, and said he would tell the full truth of the scheme, giving names, dates and everything.

BITTER STRUGGLE IN TENNESSEE.

Patterson Ticket Doomed to Overwhelming Defeat.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Memphis, Aug. 4.—Families have been torn asunder in one of the bitterest State elections ever held in Tennessee, which is taking place today. It means the political death of third term for Governor Malcom R. Patterson. Supreme court judges are being voted on. It is generally conceded that the Patterson ticket will be overwhelmingly defeated.

Court Against Browne.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Representative Lee O'Neil Browne lost every point was drowned in a pond near Lilesville was making to prevent his second trial for bribery. When Judge Keisten overruled the motions of the defense, the court upheld the bribery statute and refused to accept the construction of it offered by the defense.

Knight Templars in Chicago.

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 4.—Fifteen thousand visitors who have come to Chicago as a result of the Knight Templars' triennial conclave, constitute the advance of the great influx due to begin Saturday and Sunday. Nearly every train adds more visitors to the crowd.

Never egg-on business of cold storage.

SHAKES HANDS WITH ROOSEVELT

Shea's Elation at the Honor Brings on Attack of Heart Disease.

Tice Shea shook hands with Theodore Roosevelt Monday night. It took two doctors four hours to bring Shea around. But then he has heart disease.

Shea was on a country road two and a half miles outside of Belvidere, N. J. The road is closed for repairs; the red lamps halted an automobile. A man in it asked Shea where he could strike another road and Shea told him. Another man stretched out his hand and shook hands with Shea, saying:

"Thank you."
"My friend, you are shaking hands with Theodore Roosevelt," impressively announced a voice in the darkness.

The auto turned and vanished. Mr. Roosevelt and Lawrence Abbott, the Rev. Dr. Lyman, Abbott's son, were in it. Mr. Roosevelt is going for the Outlook to study conditions surrounding the Pennsylvania coal miners. By lantern light Shea reverently regarded the hand that had shaken the hand of Roosevelt. Then he started on a dead run for Belvidere, burning to tell all his friends of the extraordinary honor that had been thrust upon him.

Meeting the first man he knew, Shea halted, but before he could get breath he fell in a faint. His weak heart almost ceased to beat, but doctors by rigorous treatment saved him.—N. Y. World.

Rochdale Items.

Rochdale, N. C., Aug. 4, 1910.

Rochdale's nine went to Farmville Thursday evening and crossed bats with the Farmville boys and came out in defeat. The score being 8 to 6 in favor of Farmville. Rochdale was ahead until just at the last when they made one mistake which gave Farmville three runs and put them two ahead.

The Standard and Tucker people gathered a crowd and took a hay ride through our section and spent most of the time in Smithtown and left about 1 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McLawhorn, Mrs. Mills Smith, Joe and Miss Tilley Smith, attended the Hookerton Union meeting at Red Oak Saturday and Sunday.

The Free Will Baptists of the second district held their union meeting at Arthur Friday, Saturday and Sunday. They had very good preaching to large congregations on Sunday. I don't think more than half of the crowd could be seated. The business was transacted in love and unity. The preachers present were R. R. Jones, G. C. Vause, W. W. Lupton, D. A. Windham, C. B. Jones, and E. L. St. Claire.

Miss Mary Ellen Kittrell, of Farmville, is visiting Misses Callie and Hilda Smith, of Smithtown, this week.

We have heard this evening of some bold stealing. George Hemby, colored, who lives a little more than a mile from Rochdale, went out in the woods this morning to cut some wood and came up with a negro that had a hog butchered very nicely. He told George to go and get some meal and bring him and he would give him some meat. Of course George went, but when he returned he had the officer with him who arrested the man and took him to jail. The man said he slept in a car at Hemby's siding last night. We did not learn his name. He told George that he had been in the woods for three years.

Hello Girls on Strike.

The "hello girls" in the local exchange went out on "strike" Monday and are still out, because of a difference with Manager Tull about hours and extra time. Their places were supplied, partly by inexperienced young ladies from this city and by a trained operator from Wilson.—Kinston Free Press.

Buy a Residence.

Mr. E. L. Daughtridge has purchased from Mr. E. G. Flanagan the house and lot on the corner of South Washington and Eighth streets. The house is at present occupied by Mr. C. D. Tunstall.

Every judge is a court officer of bad judgment—to the criminals who get sentenced.

Miss Lula Cozens, of Washington, is visiting Miss Pearl Forbes.

PERSONAL BRIEFS.

The People Who Come and go on Our Trains.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Tucker, and Misses Roland Jenkins and Martha Lee Cowell, attended a picnic at Pictolus Wednesday.

Misses Hennie and Essie Whichard left Wednesday evening to visit relatives in LaGrange.

Miss Myrtle Warren went to Kinston Wednesday evening.

Miss Annie Leonard Tyson went to Kinston Wednesday evening.

Mrs. J. B. Randolph and children, of Tarboro, are visiting Misses Lucy and Mary Randolph.

Miss Nannie Johnson, one of the best on The Reflector force, is on the sick list.

President R. H. Wright, of the Training school, left this morning for Burgaw to attend an educational meeting.

TO BE RECTOR AT NEW BERN

A Fayetteville Young Man Honored With a Position of High Trust.

The Index is glad to record that a talented and consecrated young minister of the gospel, born and reared in this city, is making for himself a broad field of usefulness. Rev. B. F. Huske, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Huske, has been called to the rectorship of Christ church, New Bern, one of the oldest Episcopal churches in the State, and one of the largest and most influential in the Eastern Diocese.

Mr. Huske, who is quite a young man, now rector of the Episcopal church at Greenville, this State. His many friends in Fayetteville bid him God speed in his noble work.—Fayetteville Index.

It has been rumored for some days that Mr. Huske was to leave Greenville for New Bern, but no definite announcement had been made here. Greenville will give him up with sincere regret, for no man who has ever lived here is more generally liked by all our people. At present Mr. Huske is in New York state on a vacation, and soon after returning will go to New Bern to take up his work there.

A Word to Subscribers.

Let us remind those who owe The Reflector for subscription to pay just as soon as they can. Expenses are heavy and the money every one owes is needed. We mention this in print because it takes a long time and much work to get around and send bills to each one. The paper is trying to be good enough to induce you to pay for it cheerfully.

Colored Excursions.

There was something doing around the Norfolk Southern depot this morning handling colored excursions. One was run from here to Raleigh, and every coach was crowded when the train pulled out. There was another excursion to pass through from Raleigh to Washington, and the already large crowd on it was increased here.

It Does Pay.

An Oklahoma girl advertised for a husband and got him. The total expense for advertising, wedding outfit, etc., was \$11. He died within a year, leaving her an insurance policy of \$10,000. And yet some people claim that it doesn't pay to advertise.

Fortunate The Opening Postponed.

It is a good thing for the farmers and warehousemen also that the tobacco market did not open the first of August this year, as it has done formerly. Selling tobacco such weather as this would not be any good job.

New B. & L. Attorney.

At the meeting of the board of directors of The Home Building & Loan Association, held Wednesday afternoon, Mr. J. Burt James was elected attorney of the association to fill out the unexpired term of Judge H. W. Whedbee, resigned.

Good Guesser, Sometime.

Foreman Hearne says the editor just will send up a weather prognostication every day or two, but the editor does about as close guessing at it as the other fellow.

PASSENGER TRAIN SERVICE.

Time of Arrival and Departure of all Greenville Trains.

Atlantic Coast Line.
Northbound 8.32 a. m. Southbound 1.12 p. m.
5.17 p. m. 6.32 p. m.

Norfolk & Southern.
Eastbound 9.20 a. m. Westbound 4.14 p. m.
12.41 a. m. 3.58 a. m.

The Weather.

Partly cloudy with local thunderstorms tonight or Friday; moderate south and southwest winds, becoming variable.

Aug. 4 In American History.

1781—Isaac Hayne, American patriot, hanged at Charleston by the British; born 1745.

1908—William Boyd Allison, United States senator from Iowa, died; born 1820.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:08, rises 4:56; moon rises 4:53 a. m.; 1:20 a. m., eastern time, new moon, with the sun in constellation Cancer.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

Little Items too Short for a Head, but Interesting.

Knights of Pythias meet tonight. The Baptist Sunday school had their picnic today at Rock spring.

Sickness is troubling The Reflector force, but the well ones are keeping things going even if they do have almost double duty on them.

The work of improving Fifth street seems to have struck a hang up for the time being.

The board of aldermen meet tonight. The Republican county convention will be held here on Saturday, 6th.

Papers up the State are announcing that Ringling's circus will be along that way in October.

Pulling down the old court house walls affords interest to many people who gather around in safe distance.

The light shower this morning and the breeze that followed cooled the temperature just a little bit, but all the same it has been a very warm day.

BASE BALL.

Standing of the East Carolina League—The Results Yesterday

| Clubs. | Won. | Lost | P. C. |
|--------------|------|------|-------|
| Wilson | 7 | 2 | .778 |
| Raleigh | 6 | 3 | .667 |
| Fayetteville | 5 | 4 | .556 |
| Goldsboro | 4 | 4 | .500 |
| Rocky Mount | 3 | 5 | .375 |
| Wilmington | 1 | 8 | .111 |

The results of yesterday's games were as follows:

At Wilson: Wilson 2; Wilmington 1. (11 innings.)

At Durham: Fayetteville 1; Raleigh 4.

At Goldsboro: Goldsboro 4; Rocky Mount 4. (11 innings; darness.)

Must Bathe Once a Week.

Residents of Aurora, Ill., especially foreigners, are ordered, in a list of rules issued by the board of health and signed by the mayor and chief of police, to take a bath once a week or be arrested. Copies of the ordinance are to be placed in all of the boarding houses and homes of foreigners in Aurora.

The rule fixing the number of baths that a man shall take is only one of 15 issued by the board. Women are told to scrub their floors once a week, sweep all carpets, air bedrooms and keep yards clean or be arrested. One rule says that but two shall be allowed to sleep in a bed.

Records Removed.

That the old walls may be torn down and cleared away for work to start on the new building, the records have been removed from the old court house vaults to the building occupied by the county officers.

Frank Wilson, the King Clothier.

Left this morning for the northern markets to purchase a full line of high grade, men's and boys' and children's clothing, furnishing goods, shoes and hats.



Subscription, one year, \$3.00
Six months, 1.50
One month, .25
One week, .10
Above prices apply to both mail and city delivery.

Advertising rates may be had upon application at the business office in The Reflector Building, corner Evans and Third streets.

All cards of thanks and resolutions of respect will be charged for at 1 cent per word.

Communications advertising candidates will be charged for at three cents per line, up to fifty lines.

Entered at the post office at Greenville, N. C., as second class mail matter.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 1910.

Charlton, Crippen, Wendling and Wider would make a drawing quartet for a vaudeville.

The State Democratic executive committee did the right thing when it again made Mr. A. H. Eller chairman.

After what Nebraska done for him there is more talk of Mr. Bryan moving to Texas.

There was about as much division among Wake county Republicans in their primary as the Democrats had in theirs.

There is not so much in a name, after all, and when the Durham Herald calls him Dr. Chippen it sounds but little different.

The airship builders might take the idea of putting rubber pads on them so they can do the "Billy Bounce" act when they come down too suddenly and hit the ground.

Governor Mann, of Virginia, appointed ex-Governor Swanson as United States senator to succeed the late Senator Daniel. A better appointment would have been hard to make.

We believe all these race troubles that have recently occurred in some of the States were the outcome of the Jeffries-Johnson fight. And if the truth was brought out the whites would likely be found as much at fault as the blacks.

The Wilmington board of aldermen at a recent meeting went on record as favoring the commission form of city government, and the next legislature will be asked to amend the charter of the city with that end in view. We believe the commission form of government will come sooner or later in all municipalities of consequence.

MAKING BRANDY.

Taking Out License Despite Prohibition Law.

A few men have arranged to make some brandy in these parts by applying to the government for license. When the first one made application the deputy collector told him he would fix him up all right, but asked if he would not get into trouble with the State authorities. He said he had been otherwise advised; that several attorneys had examined the State prohibition act and told him he could make brandy if it was not done for profit. Another government officer here says he gauged some brandy for a few people in the eastern part of the State last fall and that they were making it in that section. The question is what is meant by "profit"? The government tax is \$1.10 a gallon; it costs something to rig up a still and run it, so that what is profit is a question. But after all, why should a man want to make brandy if he can not profit by it? It might be a good idea to look into the matter before going too far. Why not make a test case and be done with it, or why not get the opinion of the attorney-general.

al. One thing is sure—brandy was made last year in the eastern part of the State. But men and brethren, suppose one is permitted to make it, be disposed of without profit? It can probably be made for say \$1.50 a gallon, tax paid. Think of being able to buy the genuine article for this figure! However, the better plan would be to look into it before jumping.—Greensboro Record.

Another Argument for Raising Corn Right.

As suggested in a newsy story of this paper yesterday, a fact of great significance in relation to corn growing was brought up by the windstorm the other night. It is, to many of us at least, a brand new argument in favor of modern methods in corn raising. Whereas much corn all through this section was blown flat and greatly damaged, "contest corn" took but little harm. This may or may not have been the general experience but there are localities where carelessly cultivated corn was blown down, and "prize acres" stood up.

There are several ways in which this may be accounted for. The contest corn, planted thick and grown under favorable conditions has become a heavy, more or less compact mass, capable of resisting the force of the wind. Then again, with deep seed bed and shallow cultivation the stalks are perfectly rooted and the roots have not been disturbed. The roots of a stalk of corn, you will remember, if placed end to end, would reach more than a mile.

Another theory is that flat cultivation aided. Everyone has observed strong false top rocks or feelers, exactly in the position of braces at the bottom of the post. The flat system of cultivation gives these braces a surface upon which to brace when the stalk is subject to strain.

We do not recall having seen the statement in print that corn scientifically grown will resist wind better than corn not so cultivated; but doubtless the idea is not new.—Gazette News.

The prominence given the defeat suffered by Colonel Bryan in the Nebraska Democratic convention has obscured the very great picturesqueness of the political fight as it is being made in all three parties—Democratic, Republican and Populist—in that State this summer. Republican leaders are reported to be unwilling to approve their State platform, while the Democratic platform contains just the planks which are dearest to those same Republican leaders' hearts. Democrats and Populists are fused tightly although the latter are fighting practically every plank of any importance promulgated by the former. Bryan himself is supporting certain nominees on the Democratic State ticket for the reason that they are repudiating the party platform and opposing others because they are standing squarely by the document. Political activity, is at white heat, the outcome is impossible to forecast, and nearly every politician in the State has to put to himself each morning of the campaign the somewhat vexed question, "Where am I at?" It is a consolation, at any rate, to realize that not quite all of the political turbulency of 1910 is concentrated in the sixth North Carolina district.—Charlotte Observer.

The Greenville (N. C.) Daily Reflector comes to us in greatly improved form and it gives evidence of Editor D. J. Whichard's intention to give Greenville a better paper. The improvement of the Reflector is a sign that Editor Whichard is making progress and the Star congratulates him upon a success that he so eminently deserves.—Wilmington Star.

NERVOUS DYSPEPSIA.

If You Have It, Read This Letter.

MI-O-NA is Guaranteed.
"I was taken last August with a severe stomach trouble. The doctor said it was nervous dyspepsia. I took his treatment for four weeks, but did not feel any better. I took everything I heard of. The first day of December 1908, I got a box of MI-O-NA. I took them that afternoon and the next day and haven't had one bit of pain in my stomach since the 2nd of December. I took five boxes. Feel well now, and sleep good.—Mrs. M. E. Maxfield, R. F. D. 2, Avoca, N. Y.
MI-O-NA is surely the best prescription for indigestion ever written. It relieves after dinner distress, belching of gas, foul breath, heartburn, etc., in five minutes. It is guaranteed to permanently cure indigestion, acute or chronic, or any disease of the stomach or money back. MI-O-NA stomach tablets are sold by Coward & Wooten, and leading druggists everywhere, at 50 cents a large box.

Not an Authority.

There are some persons who can't make a joke, but Fogz is not one of them. One of the boys, acquainted with Fogz's frequent changes of abode, asked him which he thought was the cheaper, to move or to pay rent.
"I can't tell you, my dear boy," replied Fogz. "I have always moved."

NEW POST CARDS

Local Scenes, Training School, Etc.

TALCUM POWDER--A Variety of Brands

TOILET SOAPS--A Big Stock and Big Assortment at

COWARD & WOOTEN'S DRUG STORE



Summer Brides...
We've a message for you!

It Concerns the Furnishing of Your Home:
It's the first little home you've furnished and it's going to be a great pleasure.

You've ideas how you want it, and where best to carry out your home ideas is you puzzling question, isn't it? The question needn't be puzzling, the carrying out of your ideas needn't bother you one single bit, if you'll but come to the

Taft & VanDyke Store

We're here to carry out your home ideas—we're here to serve you well and faithfully—you can come here with absolute confidence in us, our goods and our prices.

SPRING
SPRING—Gentle Spring
Sounds pretty nice when you sing it, but when the bad blood in your system begins to show itself in BOILS, CARBUNCLES, ABSCESSES, BLOTCHES, ERUPTIONS, Etc., on your face and body it isn't so nice.—TAKE
SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR
HOW to wake up your LIVER, purify your blood and rid the system of all impurities accumulated during the Winter. SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR is the
Best Blood Purifier
ASK GRAND MA SHE KNOWS

FILLED WITH CURIOSITY.

That Was Why He Was Anxiously Waiting Outside the House.
The man was standing behind a tree in front of an apartment house in a cross street when the cop on that beat came pounding along on the sidewalk. It was close to midnight, and naturally the cop stopped and looked at the man standing behind the tree.
"Howdy," says the cop, by way of opening conversation.
"You're another," replied the man good naturedly.
"Whutcheb doin'—waitin' for somebody?" inquired the brave policeman.
"Nope."
"Just standin' there, hey?"
"You've hit it."
"Live near here, do you?"
"Right in there," says the citizen, jerking his thumb in the direction of the apartment house he was standing in front of.
The cop looked at him thoughtfully for a minute.
"Mebby it's none of my business," he says, "and then again mebbly it is. I don't like to go round buttin' into anybody's private affairs, but tell me, neighbor, what's your graft, anyhow?"
"Well," loosened up the citizen, "if it's a case of me-a-tellin' you or you croakin' from curiosity right in front of my eyes, I'll tell you how it is—provided it don't go any further. My wife says to me when I started downtown this evenin', 'If you're not home by midnight I'm goin' to pack up and go right back to mother's. So there!'"
"Well," says the cop.
"Well," repeated the citizen, "it's just about midnight now, and I'm like you—I've got curiosity. I'm waitin' here to see if she's goin' to keep her word."
The cop's curiosity ceased at that point, and he walked on down the street whistling, without waiting to see the thing out.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Description.
"The eye of a little miss was attracted by the sparkle of dew at early morning. 'Mamma,' she exclaimed, 'it's botter'n I thought it was.' 'What do you mean?'
"Look here; the grass is all covered with perspiration."—St. Louis Star.

Failures are with heroic minds the stepping stones to success.—Halliburton.

Announcements

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. J. MARSHAL COX. 66 ft dw

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. S. I. DUDLEY. 713

FOR SURVEYOR.

I beg to submit myself to the discretion of the Democratic voters of Pitt county at the coming primaries for County Surveyor.
W. C. DRESBACH.

FOR SHERIFF.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the Democratic primary. JOSEPH McLAHWORN. 11

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for county treasurer of Pitt county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. W. B. WILSON

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C. T. MUNFORD.

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| 5 25 " | Lv Durham, " Ar | 9 50 " | |
| 4 35 " | Lv Henderson, S. A. L. Railway Ar | 1 28 " | |
| 5 10 " | Lv Fayetteville, R. S. and P. Ry. Ar | 11 00 a.m. | |
| 6 15 a.m. | 9 00 " Lv Raleigh, Union Station Ar | 7 30 " | 7 20 p.m. |
| 8 06 " | 11 15 " Lv W. Union Ar | 5 25 " | 5 31 " |
| | 7 40 " Lv Wilmington, via Wilson Ar | 9 45 " | |
| | 7 30 " Lv New Bern, via Goldsboro Ar | 9 15 " | |
| | 8 45 " Lv Kinston, v a Goldsboro Ar | 8 07 " | |
| | 10 10 " Lv Goldsboro, via Wilson Ar | 6 40 " | |
| 9 20 " | 12 41 a.m. Lv GREENVILLE Ar | 3:58 " | 4 14 " |
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| 11:53 a. m. | Ar. Hobgood | Lv. 9:32 a. m. |
| 11:55 a. m. | Lv. " | Ar. 9:50 a. m. |
| 1:40 p. m. | Ar. Washington | Lv. 7:55 a. m. |
| 1:10 p. m. | " Williamston | " 8:28 a. m. |
| 2:10 p. m. | " Plymouth | " 7:35 a. m. |
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QUEER NATURAL HISTORY

Some Curious Eighteenth Century Descriptions of Animals.

Some curious specimens of folklore and natural history are contained in a rare book called "The Sportsman's Dictionary," which was published toward the end of the eighteenth century. The author was evidently a Philistine among Philistines in his attitude toward nature.

Of the master musician, the blackbird, he says:

"This bird is known by all persons and is better to be eaten than kept, being much sweeter to the palate when dead and well roasted than to the ear while living; sings about three months in the year, or four at most, though his song is worth nothing, but if he be taught to whistle he is of some value, being very loud, though coarse."

And here is a story of the squirrel with the ring in it of the seventeenth century. It reminds one of the hares of Isaac Walton, that changed their sexes once a year:

"If what is reported of them be true the admirable cunning of the squirrel appears in her (where we commonly use 'his' when the sex need not be specified our ancestors often used 'her') swimming or passing over a river, for when she is constrained by hunger so to do she seeks out some kind or small bark of a tree, which she sets upon the water and then goes into it, and, holding up her tail like a sail, lets the wind drive her to the other side and carries meat in her mouth to prevent being famished by the length of the voyage."

Of the wild boar we have this: "And what place soever he bites, whether man or dog, the heat of his teeth causes inflammation in the wound. If therefore he does but touch the hair of a dog he burns off—nay, huntsmen have tried the heat of his teeth by laying hairs on them as soon as he was dead, and they have shriveled up as if touched with a hot iron."

WIND AND NERVES.

Effects of Breezes From the East, West and Northwest.

The east winds hug the earth closely and gather moisture, dust and bacteria. They are cold and humid, altogether forming an enervating influence on human and animal life and rendering it susceptible to the disease germs which the winds carry and disseminate.

The cool, pure northwest winds come from a region of dry, highly electrified air where ozone exists in comparatively large quantities. They are invigorating. The framework of nerves in the human being is like a delicate electrical apparatus, the nerves being the wires and the brain and ganglia receiving and distributing centers.

Every one knows that a telephone works better on a clear, dry day than on a wet, muggy one. The moist atmosphere lessens vitality. The nerve wires grow flaccid and heavy. The messages become confused. Hence low spirits, melancholia, distorted mental outlook, faulty assimilation, and disease.

The opposite effects flow from the northwest winds. The west and northwest winds keep the mucous membranes of the body in good working order. The coating of moisture which is always present with the east wind disappears. Absence of any wind if long continued has a bad effect on the human body and mind.

A prolonged calm means lack of ventilation on a great scale. The winds serve to mix in normal proportions the gases which compose the atmosphere, and in this way they are conducive to health up to a certain point. Beyond about twenty miles an hour their influence begins to be unfavorable.—Chicago Tribune.

In Bohemia.

"How did you enjoy her bohemian evening?"
"It wasn't much. Both the epigrams and the sandwiches were stale."—Washington Herald.

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CLICK OF THE KEY

The Reading of Telegraph Messages by Sound.

STORY OF THE FIRST TRIAL.

A Lack of Tape Caused Alonzo B. Cornell to Attempt Interpreting the Morse Code by Ear—The Discovery That Abolished the Use of the Tape.

Ezra Cornell is known in history as the father of Cornell University, as one of the men who helped to build the first telegraph line and as an ardent organizer of telegraph systems in the early days, being instrumental in the formation of the now famous Western Union Telegraph Company. His son, Alonzo B. Cornell, became ultimately vice president of the Western Union and governor of New York state—high commercial and political honors.

Yet he once confessed to me that he felt he should be credited with the additional honor of having made the discovery that telegraph messages could be read by ear, and he seemed to take more pride in his part in bringing this about than he did in any of his other achievements.

"I was trained as a telegraph operator," said Mr. Cornell in telling me the story. "I suppose I took to telegraphy naturally because of my father's deep and large interests in the then new mode of communication. Anyway, I learned the Morse key early, and I was, in fact, very fond of telegraphing from both the practical and the scientific standpoints.

"One afternoon, sometime in the early fifties, when I was stationed at Albany, N. Y., there was an unusual rush of newspaper dispatches—I was in charge of the press key—and in the midst of the task of receiving them I found to my consternation that I was out of tape. Before taking my seat before the key I had neglected to replenish the tape reel.

"There was a bountiful supply of tape in the cellar of the building, but it was a long trip there—there were no elevators in those days—and I knew that to go there I would waste precious time. And there were those anxious newspaper men hanging over my shoulder.

"Suddenly, as I fished about mentally for the quickest way out of my dilemma, this thought popped into my head: 'You don't need any tape. Half the time you don't look at it when the dispatches are coming in before you write them out. You trust to your ears to tell what the instrument says. Why not do so now?' Instantly I determined to see whether or not I could take the dispatches by sound alone.

"I put my fingers on the key and broke in on New York, whence the dispatches were coming. 'Send rather slowly and very distinctly,' I asked the man at the other end of the wire. He at once began to do so—not without some curiosity as to my reason, I found out later.

"But I didn't think of that at the time, for I was glowing all over with the knowledge that I could write out the dispatches—and write them correctly, for they made sense—by simply listening to the sounds that the key made.

"Thus I continued taking the dispatches to the very end. Then the New York operator called me. 'What are you doing up there?' he asked. 'Why did you want me to send slowly and distinctly?'

"I answered that I had said goodbye to the telegraph tape forever and told him of the discovery I had made. He was immediately interested. 'Send me slowly and very distinctly fifteen or twenty words, and I'll see whether or not I can do the same thing,' he requested.

"I did so, full of confidence, and a little later there came to me this message: 'I've gone it too. Some of the other boys say they can. I predict that within a month there won't be an inch of tape used in the New York office.'

"Years later," added Mr. Cornell, "I was told that about the time that I discovered for myself a new and revolutionary method of receiving telegraph messages the same method was also discovered by an operator in the main office in Pittsburg. I have no doubt that this is true. Sooner or later the discovery was bound to be made not only in one, but several offices. But I have always felt that I was the first to make the discovery and should be credited with it in telegraphic history."—Boston Globe.

Watering the Horse.
It is allowable when a horse is hot to let him have three or four swallows of cool water, but no more. The few swallows will help cool him, and another limited drink may be given every few minutes for four or five times, after which he may drink his fill without danger. In careless or inexperienced hands, however, the only safe way is to let the horse stand for half an hour or more with no water until he is fairly cooled off.—Country Life in America.



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THE PARSON'S CHECKS.

They Were Politely Drawn, but the Bank Threw Them Out.

According to George Cary Eggleston, Virginians of ante bellum days showed great indifference in money matters. Money in the form of coin was rarely seen. The planters were in the habit of writing checks on a slip of foolscap, instructing the bank to "please" pay the amount specified. Eggleston says: "This custom of paying by check so strongly commended itself to a certain unworldly parson of my time that he resorted to it on one occasion in entire ignorance and innocence of the necessity of having a bank deposit as a preliminary to the drawing of checks. He went to Richmond and bought a year's supplies for his little place—it was too small to be called a plantation—and for each purchase he drew a particularly polite check.

"When the banks threw these out on the ground that their author had no account the poor old parson found the situation a difficult one to understand. He had thought that the very purpose of a bank's being was to cash checks for persons who happened to be short of money. 'Why, if I'd had the money in the bank,' he explained, 'I shouldn't have written the checks at all; I should have got the money and paid the bills.'

"Fortunately the matter came to the knowledge of a well to do and generous planter who knew Parson J. and who happened to be in Richmond at the time. His indorsement made the checks good and saved the unworldly old parson a deal of trouble."—Chicago News.

DEEP SEA WATER.

Bottles With Which Samples Are Taken From Ocean Depths.

The water bottle for getting water for analysis from selected depths in the ocean is a cylinder of brass, German silver or other metal which resists the corrosion of sea water, generally about two inches in diameter and twelve or fourteen inches long, with upward opening valve at the top and bottom, connected together on a central stem. Lugs are cast on the side of the cylinder for conveniently securing it at any point along the length of the line by which it is to be lowered into the sea. During the lowering of the line the valves of the bottle are kept unsealed by the passage of the water through the cylinder during its descent, but when the motion is reversed the valves seat themselves and are locked by the descent of a small propeller in the framework above the upper valve, which rides idly on a sleeve during the lowering of the bottle, but descends along a screw thread to press the valves upon their seats when the line commences to be hauled up. A specimen of the water at the depth to which the water bottle has descended is thus brought to the surface confined within the bottle, and a series of specimens from different depths may be obtained at one haul by securing a series of water bottles at the required intervals along the sounding line.—Scientific American.

The Gentle Game of Golf.

On one occasion an old lady was in the same railway compartment as a party of golfers. "I found fearful trouble this morning," said one. "At the first I fell right into the middle of a prickly gorse bush, and at the second I was stuck up on the top of a tree. I pitched out of bounds into the farmyard at the third, got caught by the wire at the fourth. I stuck fast in a deep hole at the fifth, found myself buried in mud at the sixth. I was lying in a heap of rough flints at the seventh, got lost at the eighth and finished up at the bottom of that dirty ditch at the last hole."

"Gracious me," cried the horrified old lady from her corner of the carriage, "and they told me that golf was an old man's game! I'll never let my Edwin play again!"—London Globe.

Acquiring a Reputation.

Archbishop Rowley, who lived in the eighteenth century, most unjustly got the reputation of swearing like a trooper. The explanation is that the Duke of Cumberland, who fought the battle of Culloden and who was unspeakably profane, once went in quest of the primate to get his assistance about a certain bill which he disliked. He returned to the house of lords, saying: "It's all right, my lords. I've seen the archbishop, and he says he'll see the promoters to — before he'll vote for the — bill!" As a matter of fact, all the profanity had been supplied quite in the ordinary run of conversation by the duke.—London Tatler.

Some Pay More.

The man was looking over the family bills as his wife glanced through the paper.

"Oh, John," she said, "it tells here of a young fellow who was fined \$6.50 for flirting."

"That's cheaper than I got off," replied the man, his eye still on the bills.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Mean Thing!

Edith—I told Clara, under promise of absolute secrecy, of our engagement. Fred—And she has spoken of it everywhere? Edith—No; the spiteful thing never mentioned it.—Illustrated Bits.

How Careless!

She (sweetly as they sip their tea together)—Isn't this delicious? He (absentmindedly)—Yes, I love to take tea with a little lemon.—Columbia Jester.

When a fool gets angry, he opens his mouth and shuts his eyes.

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Numerous formalities have to be gone through before any new peer is entitled to take his seat in the house of lords.

One of the most important matters is the preparation of the patent, a long strip of parchment, to the end of which is affixed the wax seal, the color of which varies, according to the rank of the new member. Another item is the robe, made of scarlet cloth with three doublings of ermine, the number of bars varying according to rank. Thus a duke has four bars in front and the same number behind, a marquess one less, and so on.

Then there are preparations in regard to making or changing coats of arms, in connection with which fees to the extent of about 50 guineas are paid by the recipient of a summons to the house of lords.

Altogether the financial disbursements amount in the case of a new earl to between £900 and £700, some of which finds its way to the chancellor of the exchequer and some to the crown as represented by the college of arms. A considerable portion of this expenditure is, of course, incurred in the purchase of the coronet.—London News.

A Left Handed Man.

"I never realized how unpopular a left handed man can be until I joined a fishing club," said the man who cannot do much with his right hand. "Socially I was all right, but when we began to fish the rest of the fellows couldn't get far enough away from me. There was another left handed man in the party, and we were shunted upstream, away beyond the best fishing holes. I am a good fisherman. When alone I can manage rod and line as skillfully as the next man, but when I go fishing with a lot of right handed fishermen our lines tangle and we get into a regular muddle. I have tried to learn to manage my pole with my right hand, but I haven't made much headway at it; also I have noticed that right handed persons who tried to become ambidextrous could learn to do everything with their left hand better than to fish."—New York Times.

The Antiquity of the Ballet.

Strictly defined, the ballet is properly a theatrical exhibition of the art of dancing in its highest perfection, complying generally with the rules of the drama as to its composition and form. It was in existence in Italy as far back as A. D. 1500, the court of Turin in that day making especial use of it and the royal family and nobles taking part in it. The ballet was first introduced in France in the reign of Louis XIII, and both that monarch and Louis XIV, occasionally took part in its dances. About the year 1700 women made their first appearance in the ballet, which up to that time had been performed exclusively by men, as was the case also with plays and operas, but no woman ballet dancer of any note appeared until 1700.

How She Caught Them.

"How did you happen to get four times as many letters as I did?" said one washerwoman who had advertised for work by the day to another who had advertised for the same thing.

"Wound up my advertisement by saying I was on a diet," said the lucky one. "That 'on a diet' notice goes right to the heart of stingy souls who are trying to cut down expenses. They hate to figure on a washerwoman's meals and jump at the chance of getting one who doesn't eat."—New York Sun.

Often the Case.

"You can pretty safely bet," began the man who thought he knew, "that any woman who doesn't gush over a pretty baby is a confirmed old maid." "Not always," replied the real wise-acre. "She may be a mother who has a baby she thinks is prettier."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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| Cotton | Today | Yesterday |
|------------------|--------|-----------|
| Middling | 16 | 16 |
| Str Low Middling | 15 7-8 | 15 7-8 |
| Low Middling | 15 5-8 | 15 5-8 |
| Peanuts | | |
| Fancy | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Strictly Prime | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Prime | 4 | 4 |
| Low Grades | 3 | 3 |

New York Future Market

Wired by Cobb Bros. & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Norfolk.

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| October | 13 63 | 13 84 |
| December | 13 51 | 13 71 |
| January | 13 47 | 13 65 |

Chicago Markets

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|--------------|--------|---------|
| May Wheat | 115 | 104 1-8 |
| May Corn | 60 3-8 | 60 |
| October Ribs | 11 47 | 11 60 |
| September | 11 00 | 11 10 |
| September | 11 62 | 11 75 |
| October Lard | 11 50 | 11 10 |

By Wire to The Reflector.

Chicago, Aug. 3.—There was an advance today in the entire grain list, corn, wheat and oats all being higher. Provisions were slow and steady.

New York, Aug. 4.—Cotton opened weak today, 9 to 14 points lower, influenced by poor cables and rains in Texas and Oklahoma. Opening: August 15.35; September 14.20; October 13.68; November 13.55; January 13.47.

New York, Aug. 4.—There was a heavy tone at the opening of the stock market today, prices proceeding generally from fractions to about one point in the first few minutes. There was no special reason for selling that forced these special declines. The market was narrow without much demand except at low levels. At the end of 15 minutes a generally firm tone prevailed.

INDIANS AND BULLETS.

A Sample of the Strenuous Life in Kentucky in 1777.

In 1777, while Harrodsburg, Ky., was so beset with Indians that the inhabitants were in straits for daily bread, a young man, only sixteen years old, made himself extremely useful by venturing out of the fort before daybreak and returning with a load of game after nightfall. This intrepid youth was James Ray, afterward General Ray.

One day in the year just mentioned Ray and another young man were shooting at a mark near the fort, when the second man was suddenly shot down by the Indians. Ray looked in the direction whence the shot had come, saw the enemy and was on the point of raising his rifle when he was set upon by another band who had crept near him unseen.

He took to his heels and, being a quick runner, reached the fort amid a shower of bullets, but the gates were shut, and the men inside were so frightened that they dared not open them. Finding himself shut out, Ray threw himself flat on the ground in the rear of a stump, and here, perhaps seven steps from the fort and within sight of his mother, he lay for four hours, while the bullets of the Indians tore up the ground on either side of him.

At last he grew impatient and called out to the garrison:

"For heaven's sake, dig a hole under the cabin wall and take me in!"

The men inside set to work immediately, and the brave young hunter was speedily safe inside the fort.

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Didn't Give Him the Chance. Schopenbauer, when staying in Geneva, used to go every day to a table d'hote at which now and then appeared other distinguished visitors. Once Lady Byron sat next to him.

"Doctor," said the host after she had left, with a twinkle in his eye, "doctor, do you know who sat next to you at the table today? It was Lady Byron."

"Why the deuce did you not tell me this before?" replied Schopenbauer; "I should have liked to be rude to her."

"That was what I feared," said the host, "and for that reason I kept it quiet."

Very Thorough. New York's collector of customs was talking about smuggling.

"Smuggling must cease," he said. "We'll make it cease; if we have to be as strict and thorough as the French customs officer. This strict officer, standing on the pier, frowned on a tourist with a syollen cheek.

"What have you got there?" he said, pointing to the swelling.

"An abscess, sir," was the reply.

"Well," said the officer impatiently, "open it, please."—Washington Star.

It Had an Effect.

"Did that sarcastic letter you wrote to the milkman requesting him to let you attend to the job of watering the milk now that you have a new filter in the kitchen faucet have any effect?" "It did," said the joker. "He delivers the bottles now only two-thirds full."—New York Sun.

The Error.

Sandy—Doctor, man, there's a wee bit error in this bill o' yours. Ye've charged me for advice. Ah never tuk it.—London Punch.

Suits Some—Death to Others.

"Iron may be good for the blood of some," remarked the worm as the angler threaded the hook through him gently, "but I fear it will be the death of me!"

And yet the fish that swallowed the iron a little later was quite carried away with it.

Fatal.

The Lady—Get out! You're the man I gave a piece of my cake to only an hour ago. The Hobo—No, mum. I'm that poor feller's ghost!—Cleveland Leader.